COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 3659/81

of 15 December 1981

extending Regulation (EEC) No 1145/81 laying down general rules for the application of the minimum price for table wine

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 337/79 of 5 February 1979 on the common organization of the market in wine (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3577/81 (2), and in particular Article 15a (4),

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1145/81 (3) applies only until 15 December 1981 ; whereas an amendment of the Community provisions in respect of distillation is anticipated ; whereas it therefore seems appropriate in these circumstances to extend Regulation (EEC) No 1145/81 by one year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The date '15 December 1981' in the second paragraph of Article 22 of Regulation (EEC) No 1145/81 is hereby replaced by that of '15 December 1982'.

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 from 16 December 1981.

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

Done at Brussels, 15 December 1981.

For the Council

The President

P. WALKER

(1) OJ No L 54, 5. 3. 1979, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 359, 15. 12. 1981, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 120, 1. 5. 1981, p. 7.