COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1373/77

of 24 June 1977

determining the maximum guaranteed price for milk in the United Kingdom for the period 1 May to 31 December 1977

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty of Accession (1),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 749/73 of 19 March 1973 on production subsidies which the United Kingdom is authorized to retain in respect of certain agricultural products (2), and in particular Article 9 thereof,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 872/77 of 26 April 1977 fixing the target price for milk and the intervention prices for butter, skimmed-milk powder and Grana Padano and Parmigiano Reggiano cheese for the 1977/78 milk year (3), provides for the prices to be raised; whereas similar arrangements should be made as regards the maximum guaranteed price for milk in the United Kingdom;

Whereas under Article 4 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 749/73 the guaranteed price for milk applicable to the standard quantity may be increased at most, to take account of the decrease arising out of the alignment of prices, by an amount equal to the difference between the support level for milk resulting from the intervention prices effective in the United Kingdom and that resulting from the intervention prices effective in the Community;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the purpose of the operation in respect of milk and milk products of Article 54 of the Act of Accession, the maximum guaranteed price for milk in the United Kingdom for the period 1 May to 31 December 1977 shall be 18·54 units of account per 100 kilograms.

Article 2

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

It shall apply with effect from 1 May 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 24 June 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

(1) OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.
(2) OJ No L 72, 20. 3. 1973, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 106, 29. 4. 1977, p. 17.