COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 639/77

of 28 March 1977

temporarily suspending the sale of skimmed-milk powder in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 2213/76

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 7 (5) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2213/76 of 10 September 1976 [3], provided for the sale of skimmed-milk powder in public storage at a price of 93·5 units of account per 100 kilograms; whereas, whilst waiting for the decision of the Council concerning the fixing of prices for the 1977/78 milk marketing year, this sale should be temporarily suspended so as to avoid speculative purchases in view of a possible adaptation of the aforesaid sale prices;

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

The sale of skimmed-milk powder in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 2213/76 shall be suspended until a further decision.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of 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, 28 March 1977.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

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[1] OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.
[2] OJ No L 67, 15. 3. 1976, p. 9.
[3] OJ No L 249, 11. 9. 1976, p. 6.