COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2992/91

of 14 October 1991

on the supply of various consignments of cereals 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 3972/86 of 22 December 1986 on food-aid policy and food-aid management (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1930/90 (2), and in particular Article 6 (1) (c) thereof,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1420/87 of 21 May 1987 laying down implementing rules for Regulation (EEC) No 3972/86 on food-aid policy and food-aid management (3) lays down the list of countries and organizations eligible for food-aid operations and specifies the general criteria on the transport of food aid beyond the fob stage;

Whereas following the taking of a number of decisions on the allocation of food aid the Commission has allocated to certain countries and beneficiary organizations 5 000 tonnes of cereals;

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 2200/87 of 8 July 1987 laying down general rules for the mobilization in the Community of products to be supplied as Community food aid (4), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 790/91 (5); whereas it is necessary to specify the time limits and conditions of supply and the procedure to be followed to determine the resultant costs;

Whereas, notably for logistical reasons, certain supplies were not awarded within the first and second deadlines for submission of tenders; whereas, in order to avoid republication of the notice of invitation to tender, a third deadline for submission of tenders should be opened,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Cereals shall be mobilized in the Community, as Community food aid for supply to the recipients listed in the Annex, in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 2200/87 and under the conditions set out in the Annex. Supplies shall be awarded by the tendering procedure.

The successful tenderer is deemed to have noted and accepted all the general and specific conditions applicable. Any other condition or reservation included in his tender is deemed unwritten.

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, 14 October 1991.

For the Commission

Ray MAC SHARRY

Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 370, 30. 12. 1986, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 174, 7. 7. 1990, p. 6.
(3) OJ No L 136, 26. 5. 1987, p. 1.
(4) OJ No L 204, 25. 7. 1987, p. 1.
(5) OJ No L 81, 28. 3. 1991, p. 108.

ANNEX

1. **Operation No** (1): 702/91
2. **Programme**: 1991
3. **Recipient** (7): Niger
4. **Representative of the recipient** (2): Office des produits vivriers du Niger (OPVN), BP 474, Niamey; tel.: 73 53 31
5. **Place or country of destination**: Niger
6. **Product to be mobilized**: sorghum
7. **Characteristics and quality of the goods** (3): see list published in OJ No C 114, 29. 4. 1991, p. 1 (under II.A.I.e)
8. **Total quantity**: 5 000 tonnes
9. **Number of lots**: one
10. **Packaging and marking** (4): see list published in OJ No C 114, 29. 4. 1991, p. 1 (under II.A.2.C and II.A.3)

    — markings in French
11. **Method of mobilization**: the Community market
12. **Stage of supply**: free at destination
13. **Port of shipment**: —
14. **Port of landing specified by the recipient**: —
15. **Port of landing**: —
16. **Address of the warehouse and, if appropriate, port of landing**: Entrepôts OPVN, Niamey
17. **Period for making the goods available at the port of shipment where the supply is awarded at the port of shipment stage**: 15 — 30. 11. 1991
18. **Deadline for the supply**: 15. 1. 1992
19. **Procedure for determining the costs of supply**: tendering
20. **Date of expiry of the period allowed for submission of tenders**: 12 noon on 29. 10. 1991
21. A. **In the case of a second invitation to tender**:
    (a) deadline for the submission of tenders: 12 noon on 5. 11. 1991
    (b) period for making the goods available at the port of shipment where the supply is awarded at the port of shipment stage: 22. 11 — 6. 12. 1991
    (c) deadline for the supply: 22. 1. 1992

21. B. **In the case of a third invitation to tender**:
    (a) deadline for the submission of tenders: 12 noon on 12. 11. 1991
    (b) period for making the goods available at the port of shipment where the supply is awarded at the port of shipment stage: 29. 11 — 13. 12. 1991
    (c) deadline for the supply: 29. 1. 1992
22. **Amount of the tendering security**: ECU 5 per tonne
23. **Amount of the delivery security**: 10 % of the amount of the tender in ecus
24. **Address for submission of tenders** (5): Bureau de l'aide alimentaire, à l'attention de Monsieur N. Arend, bâtiment Loi 120, bureau 7/46, 200 rue de la Loi, B-1049 Bruxelles; telex 22037 AGREC B or 25670 AGREC B
25. **Refund payable on request by the successful tenderer** (6): refund applicable on 25. 10. 1991, fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2854/91 (OJ No L 272, 28. 9. 1991, p. 70)

Notes:

(1) The operation number is to be quoted in all correspondence.

(2) Commission delegate to be contacted by the successful tenderer:

— see list published in OJ No C 114, 29. 4. 1991, p. 33.

(3) The successful tenderer shall deliver to the beneficiaries a certificate from an official entity certifying that for the product to be delivered the standards applicable, relative to nuclear radiation, in the Member State concerned have not been exceeded.

The radioactivity certificate shall give the caesium-134 and -137 and iodine-131 levels.

(4) 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'.

(5) In order not to overload the telex, tenderers are requested to provide, before the date and time laid down in point 20 of this Annex, evidence that the tendering security referred to in Article 7 (4) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 2200/87 has been lodged, preferably:

— either by porter at the office referred to in point 24 of this Annex,

— or by telecopier on one of the following numbers in Brussels:

— 235 01 32,

— 236 10 97,

— 235 01 30,

— 236 20 05,

— 236 33 04.

(6) Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2330/87 (OJ No L 210, 1. 8. 1987, p. 56), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2226/89 (OJ No L 214, 24. 7. 1989, p. 10), is applicable as regards the export refunds and, where appropriate, the monetary and accession compensatory amounts, the representative rate and the monetary coefficient. The date referred to in Article 2 of the abovementioned Regulation is that referred to in point 25 of this Annex.

(7) Once the successful tenderer has been informed of the award of the contract, he shall immediately contact the beneficiary with a view to determining what documents are required for the consignment and their distribution.