I

(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1617/77

of 18 July 1977

on the supply of skimmed-milk powder to the Catholic Relief Service as emergency food aid for certain sections of the population of Chile pursuant to Regulation (EEC) No 1299/76

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1298/76 of 1 June 1976 laying down general rules for the supply of skimmed-milk powder as food aid to certain developing countries and international organizations under the 1976 programme (1), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2017/76 (2), and in particular Article 7 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1299/76 of 1 June 1976 on the supply of skimmed-milk powder as food aid to certain developing countries and international organizations under the 1976 programme (3) provides for a reserve of 3 630 tonnes of skimmed-milk powder;

Whereas the Catholic Relief Service has submitted a request for emergency food aid in the form of skimmed-milk powder for certain sections of the population of Chile; whereas the needs of those persons warrant food aid from the Community,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1 214 tonnes of the 3 630 tonnes of skimmed-milk powder provided for as a reserve by Regulation (EEC) No 1299/76 shall be allocated to the Catholic Relief Service for certain sections of the population of Chile as emergency food aid.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third 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, 18 July 1977.

For the Council

The President

A. HUMBLET

(1) OJ No L 146, 4. 6. 1976, p. 3.
(2) OJ No L 224, 16. 8. 1976, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 146, 4. 6. 1976, p. 5.