COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2483/81

of 26 August 1981

determining for the Member States the estimated loss of income and the estimated level of the premium payable per ewe for 1981/82

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80 of 27 June 1980 on the common organization of the market in sheepmeat and goatmeat [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 899/81 [2], and in particular Article 5 (2) and (8) thereof,

Whereas Article 5 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80 provides for the granting of a premium to sheepmeat producers; whereas the estimated level of the said premium must be calculated at the beginning of the marketing year on the basis of the foreseeable loss of income;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2643/80 [3], the total amount of the premium is to be calculated by using as a reference point gross domestic production of sheepmeat recorded for the year prior to the current year for each region in question;

Whereas the method of calculation laid down in Article 5 (2) and (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80 shows that some regions have suffered a loss of income; whereas, accordingly, the estimated amount of the premium for those regions must be fixed;

Whereas, however, in respect of region 4 and pursuant to Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2643/80, there should be deducted from the estimated amount of the premium an amount of 1 073 000 ECU to represent the difference between the total amount of advances paid in that region for 1980/81 and the revised findings for loss of income in the said region for that marketing year;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Sheep and Goats,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The data concerning gross domestic production of sheepmeat in the period 1 January to 31 December 1980, determined pursuant to the provisions of Article 2 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2643/80, are given in Annex I hereto.

Article 2

1. A difference is hereby found between the reference price and the foreseeable market price during the 1981/82 marketing year only for the following regions:

Region	*Difference in ECU per 100 kilograms*
4	12·56
5	79·92

2. The total amount of loss of income referred to in the second subparagraph of Article 5 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1837/80 and obtained taking account of the provisions of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2643/80 is hereby determined as follows:

Region	*Total amount in ECU*
4	3 838 000
5	62 500 000

Article 3

The estimated amount of the premium payable per ewe and per Member State, obtained pursuant to the provisions of Article 1 (b) and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 2662/80, shall be as follows on the basis of the number of ewes given in Annex II hereto:

Member State	*Estimated amount of the premium payable per ewe in ECU*
Ireland	2·193
United Kingdom	4·540

Article 4

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

[1] OJ No L 183, 16. 7. 1980, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 90, 4. 4. 1981, p. 26.
[3] OJ No L 275, 18. 10. 1980, p. 6.

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

Done at Brussels, 26 August 1981.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

ANNEX I

Sheepmeat production in the Member States in 1980

Region	*Member State*		*Gross domestic production (tonnes)*
1	Italy		52 000
2	France		171 100
3			49 173
	of which : Denmark	800	
	Netherlands	24 600	
	Luxembourg	140	
	Belgium	4 176	
	Germany	19 457	
4	Ireland		39 100
5	United Kingdom		281 100
6	Greece		80 457

ANNEX II

Number of ewes recorded in the Member States to 31 December 1980

Region	*Member State*		*Number of ewes recorded (head)*
1	Italy		6 789 000
2	France		7 860 000
3			1 504 000
	of which : Denmark	47 000	
	Netherlands	590 000	
	Luxembourg	4 000	
	Belgium	60 000	
	Germany	803 000	
4	Ireland		1 750 000 (1)
5	United Kingdom		13 766 000
6	Greece		6 519 000

(1) Estimation.