COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 68/78

of 13 January 1978

fixing the components used to calculate the differential amounts for colza and rape seed for the period 14 December 1977 to 15 January 1978

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the market in oils and fats (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2560/77 (2),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1569/72 of 20 July 1972 laying down special measures for colza and rape seed (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3477/73 (4), and in particular Article 2 (2) thereof,

Whereas, pursuant to Council Regulation (EEC) No 878/77 of 26 April 1977 on the exchange rates to be applied in agriculture (5), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2840/77 (6), a new representative rate, with effect from 1 February 1978, is to be applied for the French franc ; whereas it is necessary to take this fact into account in fixing the components used to calculate the differential amounts for colza and rape seed ; whereas, because of the technical operation of the system of differential amounts in its present form, this change may place unjustified burdens on those concerned ; whereas it is possible to avoid this by fixing, for a transitional period, components which vary according to the date on which the subsidy or export refund is fixed in advance and to the date on which the colza seed is placed under control or exported ;

Whereas it has been found that the same problem arises in the case of subsidies and refunds fixed in advance from 14 December 1977 on ; whereas, therefore, measures should be taken at the request of those concerned, as regards subsidy and refund certificates in respect of which advance fixing took place between 14 December 1977 and 15 January 1978 ;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Oils and Fats,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

For the purpose of calculating the corrective amounts to be applied to the target price, the subsidy and the refund in respect of the period 14 December 1977 to 15 January 1978, the coefficients shown in the Annex hereto shall at the request of the party concerned be applied in respect of the said period in place of those figures shown in the Regulation fixing or altering the components to be used to calculate the differential amounts for colza and rape seed applicable for the period in question, provided that either the seeds have been placed under control at the oil mills or the customs export formalities have been completed after 31 January 1978.

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, 13 January 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

(1) OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.
(2) OJ No L 303, 28. 11. 1977, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 167, 25. 7. 1972, p. 9.
(4) OJ No L 357, 28. 12. 1973, p. 6.
(5) OJ No L 106, 29. 4. 1977, p. 27.
(6) OJ No L 328, 21. 12. 1977, p. 1.

ANNEX

Colza and rape seed processed for oil production in, or exported from, France	Target price corrective (coefficient to be applied)	Subsidy corrective (coefficient to be applied)
Period		
— 14 December to 18 December 1977	— 0·1547	+ 0·1547
— 19 December to 25 December 1977	— 0·1656	+ 0·1656
— 26 December 1977 to 1 January 1978	— 0·1783	+ 0·1783
— 2 January to 8 January 1978	— 0·1783	+ 0·1783
— 9 January to 15 January 1978	— 0·1783	+ 0·1783