COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 122/88

of 18 January 1988

fixing the sluice-gate prices and levies for pigmeat

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in pigmeat (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3906/87 (2), and in particular Articles 8 and 12 (1) thereof,

Whereas sluice-gate prices and levies for the products specified in Article 1 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75, must be fixed in advance for each quarter in accordance with the methods of calculation laid down in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2083/87 of 15 July 1987 fixing the levies and sluice-gate prices on pigmeat (3);

Whereas, since sluice-gate prices and levies for pigmeat were last fixed by Commission Regulations (EEC) No 3225/87 (4) and (EEC) No 3965/87 (5) for the period 1 November 1987 to 31 January 1988, they must be fixed anew for the period 1 February to 30 April 1988; whereas such prices and levies should in principle be fixed by reference to feed grain prices for the period 1 August to 31 December 1987;

Whereas, when the sluice-gate price applicable from 1 November, 1 February and 1 May is being fixed, trends in world market prices for feed grain are to be taken into account only if the value of the quantity of feed grain required varies by at least a specified minimum in relation to that used in calculating the sluice-gate price for the preceding quarter; whereas this minimum was fixed by Council Regulation (EEC) No 2766/75 (6), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3906/87, at 3 %;

Whereas the value of the quantity of feed grain varies by less than 3 % from that used for the preceding quarter; whereas prices for feed grain must therefore remain unchanged until 30 April 1988;

Whereas, when the levies applicable from 1 November, 1 February and 1 May are being fixed, trends in world market prices for feed grain should be taken into account only if at the same time a new sluice-gate price is being fixed;

Whereas, since a new sluice-gate price has not been fixed the levies must remain unchanged until 30 April 1988;

Whereas, in the case of pigment products, in respect of which the rate of duty has been bound within GATT, the levies should be limited to the amounts resulting from that binding;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 616/86 of 28 February 1986 on the application of import levies on pigmeat products from Portugal (7) suspended the application of import levies on pigmeat products from Portugal owing to the minimal difference between the prices obtaining in the Community on the one hand and in Portugal on the other hand; whereas the situation still pertains;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 (8) introduced from 1 January 1988 a new 'combined nomenclature' meeting the requirements of both the Common Customs Tariff and the Community's statistics of foreign trade and replacing the previous nomenclature;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. For the period 1 February to 30 April 1988, the sluice-gate prices and the levies provided for in Articles 8 and 12 respectively of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 for the products specified in Article 1 (1) of that Regulation shall be as shown in Regulation (EEC) No 3965/87.

2. Provided that, in the case of products falling within any of subheadings 0206 30 21, 0206 30 31, 0206 41 91, 0206 49 91, 1501 00 11, 1601 00 10, 1602 10 00,

(1) OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1987, p. 11.
(3) OJ No L 195, 16. 7. 1987, p. 15.
(4) OJ No L 307, 29. 10. 1987, p. 27.
(5) OJ No L 371, 30. 12. 1987, p. 51.
(6) OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 25.
(7) OJ No L 58, 1. 3. 1986, p. 45.
(8) OJ No L 256, 7. 9. 1987, p. 1.

1602 20 90 or 1602 90 10, in respect of which the rate of duty has been bound within GATT, the levy shall not exceed the amount resulting from that binding.

3. For imports from Portugal of products specified in paragraph 1 and in free circulation in that Member State, application of the levies specified in paragraphs 1 and 2 shall be suspended.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 February 1988.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 January 1988.

For the Commission

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Vice-President

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 18 January 1988 fixing the sluice-gate prices and levies on pigmeat

CN code	Sluice-gate price (ECU/100 kg)	Amount of levies (ECU/100 kg)	Conventional rate of duty bound within GATT (%)
0103 91 10	65,30	61,78	—
0103 92 11	55,54	52,54	—
0103 92 19	65,30	61,78	—
0203 11 10	84,92	80,34	—
0203 12 11	123,13	116,49	—
0203 12 19	95,11	89,98	—
0203 19 11	95,11	89,98	—
0203 19 13	137,57	130,15	—
0203 19 15	73,88	69,90	—
0203 19 55	137,57	130,15	—
0203 19 59	137,57	130,15	—
0203 21 10	84,92	80,34	—
0203 22 11	123,13	116,49	—
0203 22 19	95,11	89,98	—
0203 29 11	95,11	89,98	—
0203 29 13	137,57	130,15	—
0203 29 15	73,88	69,90	—
0203 29 55	137,57	130,15	—
0203 29 59	137,57	130,15	—
0206 30 21	102,75	97,21	7
0206 30 31	74,73	70,70	4
0206 41 91	102,75	97,21	7
0206 49 91	74,73	70,70	4
0209 00 11	33,97	32,14	—
0209 00 19	37,36	35,35	—
0209 00 30	20,38	19,28	—
0210 11 11	123,13	116,49	—
0210 11 19	95,11	89,98	—
0210 11 31	239,47	226,56	—
0210 11 39	188,52	178,36	—
0210 12 11	73,88	69,90	—
0210 12 19	123,13	116,49	—
0210 19 10	108,70	102,84	—
0210 19 20	118,89	112,48	—
0210 19 30	95,11	89,98	—
0210 19 40	137,57	130,15	—
0210 19 51	137,57	130,15	—
0210 19 59	137,57	130,15	—
0210 19 60	188,52	178,36	—
0210 19 70	236,93	224,15	—
0210 19 81	239,47	226,56	—
0210 19 89	239,47	226,56	—
0210 90 31	102,75	97,21	—
0210 90 39	74,73	70,70	—
1501 00 11	27,17	25,71	3
1501 00 19	27,17	25,71	—
1601 00 10	118,89	128,98	24
1601 00 91	199,56	218,92	—

CN code	Sluice-gate price (ECU/100 kg)	Amount of levies (ECU/100 kg)	Conventional rate of duty bound within GATT (%)
1601 00 99	135,87	145,06	—
1602 10 00	95,11	110,77	26
1602 20 90	110,40	155,45	25
1602 41 10	208,05	224,05	—
1602 42 10	174,09	184,74	—
1602 49 11	208,05	224,05	—
1602 49 13	174,09	184,74	—
1602 49 15	174,09	184,74	—
1602 49 19	114,64	122,59	—
1602 49 30	95,11	110,77	—
1602 49 50	56,90	78,23	—
1602 90 10	110,40	155,45	26
1602 90 51	114,64	122,59	—
1902 20 30	56,90	78,23	—