COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 24/84

of 4 January 1984

fixing export refunds for raw tobacco in respect of the 1983 crop

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, by virtue of Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 727/70, the difference between the world market prices of the products referred to in Article 1 of that Regulation and their prices within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas, pursuant to Council Regulation (EEC) No 326/71 of 15 February 1971 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on raw tobacco and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds (3), the granting of export refunds is to be limited to baled tobacco produced from leaf tobacco harvested in the Community; whereas the refunds must be fixed for each variety produced in the Community in the light of the factors indicated in Article 2 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 326/71;

Whereas the outlets for some varieties are very limited or entail very high transport costs; whereas, also, some exporting third countries' prices have a marked impact on the competitive position of Community tobacco; whereas, under Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 326/71, this situation constitutes one of the exceptional cases referred to in the second subparagraph of Article 9 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 727/70 which allows a refund to be fixed outside the limits laid down therein for the varieties in question;

Whereas, applying the abovementioned rules and criteria to existing conditions on the market in tobacco, and in particular to prices in the Community and on the world market, it follows that the amount of the refund and the products and countries in respect of which it should apply should be as specified in the Annex hereto;

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 list of varieties of baled tobacco from the 1983 crop in respect of which the export refund provided for in Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 727/70 shall be granted, and the amount of such refund and the third countries of destination for which it shall apply, shall be as shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

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

It shall apply until 31 December 1984.

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

Done at Brussels, 4 January 1984.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 94, 28. 4. 1970, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 164, 14. 6. 1982, p. 27.
(3) OJ No L 39, 17. 2. 1971, p. 1.

ANNEX

Serial No	Varieties	Amount of refund (ECU/kg)	Countries of destination
1	Badischer Geudertheimer	0,34	to all third countries
2	Badischer Burley E	0,34	
4	(a) Paraguay	0,34	
	(b) Dragon vert and hybrids thereof, Philippin, Petit Grammont (Flobecq), Semois, Appelterre	0,34	
7	Bright	0,30	to all third countries with the exception of the USA and Canada
8	Burley I	0,30	
9	Maryland	0,30	
10	Kentucky	0,44	
11	(a) Forchheimer Havanna II c)	0,34	to all third countries
16	(a) Round Tip (b) Scafati (c) Sumatra I	0,72	to all third countries with the exception of the USA and Canada
17	Basmas	0,34	to all third countries with the exception of Turkey and Yugoslavia
18	Katerini and similar varieties	0,34	
19	(a) Kaba Koulak classic (b) Elassona	0,34	
20	(a) Kaba Koulak non-classic (b) Elassona, Myrodata Smyrne, Trapezous, and Phi 1	0,44	
21	Myrodata Agrinion	0,44	
22	Zichnomyrodata	0,34	
23	Tsebelia	0,44	
24	Mavra	0,44	
25	Burley GR	0,30	to all third countries with the exception of the USA and Canada
26	Virginia GR	0,30	