COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 573/81

of 4 March 1981

amending for the fifth time Regulation (EEC) No 1517/77 fixing the list of the various groups of hop varieties cultivated in the Community

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1696/71 of 26 July 1971 on the common organization of the market in hops [1], as last amended by the Act of Accession of Greece [2], and in particular Article 12 (8) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1517/77 [3], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3479/80 [4], divides these varieties into the groups 'aromatic hops', 'bitter hops' and 'others' according to commercial practice in the Community and world hop markets on the basis of the final uses of the hops in brewing and by reference to common characteristics, with particular emphasis on the content of bitter and aromatic substances;

Whereas two new varieties have appeared on the Community market; whereas the knowledge at present available of their characteristics and of their use in brewing indicates that they should be classified in the third group 'others';

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 1517/77 is hereby replaced by the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall apply as from the 1981 harvest.

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

Done at Brussels, 4 March 1981.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 175, 4. 8. 1971, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 291, 19. 11. 1979, p. 17.
[3] OJ No L 169, 7. 7. 1977, p. 13.
[4] OJ No L 363, 31. 12. 1980, p. 83.

ANNEX

A.	B.	C.
First group : aromatic hops	Second group : bitter hops	Third group : others
Bramling Cross	Brewers Gold	Kent
Challenger	Bullion	Record
Fuggles	Keyworth's Midseason	Triploid
Goldings	Northdown	Viking
Hallertauer	Northern Brewer	Yeoman
Hersbrücker Spät	Target	Zenith
Hüller		
Perle		
Progress		
Saaz		
Saxon		
Spalter		
Star		
Strisselspalt		
Sunshine		
Tardif de Bourgogne		
Tettnanger		
Tutsham		
W.G.V.		