COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2824/76

of 23 November 1976

amending for the tenth time Regulation (EEC) No 2042/75 on special detailed rules for the application of the system of import and export licences for cereals and rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1143/76 (2), and in particular Article 12 (2) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2042/75 of 25 July 1975 on special detailed rules for the application of the system of import and export licences for cereals and rice (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2325/76 (4), provides that the export licence for products falling within heading No 11.07 of the Common Customs Tariff shall be valid until the end of the fourth month following that of issue ; whereas, to take account of international practice in the malt trade, Article 9 (a) thereof makes provision for a longer period of validity ; whereas experience has shown that this derogation is not necessary for malt in the form of flour falling within subheadings 11.07 A I a) and 11.07 A II a) which is used solely in the food sector ; whereas the terms of international trade in these products are the same as those for trade in other processed cereal products, and therefore licences for these products should be granted in accordance with the general provisions ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

Article 9 (a) (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2042/75 is hereby amended to read as follows :

'1. By way of derogation from Article 9, the export licence for products falling within Common Customs Tariff subheadings 11.07 A I b), 11.07 A II b) and 11.07 B be valid from the day of issue, within the meaning of Article 9 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 193/75 until the end of the eleventh month following that of issue, where the application is made for export to :

(a) Zone VI as defined in Regulation (EEC) No 306/76,

(b) as sub-zone defined in the abovementioned Regulation, in the case of destinations not provided for under (c),

(c) a third country of destination in Europe, including Malta, Turkey and the Soviet Union.

In this case, the destination shall be indicated in section 13 of the licence, and the licence shall carry the obligation to export the said destination.'

Article 2

The Regulation shall enter into force on 1 December 1976.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 23 November 1976.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 130, 19. 5. 1976, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 213, 11. 8. 1975, p. 5.
(4) OJ No L 261, 25. 9. 1976, p. 33.