COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 437/82

of 25 February 1982

determining the extent to which applications lodged during the month of February 1982 for the issue of import licences in respect of frozen beef intended for processing may be accepted

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal [1], as last amended by the Act of Accession of Greece, and in particular Article 14 (4) (a) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 252/82 [2] fixed the quantity of frozen beef intended for processing which may be imported under special terms in the first quarter of 1982;

Whereas Article 15 (6) (a) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2377/80 [3], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3676/81 [4], lays down that the quantities applied for may be reduced; whereas the applications lodged, in conformity with the conditions of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1136/79 [5], as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3584/81 [6], relate to total quantities which far exceed the quantities available in accordance with the first indent of Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 252/82; whereas, under these circumstances and taking care to ensure an equitable distribution of the available quantities, it is appropriate, for the system referred to in Article 14 (1) (a) and (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 805/68, to reduce proportionally the quantities applied for;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. Every application for an import licence lodged in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 1136/79 for the quarter beginning 1 January 1982 shall be granted to the following extent expressed as bone-in beef:

(a) 12·150 % of the quantity requested for beef imports intended for the manufacture of 'preserves' as defined by Article 2 (5) of Regulation (EEC) No 1136/79;

(b) 49·355 % of the quantity requested for beef imports intended for the manufacture of 'preserves' as defined by Article 2 (6) of Regulation (EEC) No 1136/79.

2. In conformity with Article 15 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 2377/80, all applications from any one applicant shall be regarded as a single application.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 March 1982.

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

Done at Brussels, 25 February 1982.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.
(2) OJ No L 26, 3. 2. 1982, p. 11.
(3) OJ No L 241, 13. 9. 1980, p. 5.
(4) OJ No L 367, 23. 12. 1981, p. 11.
(5) OJ No L 141, 9. 6. 1979, p. 10.
(6) OJ No L 359, 15. 12. 1981, p. 16.