COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 702/88

of 17 March 1988

amending Regulation (EEC) No 327/88 authorizing additional distillation to that referred to in Article 41 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 for the 1987/88 wine year

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 of 16 March 1987 on the common organization of the market in wine (1), as last amended by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3992/87 (2), and in particular Article 41 (10) thereof,

Whereas certain provisions of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 327/88 (3) contain certain inaccuracies, in particular in the definition of the prices and aids and in the description of wines in close economic relationship with certain types of table wine ; whereas those provisions should be reformulated to make interpretation easier ;

Whereas the measure provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the oponion of the Management Committee for Wine,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 327/88 is hereby amended as follows :

1. In Article 5 (1), the introductory phrase is replaced by the following :

'Without prejudice to the application of Article 44 of Regulation (EEC) No 822/87, the purchase price for wine delivered for distillation as provided for in Article 1 shall be :'

2. In Article 5 (2), the introductory phrase is replaced by the following :

'For the product to be distilled, the intervention agency shall pay aid as follows :'

3. The first and second indents of the second subparagraph of Article 6 (2) are replaced by the following :

'— A I, those white table wines not belonging to types A I, A II or A III,

— R I, those red table wines with an actual alcoholic strength of less than 12,5 % vol and not belonging to types R I or R III.'

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third 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, 17 March 1988.

For the Commission

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(1) OJ No L 84, 27. 3. 1987, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 377, 31. 12. 1987, p. 20.
(3) OJ No L 32, 4. 2. 1988, p. 18.