COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1389/77

of 21 June 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 471/76 suspending application of the condition on prices governing the importation into the Community of fresh lemons originating in various Mediterranean countries

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1554/76 of 29 June 1976 suspending application of the condition on prices governing the importation into the Community of fresh lemons originating in the Mediterranean countries with which the Community concludes Agreements (1), and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas on 18 January 1977 the Community signed with both Egypt (2) and Jordan (3) a Cooperation Agreement and an Interim Agreement for the advance implementation of certain provisions of the Cooperation Agreement relating to trade in goods ; whereas on 3 May 1977 it signed a Cooperation Agreement and an Interim Agreement with Lebanon (4) ;

Whereas these Agreements contain, with regard to lemons, similar provisions to those suspended by Council Regulation (EEC) No 471/76 of 24 February 1976 suspending application of the condition on prices governing the importation into the Community of fresh lemons originating in Cyprus, Spain, Israel, Morocco, the Arab Republic of Egypt, Tunisia and Turkey in accordance with Agreements between the European Economic Community and each of these countries (5), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1388/77 (6) ; whereas it is therefore necessary to extend the scope of application of Regulation (EEC) No 471/76,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

1. The fifth indent of Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 471/76 is amended to read as follows :

'— Article 17 (2) and (3) of the Cooperation Agreement and Article 10 (2) and (3) of the Interim Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Arab Republic of Egypt ;'.

2. The following shall be added to Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 471/76 :

'— Article 17 (2) and (3) of the Cooperation Agreement and Article 10 (2) and (3) of the Interim Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan ;

— Article 16 (2) and (3) of the Cooperation Agreement and Article 9 (2) and (3) of the Interim Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Lebanese Republic.'.

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 the date of entry into force of the Interim Agreements.

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

Done at Luxembourg, 21 June 1977.

For the Council

The President

D. OWEN

(1) OJ No L 172, 1. 7. 1976, p. 3.
(2) OJ No L 126, 23. 5. 1977, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 126, 23. 5. 1977, p. 166.
(4) OJ No L 133, 27. 5. 1977, p. 1.
(5) OJ No L 58, 5. 3. 1976, p. 5.
(6) See page 3 of this Official Journal.