# COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 729/76
## of 31 March 1976
## fixing the import levies on rice and broken rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 359/67/EEC of 25 July 1967 on the common organization of the market in rice [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 668/75 [2], and in particular Article 11 (5) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on rice and broken rice were fixed by Regulation (EEC) No 3386/75 [3] and subsequent amending Regulations;

Whereas it follows from applying the rules and other provisions contained in Regulation (EEC) No 3386/75 to the offer prices and today's quotations known to the Commission that the levies at present in force should be altered as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

The import levies to be charged on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) and (b) of Regulation No 359/67/EEC are hereby fixed as shown in the table annexed to this Regulation.

*Article 2*

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 April 1976.

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

Done at Brussels, 31 March 1976.

*For the Commission*

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*Member of the Commission*

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[1] OJ No 174, 31. 7. 1967, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 72, 20. 3. 1975, p. 18.
[3] OJ No L 334, 31. 12. 1975, p. 10.

*ANNEX*

**to the Commission Regulation of 31 March 1976 fixing the import levies on rice and broken rice**

*(u.a. / metric ton)*

| CCT heading No | Description of goods | Third countries | ACP and OCT (1) (2) |
|---|---|---|---|
| 10.06 | Rice : | | |
| | A. Paddy rice ; husked rice : | | |
| | I. Paddy rice : | | |
| | a) Round grain | 77·43 | 35·72 |
| | b) Long grain | 95·05 | 44·53 |
| | II. Husked rice : | | |
| | a) Round grain | 96·79 | 45·40 |
| | b) Long grain | 118·81 | 56·41 |
| | B. Semi-milled or wholly milled rice : | | |
| | I. Semi-milled rice : | | |
| | a) Round grain | 133·70 | 56·95 |
| | b) Long grain | 211·99 | 96·13 |
| | II. Wholly milled rice : | | |
| | a) Round grain | 142·39 | 60·95 |
| | b) Long grain | 227·25 | 103·38 |
| | C. Broken rice : | 34·57 | 14·79 |

(1) Subject to the application of the provisions of Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 1599/75.

(2) In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 1599/75 provides that the levies are not applied to imports into the French overseas departments of products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the 'overseas countries and territories'.