COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 1904/81

of 9 July 1981

prolonging the temporary suspension of the advance fixing of the import levy for cereals

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1784/81 [2], and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas Article 15 (7) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 provides that the provisions concerning advance fixing of the levy may be suspended if the market situation shows that the application of such provisions will or is likely to cause difficulties;

Whereas there is a danger, having regard to the situation on the world cereals market, that, if existing arrangements are adhered to, levies could be fixed in advance in the short term for quantities considerably greater than the quantities which might be expected under more normal conditions;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1870/81 of 7 July 1981 [3] temporarily suspended advance fixing of the import levy for cereals; whereas the reasons which led to that suspension still exist; whereas it is important, therefore, to continue that measure for a limited period, which will make it possible to monitor the situation;

Whereas the Management Committee for Cereals has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1870/81, '10 July 1981' is hereby replaced by '13 July 1981'.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 10 July 1981.

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

Done at Brussels, 9 July 1981.

For the Commission

The President

Gaston THORN

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[1] OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. 1.
[3] OJ No L 186, 8. 7. 1981, p. 19.