COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2854/79

of 14 December 1979

extending the period of validity of retrospective control of imports of footwear into the Community

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 926/79 of 8 May 1979 on common rules for imports [1], and in particular Article 7 (1) (a) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 925/79 of 8 May 1979 establishing common rules for imports from State-trading countries [2], and in particular Article 6 (1) (a) thereof,

Consultations having been held within the committees set up under Articles 5 of the said Regulations,

Whereas by Decision 78/560/EEC [3], the Commission established retrospective control of imports of footwear into the Community;

Whereas the reasons which originally led the Commission to take such action, that is to say the considerable pressure exercised by imports into the Community of footwear and the resultant threat of injury to the Community producers of like or directly competing products, continue to apply;

Whereas it is therefore necessary to prolong this retrospective control,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Articles 1 to 4 of Decision 78/560/EEC shall be replaced by the following sole article:

'Imports into the Community of footwear or parts of footwear falling within heading Nos 64.01, 64.02, 64.03, 64.04 and 64.05 of the Common Customs Tariff shall be subject to retrospective control on a Community basis.'

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1980 and shall apply until 31 December 1980.

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

Done at Brussels, 14 December 1979.

For the Commission

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(1) OJ No L 131, 29. 5. 1979, p. 15.
(2) OJ No L 131, 29. 5. 1979, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 188, 11. 7. 1978, p. 28.