COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1505/78

of 30 June 1978

fixing, for the 1978/79 sugar marketing year, the import levies on sugar beet and sugar cane

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 of 19 December 1974 on the common organization of the market in sugar (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1396/78 (2), and in particular Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas Article 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 provides that an import levy must be fixed by the Commission on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (b) of that Regulation; whereas that levy must be calculated at a standard rate on the basis of the sucrose content of each of those products and the levy on white sugar;

Whereas Article 6 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 837/68 of 28 June 1968 on detailed rules for the application of levies on sugar (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1428/78 (4), provides that the levy applicable to these products, which is fixed for each marketing year, is obtained by multiplying by a coefficient the difference, in respect of 100 kilograms of white sugar, between the threshold price valid for the relevant marketing year and the arithmetic average of cif prices recorded during a reference period; whereas the coefficients and the reference period were fixed by Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 837/68;

Whereas the threshold price for white sugar was fixed by Council Regulation (EEC) No 1399/78 of 20 June 1978 fixing, for the 1978/79 sugar year, the derived intervention prices, the intervention price of raw beet sugar, the minimum prices for beet, the threshold prices, the maximum amount of the production levy and the amount of the repayment to offset storage costs, and fixing the coefficient for calculating the special maximum quota (5),

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The levies provided for in Article 15 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 3330/74 applicable to imports of the products listed in Article 1 (1) (b) of that Regulation are hereby fixed as follows for the 1978/79 marketing year:

CCT heading No	Description	u.a. per tonne
12.04	Sugar beet, whole or sliced, fresh, dried or powdered; sugar cane:	
	A. Sugar beet:	
	I. Fresh	43·71
	II. Dried or powdered	150·26
	B. Sugar cane	30·05

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 July 1978.

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

Done at Brussels, 30 June 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

(1) OJ No L 359, 31. 12. 1974, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 170, 27. 6. 1978, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 151, 30. 6. 1968, p. 42.
(4) OJ No L 171, 28. 6. 1978, p. 34.
(5) OJ No L 170, 27. 6. 1978, p. 6.