COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 765/78

of 14 April 1978

discontinuing the protective measures applicable to the import of onions originating in Poland

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 of 18 May 1972 on the common organization of the market in fruit and vegetables (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1034/77 (2), and in particular Article 29 (2) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2869/77 of 22 December 1977 (3) introduced protective measures applicable to the import into Ireland of onions originating in Poland;

Whereas, at present, the major portion of Irish onion production has already been sold;

Whereas in recent weeks an increase was recorded in the prices of onions on the Irish market; whereas in view of the disposal of stocks it is anticipated that this increase will be maintained in coming weeks;

Whereas availabilities of this product for export have diminished sharply in Poland;

Whereas in general the conclusion which can be arrived at from the above assessment of the market situation is that there is no longer a danger that imports of the products which were the subject of the protective measures will cause grave disturbances on the Irish market likely to endanger the objectives of Article 39 of the Treaty; whereas under these circumstances the protective measures applicable to imports into Ireland of onions originating in Poland should be discontinued,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 2869/77 is hereby repealed.

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, 14 April 1978.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Vice-President

(1) OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 125, 19. 5. 1977, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 330, 23. 12. 1977, p. 22.