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COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1517/81

of 4 June 1981

fixing the basic and buying-in prices for apples for June 1981

THE COUNCIL 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 Council Regulation (EEC) No 1116/81 [2], and in particular Articles 16 and 35 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, under Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72, basic and buying-in prices were fixed for apples other than cider apples for the marketing year 1 August 1980 to 31 May 1981 ;

Whereas, at present, stocks of apples are similar to those of the 1979/80 marketing year in the course of which a basic price and a buying-in price were fixed for June by Regulation (EEC) No 1316/80 [3]; whereas, consequently, considerable quantities of apples are likely to be withdrawn from the market before the end of May 1981 ; whereas, in order to remedy this situation, a basic price and a buying-in price should similarly be fixed for June,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

1. For June 1981, the basic and buying-in prices for apples other than cider apples, expressed in ECU per 100 kilograms net, shall be as follows :

— basic price : 25·92,

— buying-in price 13·16.

2. The prices specified in paragraph 1 relate to apples of the Golden Delicious variety, quality Class I, size 70 mm or more, packaged.

Article 2

The prices quoted in Article 1 (1) shall not include the cost of packaging.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 June 1981.

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

Done at Brussels, 4 June 1981.

For the Council

The President

G. M. V. van AARDENNE

(1) OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 118, 30. 4. 1981, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 134, 31. 5. 1980, p. 22.