COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1460/77

of 29 June 1977

on detailed rules for the application of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 385/73

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Treaty of Accession (1),

Having regard to the Act of Accession (2), and in particular Article 45 (1) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 385/73 of 19 January 1973 on the methods of administrative cooperation to safeguard during the transitional period the free movement of goods in trade between the Community as originally constituted and the new Member States and in trade between the new Member States themselves (3), must continue to apply to agricultural products covered by certain common organizations of the market for such time as customs duties or the component for the protection of the processing industry used in the calculation of the import charge are levied in trade between the new Member States and between them and the Community as originally constituted;

Whereas the said Regulation must also continue to apply until 31 December 1977 to agricultural products subject to the system of compensatory amounts provided for in Article 55 of the Act of Accession and to certain goods processed from agricultural products when at least one basic product contained therein is subject to the said system of compensatory amounts;

Whereas for other categories of goods, in respect of which customs duties and charges having equivalent effect are to be completely eliminated in intra-Community trade with effect from 1 July 1977, the reasons which led to the use of internal Community documents similar to those used in the Community as originally constituted and identified by the symbols T3 or T3L no longer apply; whereas, however, new Member States should be able to use up their current stocks of T3 and T3L forms by being allowed to use them until 31 December 1977;

Whereas the documents T3 and T3L for such goods must be issued under the same conditions and must have the same effects as documents T2 and T2L; whereas, therefore, on the grounds of simplification, Member States of the Community as originally constituted must be able to use documents T2 or T2L in place of documents T3 and T3L when such goods are re-exported, without prejudice to the collection of the charges arising under Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1515/74 of 18 June 1974 on the application of inward processing arrangements in trade between Member States of the Community as originally constituted and new Member States, and between new Member States themselves, for such time as customs duties are levied in such trade (4),

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 385/73 shall continue to apply after 30 June 1977 to:

1. agricultural products referred to in Articles 59 (1) (b) and 61 of the Act of Accession for such time as the said products are subject, in trade between the Community as originally constituted and the new Member States and between the new Member States themselves, to the payment of customs duties or the component for the protection of the processing industry used in the calculation of the import charge;

2. agricultural products for such time as the said products are subject to the system of compensatory amounts provided for in Article 55 of the Act of Accession;

3. certain goods processed from agricultural products for such time as at least one basic product contained therein is subject to the system of compensatory amounts provided for in Article 55 of the Act of Accession.

(1) OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.
(2) OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.
(3) OJ No L 42, 14. 2. 1973, p. 1.
(4) OJ No L 163, 19. 6. 1974, p. 17.

Article 2

1. Until 31 December 1977, goods not covered by Article 1, may be exported from new Member States under cover of documents T3 and T3L.

2. Documents T3 or T3L for such goods shall be issued under the same conditions as those laid down for documents T2 and T2L in Council Regulation (EEC) No 222/77 of 13 December 1976 on Community transit [1] and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 223/77 of 22 December 1976 on provisions for the implementation of the Community transit procedure and for certain simplifications of that procedure [2] and shall have the same effects.

3. Where products or goods, other than those referred to in Article 1, are re-exported from a Member State of the Community as originally constituted, documents T3 and T3L issued in a new Member State may be replaced, by documents T2 and T2L, according to whether the said products or goods are, or are not, to move under the Community transit procedure.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 July 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 29 June 1977.

For the Commission

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(1) OJ No L 38, 9. 2. 1977, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 38, 9. 2. 1977, p. 20.