COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 797/81

of 27 March 1981

adopting exceptional support measures for the market in pigmeat

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in pigmeat (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2966/80 (2), and in particular Article 20 thereof,

Whereas, because of the health situation in the breeding sector in one region of production in France, the passage of live pigs and pigmeat from this region is temporarily prohibited;

Whereas, in order to take account of the limitations to free circulation resulting from the situation, exceptional measures to support the market in that specific region must be taken;

Whereas it is therefore appropriate to fix private storage aid for certain sensitive products in accordance with the detailed implementing rules for the granting of private storage aid in the pigmeat sector adopted by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1092/80 (3);

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. From 30 March until 1 May 1981 the French intervention agency shall grant private storage aid in the pigmeat sector in accordance with the detailed rules laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 1092/80 and in this Regulation.

Only products coming from the regions concerned by the sanitary measures resulting from the appearance of foot-and-mouth disease and described as a prohibited zone in the order of the Prefect of the Department Côtes du Nord of 17 March 1981, may benefit from such aid.

The list of products which qualify for aid and the relevant amounts are set out in the Annex hereto.

2. If the period of storage is extended or curtailed, the amount of aid shall be adjusted accordingly. The amounts of the supplements per month and the deductions per day are set out in columns 6 and 7 of the Annex.

Article 2

The minimum quantities per contract and per product shall be as follows:

(a) 50 tonnes for carcases and half carcases;

(b) 20 tonnes for hams, shoulders, loins and bellies (streaky).

Article 3

Placing of the products in storage shall be completed within 30 days following conclusion of the contract.

Article 4

The security shall be 20 % of the amounts of aid set out in the Annex.

Article 5

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

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

Done at Brussels, 27 March 1981.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 307, 18. 11. 1980, p. 5.
(3) OJ No L 114, 3. 5. 1980, p. 22.

ANNEX

(ECU/tonne)

CCT heading No	Products in respect of which aid is granted	Amount of the aid for a period of storage of			Amount	
		4 months	5 months	6 months	Supplement per month	Deduction per day
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
ex 02.01 A III a) 1	Carcases or half carcases without the head, chaps, neck, flare fat, kidneys, forefeet, tail, precrural flank and spinal cord, fresh or chilled	240	264	288	24	0·80
ex 02.01 A III a) 2	Unboned hams with or without rind and fat, fresh or chilled	280	310	340	30	1·00
ex 02.01 A III a) 3	Unboned shoulders (fores) with or without rind and fat, fresh or chilled	280	310	340	30	1·00
ex 02.01 A III a) 4	Unboned loins, fresh or chilled	280	310	340	30	1·00
ex 02.01 A III a) 5	Bellies (streaky) with or without rind and ribs, fresh or chilled	140	160	180	20	0·67

N.B. Loins falling within subheading ex 02.01 A III a) 4 may be with or without rind. The adherent layer of fat, however, not exceeding 25 mm in thickness, includes the rind.