COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 552/76

of 12 March 1976

fixing the average world market price and the indicative yield for soya beans for the 1975/76 marketing year

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1900/74 of 15 July 1974 laying down special measures for soya beans [1], and in particular Article 2 (4) thereof,

Whereas pursuant to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2809/75 of 29 October 1975 on special measures for soya beans for the 1975/76 marketing year [2], an average world market price for soya beans and an indicative yield for soya beans harvested in the Community should be fixed according to the criteria laid down in the said Regulation;

Whereas Article 1 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2944/75 of 10 November 1975 laying down detailed rules for the application of the special measures for soya beans for the 1975/76 marketing year [3], provides that the average price shall be the arithmetic mean of the world prices as referred to in that Article recorded each week over a representative period;

Whereas the most representative period for the sale of Community soya beans may be taken to be that from 1 December 1975 to 20 February 1976; whereas, this is therefore the period to be taken into account;

Whereas the application of all these provisions produces the average world market price for soya beans specified below;

Whereas, in accordance with Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 2944/75, the producer Member State have provided the Commission with particulars of soya beans yield per hectare in respect of their main production areas; whereas on the basis of those particulars the indicative yield for soya beans should be that specified below;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1975/76, marketing year, the average world market price for soya beans shall be fixed at 15·189 units of account per 100 kilogrammes.

Article 2

For the 1975/76 marketing year, the indicative yield for soya beans harvested in the Community shall be fixed at 1 950 kilogrammes per hectare.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities.*

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

Done at Brussels, 12 March 1976.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

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(1) OJ No L 201, 23. 7. 1974, p. 5.
(2) OJ No L 280, 31. 10. 1975, p. 3.
(3) OJ No L 291, 11. 11. 1975, p. 5.