COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2931/87

of 30 September 1987

amending Regulation (EEC) No 2213/76 on the sale of skimmed-milk powder from public storage

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 773/87 [2], and in particular Article 7 (5) thereof,

Whereas it is specified at point (a) of Article 2 (1) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2213/76 [3], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 349/87 [4], that the skimmed-milk powder is to be sold at a price equal to the purchase price applied by the intervention agency at the time of conclusion of the sales contract plus 1 ECU per 100 kilograms; whereas the market situation for skimmed-milk powder is such that a reduction of 1 ECU per 100 kilograms in required in the sale price;

Whereas for certain uses skimmed-milk powder must meet specific quality requirements; whereas in order to enable purchasers to check the quality of the powder it should be made possible for samples taken from the powder to be analysed before conclusion of a sales contract;

Whereas the Management Committee for Milk and Milk Products has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 2213/76 is hereby amended as follows:

1. In paragraph 1 (a), 'plus 1 ECU per 100 kilograms' is deleted.

2. The following paragraph is added:

'3. The intervention agency shall make whatever arrangements are necessary to enable interested parties to examine at their cost before conclusion of the sales contract samples taken from the skimmed-milk powder put up for sale.'

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of 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, 30 September 1987.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESSEN

Vice-President

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[1] OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.
[2] OJ No L 78, 20. 3. 1987, p. 1.
[3] OJ No L 249, 11. 9. 1976, p. 6.
[4] OJ No L 34, 5. 2. 1987, p. 34.