COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1460/80

of 9 June 1980

limiting the granting of production aid for Williams pears and cherries, preserved in syrup, for the 1980/81 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 516/77 of 14 March 1977 on the common organization of the market in products processed from fruit and vegetables [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2999/79 [2], and in particular Article 3a (5) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Article 3a of Regulation (EEC) No 516/77 established a system of production aid for certain products processed from fruit and vegetables ; whereas in cases where the situation evisaged in paragraph 5 of the said Article arises, it is possible to limit the granting of production aid to a specified quantity, taking account of average Community production over the three years preceding the marketing year for which aid is fixed ;

Whereas, for the 1980/81 marketing year, such a situation is likely to arise in the case of Williams pears and cherries, preserved in syrup, listed in Annex Ia to Regulation (EEC) No 516/77 ; whereas, therefore, the granting of production aid in respect of those products should be limited to a specified quantity in accordance with the abovementioned criteria,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

For the 1980/81 marketing year, the granting of production aid shall be limited :

— in the case of Wiiliams pears, preserved in syrup, falling within subheading ex 20.06 B of the Common Customs Tariff, to 74 000 tonnes,

— in the case of hard-fleshed heart cherries and other sweet cherries, preserved in syrup, falling within subheading ex 20.06 B of the Common Customs Tariff, to 26 750 tonnes,

— in the case of Morello cherries, preserved in syrup, falling within subheading ex 20.06 B of the Common Customs Tariff, to 49 140 tonnes.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall apply with effect from :

— 15 July 1980 in the case of products referred to in the first indent of Article 1,

— 1 May 1980 in the case of products referred to in the second and third indents of Article 1.

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

Done at Luxembourg, 9 June 1980.

For the Council

The President

F. FOSCHI

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(1) OJ No L 73, 21. 3. 1977, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 341, 31. 12. 1979, p. 1.