COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 3523/91

of 3 December 1991

opening a standing invitation to tender for the export of 300 000 tonnes of barley held by the Spanish intervention agency

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3653/90 (2), and in particular Article 7 (6) thereof,

Whereas Article 3 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1581/86 of 23 May 1986 laying down general rules for intervention on the market in cereals (3), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2203/90 (4), provides that cereals held by the intervention agencies shall be disposed of by invitation to tender;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1836/82 (5), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3043/91 (6), lays down the procedure and conditions for the disposal of cereals held by intervention agencies;

Whereas on 27 November 1991 Spain notified the Commission that it wished to put up for sale for export to the Soviet Union 300 000 tonnes of barley held by its intervention agency; whereas it is possible to accede to that request;

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Spanish intervention agency may, on the conditions laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 1836/82, open a standing invitation to tender for the export of 300 000 tonnes of barley held by it.

Article 2

1. The invitation to tender shall cover a maximum of 300 000 tonnes of barley to be exported to the Soviet Union.

2. The regions in which the 300 000 tonnes of barley are stored are stated in Annex I to this Regulation.

Article 3

The export licences shall be valid from their date of issue, within the meaning of Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 1836/82, until the end of the third month following.

Tenders submitted in response to this invitation to tender may not be accompanied by applications for export certificates under Article 44 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3719/88 (7).

Article 4

1. Notwithstanding Article 7 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1836/82 the time limit for submission of tenders under the first partial invitation to tender shall expire on 11 December 1991 at 1 p.m. (Brussels time).

2. The time limit for submission of tenders under the subsequent partial invitations to tender shall expire each Wednesday at 1 p.m. (Brussels time).

3. The last partial invitation to tender shall expire on 26 February 1992.

4. The tenders shall be lodged with the Spanish intervention agency.

Article 5

The Spanish intervention agency shall notify the Commission of the tenders received not later than two hours after expiry of the time limit for the submission thereof. Notification shall be given as specified in the table in Annex II to this Regulation, to the telephone, telex or telefax numbers in Annex III.

Article 6

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities.*

(1) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 362, 27. 12. 1990, p. 28.
(3) OJ No L 139, 24. 5. 1986, p. 36.
(4) OJ No L 201, 31. 7. 1990, p. 5.
(5) OJ No L 202, 9. 7. 1982, p. 23.
(6) OJ No L 288, 18. 10. 1991, p. 21.
(7) OJ No L 331, 2. 12. 1988, p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 3 December 1991.

For the Commission
Ray MAC SHARRY
Member of the Commission

ANNEX I

(tonnes)

Place of storage	Quantity
Albacete	30 000
Burgos	97 570
Cuenca	30 000
Lérida	5 000
Palencia	74 860
Soria	46 410
Valladolid	10 050
Zaragoza	6 110

ANNEX II

Standing invitation to tender for the export of 300 000 tonnes of barley held by the Spanish intervention agency

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Tender No	Consignment No	Quantity (tonnes)	Offer price (ECU/tonne) (1)	Price increases (+) or reductions (—) (ECU/tonne) p.m.	Commercial costs (ECU/tonne)	Destination
1						
2						
3						
etc.						

(1) This price includes the increases or reductions relating to the lot to which the tender refers.

ANNEX III

The only numbers to use to call Brussels are [DG VI-C-1 (Attention : Messrs Thibault and Brus)] :

— telex : 22037 AGREC B
22070 AGREC B (Greek characters)

— telefax : — 235 01 32
— 236 10 97
— 236 20 05.