COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1823/77

of 5 August 1977

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1089/77 on detailed rules of application for granting special aid for skimmed milk for use as feed for animals other than young calves

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 559/76 (2), and in particular Article 10 (3) thereof,

Whereas following the implementation of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1089/77 of 25 May 1977 on detailed rules of application for granting special aid for skimmed milk for use as feed for animals other than young calves (3), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1402/77 (4), it has become clear that certain of its provisions require adaptation or amplification so as to remedy certain administrative difficulties encountered in practice;

Whereas it is also desirable to introduce a new denaturing formula used in certain Member States which excludes the use of skimmed milk for feeding calves;

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

Regulation (EEC) No 1089/77 is amended as follows:

1. The following subparagraph is added to Article 1 (2):

'For the purposes of this Regulation 100 litres of skimmed milk shall be equal to 103 kilograms of skimmed milk.'

2. In Article 2 (1),

(a) subparagraph (a) is amended to read as follows:

'(a)"specialized farm" means a farm keeping pigs and/or any other animals except young calves, or a mixed farm as defined in (b) occupied by a farmer who undertakes in a contract as referred to in Article 4 to take delivery only of skimmed milk denatured according to the formula specified in the third indent of Article 3 (1) (c);'

(b) subparagraph (c) is amended to read as follows:

'(c) "young calves" means calves not more than five months or 150 days old, at the choice of the Member State concerned'.

3. The final indent of Article 3 (1) (c) is replaced by the following:

'— denatured by the addition of 200 grams of copper sulphate pentayhydrate per 1 000 kilograms of milk, or

— subjected to an administrative control giving guarantees equivalent to the denaturing described in the first and second indents.'

4. In the fifth subparagraph of Article 4 (1) the date '30 June 1977' is replaced by '1 July 1977'.

5. In the second indent of Article 4 (2) (b) the words 'calculated on the basis of a daily consumption of eight kilograms per head' are replaced by 'calculated on the basis, at the choice of the

(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.
(2) OJ No L 67, 15. 3. 1976, p. 9.
(3) OJ No L 131, 26. 5. 1977, p. 34.
(4) OJ No L 158, 29. 6. 1977, p. 38.

Member State concerned, of a daily consumption of eight kilograms per head or of a monthly consumption of 240 kilograms per head.'

6. In Article 4 (5) the words 'within 10 days of its conclusion' are deleted.

Article 2

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

It shall apply with effect from 1 June 1977.

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

Done at Brussels, 5 August 1977.

For the Commission

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