COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 856/81

of 1 April 1981

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1080/77 on the supply of milk and certain milk products at reduced prices to schoolchildren

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products [1], as last amended by the 1979 Act of Accession, and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 26 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1080/77 [2], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1637/79 [3], provides for a Community contribution to the cost of Member States' programmes for the supply of milk and certain milk products at reduced prices to schoolchildren ;

Whereas in order to encourage consumption of milk and milk products in schools, it is advisable to bring about a further reduction in prices by adjusting the said Community contribution to the target price for milk for the milk year in question ;

Whereas it is also appropriate to extend the minimum period for which Article 1 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1080/77 guarantees the continuation of the Community contribution towards financing the programmes in question,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 1080/77 is hereby amended as follows :

1. in Article 1 (1), the expression '1977/78 milk year' is replaced by the expression '1981/82 milk year' ;

2. in Article 1, paragraph 2 is replaced by the following :

'2. In the case of whole milk, this Community contribution shall be equal to the target price of the milk applicable to the milk year in question.'

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 April 1981.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 April 1981.

For the Council

The President

G. BRAKS

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(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.
(2) OJ No L 131, 26. 5. 1977, p. 8.
(3) OJ No L 192, 31. 7. 1979, p. 1