COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 3370/91

of 19 November 1991

fixing the import levies on rice and broken rice

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 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1806/89 (2), and in particular Article 11 (2) thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 883/87 of 23 March 1987 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3877/86 on imports rice of the long-grain aromatic Basmati variety falling within CN codes 1006 10, 1006 20 and 1006 30 (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 674/91 (4), and in particular Article 8 thereof,

Whereas the import levies on rice and broken rice were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2590/91 (5), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3335/91 (6);

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, refunds should be calculated on the following basis:

— in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any moment within a band of 2,25 %, a rate of exchange based on their central rate multiplied by the correcting factor provided for in Article 6 (1) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1677/85 (7), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2205/90 (8),

— for the other currencies, an exchange rate based on an average of the ecu rates published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities,* C series, over a period to be determined, multiplied by the coefficient referred to in the preceding indent;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on 19 November 1991;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) and (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 20 November 1991.

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

Done at Brussels, 19 November 1991.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 177, 24. 6. 1989, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 80, 24. 3. 1987, p. 20.
(4) OJ No L 75, 21. 3. 1991, p. 29.
(5) OJ No L 243, 31. 8. 1991, p. 5.
(6) OJ No L 316, 16. 11. 1991, p. 17.
(7) OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 6.
(8) OJ No L 201, 31. 7. 1990, p. 9.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 19 November 1991 fixing the import levies on rice and broken rice

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CN code	Arrangement in Regulation (EEC) No 3877/86 (6)	ACP or OCT (1) (2) (3) (4) Bangladesh	Third countries (except ACP or OCT) (3)
1006 10 21	—	150,82	308,84
1006 10 23	215,72	140,21	287,62
1006 10 25	215,72	140,21	287,62
1006 10 27	215,72	140,21	287,62
1006 10 92	—	150,82	308,84
1006 10 94	215,72	140,21	287,62
1006 10 96	215,72	140,21	287,62
1006 10 98	215,72	140,21	287,62
1006 20 11	—	189,42	386,05
1006 20 13	269,65	176,16	359,53
1006 20 15	269,65	176,16	359,53
1006 20 17	269,65	176,16	359,53
1006 20 92	—	189,42	386,05
1006 20 94	269,65	176,16	359,53
1006 20 96	269,65	176,16	359,53
1006 20 98	269,65	176,16	359,53
1006 30 21	—	234,76	493,37 (5)
1006 30 23	433,55 (5)	277,15	578,07 (5)
1006 30 25	433,55 (5)	277,15	578,07 (5)
1006 30 27	433,55 (5)	277,15	578,07 (5)
1006 30 42	—	234,76	493,37 (5)
1006 30 44	433,55 (5)	277,15	578,07 (5)
1006 30 46	433,55 (5)	277,15	578,07 (5)
1006 30 48	433,55 (5)	277,15	578,07 (5)
1006 30 61	—	250,37	525,44 (5)
1006 30 63	464,77 (5)	297,49	619,69 (5)
1006 30 65	464,77 (5)	297,49	619,69 (5)
1006 30 67	464,77 (5)	297,49	619,69 (5)
1006 30 92	—	250,37	525,44 (5)
1006 30 94	464,77 (5)	297,49	619,69 (5)
1006 30 96	464,77 (5)	297,49	619,69 (5)
1006 30 98	464,77 (5)	297,49	619,69 (5)
1006 40 00	—	66,90	139,80

(1) Subject to the application of the provisions of Articles 12 and 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 715/90.

(2) In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 715/90, the levies are not applied to products originating in the African, Caribean and Pacific States or in the overseas countries and territories and imported directly into the overseas department of Réunion.

(3) The import levy on rice entering the overseas department of Réunion is specified in Article 11a of Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76.

(4) The levy on imports of rice, not including broken rice (CN code 1006 40 00), originating in Bangladesh is applicables under the arrangements laid down in Regulation (EEC) Nos 3491/90 and 862/91.

(5) The levy on imports into Portugal is increased by the amount specified in Article 2 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3808/90.

(6) The levy on imports of rice of the long-grain aromatic Basmati variety is applicable under the arrangements laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 3877/86, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3130/91.