COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 3431/82

of 17 December 1982

extending Regulation (EEC) No 1193/81 fixing, in respect of the 1980 crop, export refunds for raw tobacco

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 727/70 of 21 April 1970 on the common organization of the market in raw tobacco [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1461/82 [2], and in particular the first sentence of the third subparagraph of Article 9 (2) thereof,

Whereas export refunds were fixed in respect of certain varieties of tobacco from the 1980 crop by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1193/81 of 30 April 1981 [3], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1687/82 [4];

Whereas the final date for granting those refunds was set at 30 December 1982; whereas, in respect of certain varieties of that tobacco, export possibilities after that date have presented themselves; whereas it is advisable to grant refunds for these varieties until 30 June 1983, in order to enable those exports to be carried out;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The date '31 December 1982' appearing in Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 1193/81 is hereby replaced by '30 June 1983'.

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 1 January 1983.

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

Done at Brussels, 17 December 1983.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 94, 28. 4. 1970, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 164, 14. 6. 1982, p. 27.
[3] OJ No L 121, 5. 5. 1981, p. 25.
[4] OJ No L 186, 30. 6. 1982, p. 29.