COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 3422/84

of 3 December 1984

on the supply of maize to the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) as food aid

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1018/84 (2),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2750/75 of 29 October 1975 fixing criteria for the mobilization of cereals intended as food aid (3), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3331/82 (4), and in particular Article 6 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1278/84 of 7 May 1984 laying down the implementing rules for 1984 for Regulation (EEC) No 3331/82 concerning food-aid policy and food-aid management (5),

Having regard to Council Regulation No 129 of 23 October 1962 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy (6), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2543/73 (7), and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas on 30 May 1984 the Commission of the European Communities decided to grant, under Community measures, various quantities of cereals to certain non-member countries and beneficiary organizations;

Whereas it is necessary to provide for the carrying out of this measure in accordance with the rules laid down by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1974/80 of 22 July 1980 laying down general implementing rules in respect of certain food-aid operations involving cereals and rice (8), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3323/81 (9); whereas it is necessary to specify, for the purposes of the Community measures envisaged, the characteristics of the products to be supplied and the supply conditions;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The intervention agency specified in the Annex hereto shall implement the mobilization and supply procedures in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 1974/80 and with the conditions laid down in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

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

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

Done at Brussels, 3 December 1984.

For the Commission

Poul DALSAGER

Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 89.
(4) OJ No L 352, 14. 12. 1982, p. 1.
(5) OJ No L 124, 11. 5. 1984, p. 1.
(6) OJ No 106, 30. 10. 1962, p. 2553/62.
(7) OJ No L 263, 19. 9. 1973, p. 1.
(8) OJ No L 192, 26. 7. 1980, p. 11.
(9) OJ No L 334, 21. 11. 1981, p. 27.

ANNEX

1. **Programme :** 1984
2. **Recipient :** UNHCR
3. **Place or country of destination :** Honduras
4. **Product to be mobilized :** maize
5. **Total quantity :** 200 tonnes
6. **Number of lots :** one
7. **Intervention agency responsible for conducting the procedure :**

   Office national interprofessionnel des céréales (ONIC), 21, avenue Bosquet, F-Paris 7e (telex OFIBLE 200490 F)
8. **Method of mobilizing the product :** the Community market
9. **Characteristics of the goods :**

   (a) maize for human consumption, of sound merchantable quality, free of odour and pests

   (b) moisture content : 15 %

   (c) total percentage of matter other than basic cereals of unimpaired quality : 5 %, of which :
   - — percentage of broken grains : 2 % ('broken grains' means pieces of grain or grains which pass through a sieve with a circular mesh 4,5 mm in diameter)
   - — percentage of grain impurities : 2 % ('grain impurities' means grains of other cereals, grains damaged by pests and grains of abnormal coloration, the latter being grains which have acquired through heating a darkish brown colour on a fairly substantial part of the tegument and of the kernel and are not damaged grains)
   - — percentage of sprouted grains : 0,5 %
   - — percentage of miscellaneous impurities : 0,5 % ('miscellaneous impurities' consist of weed seeds, damaged grains, extraneous matter, husks, dead insects and fragments of insects)
10. **Packaging :**
    - — in new bags :
      - — jute sacks of a minimum weight of 600 g, or
      - — polypropylene sacks of a minimum weight of 120 g
    - — net weight of the bags : 50 kg
    - — marking on the bags, in letters at least 5 cm high :

      'MAIZE / DONACIÓN DE LA COMUNIDAD ECONÓMICA EUROPEA / PARA DISTRIBUCIÓN GRATUITA / ALTO COMISARIO DE LAS NACIÓNES UNIDAS PARA REFUGIADOS / PUERTO CORTES'
11. **Port of shipment :** a Community port
12. **Delivery stage :** cif
13. **Port of landing :** Puerto Cortes
14. **Procedure to be applied in order to determine supply costs :** tendering
15. **Deadline for the submission of tenders :** 12 noon on 18 December 1984
16. **Shipment period :** 1 to 31 January 1985
17. **Security :** 6 ECU per tonne

Notes :

1. The successful tenderer shall forward, through the intermediary of the intervention agency, to the recipient on the latter's request and in accordance with his instructions the documents necessary for importation of the goods into the country of destination.
2. Since the goods may be rebagged, the successful tenderer must provide 2 % of empty bags of the same quality as those containing the goods, with the marking followed by a capital 'R'.