COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 637/83

of 18 March 1983

on the issue of import licences for high quality fresh, chilled or frozen beef and veal

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 217/81 of 20 January 1981 opening a Community tariff quota for high quality fresh, chilled or frozen beef and veal falling within subheading 02.01 A II a) and 02.01 A II b) of the Common Customs Tariff (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3340/82 (2), and in particular Article 2 thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 263/81 of 21 January 1981 laying down detailed rules for the application of import arrangements provided for by Regulations (EEC) No 217/81 and (EEC) No 218/81 in the beef and veal sector (3) provides in Article 7, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3578/82 (4), that applications for and the issue of import licences for the meat referred to in Article 1 (1) (d) thereof are to be effected in accordance with the provisions of Articles 12 and 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 2377/80 on special detailed rules for the application of the system of import and export licences in the beef and veal sector (5), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3578/82 ;

Whereas Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 263/81 fixes the amount of high quality fresh, chilled or frozen beef and veal originating in and imported from the United States of America and Canada which may be imported on special terms in 1983 at 10 000 tonnes ;

Whereas the applications received by the beginning of March 1983 cover quantities less than the quota available ; whereas, therefore, these applications can be met in full,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

All applications for import licences in respect of March 1983 for high quality fresh, chilled or frozen beef and veal, as referred to in Article 1 (1) (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 263/81, are hereby met in full.

Article 2

Applications for licences in respect of the meat referred to in Article 1 may be entered in accordance with Articles 12 and 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 2377/80 during the first 10 days of April 1983, the total quantity available being 9 061 tonnes.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 19 March 1983.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 March 1983.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 38, 11. 2. 1981, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 353, 15. 12. 1982, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 27, 31. 1. 1981, p. 52.
(4) OJ No L 373, 31. 12. 1982, p. 59.
(5) OJ No L 241, 13. 9. 1980, p. 5.