COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 3700/92
of 21 December 1992
suspending advance fixing of the import levy for certain cereals

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 1738/92 [2], and in particular the first subparagraph of Article 15 (7) thereof,

Whereas Article 15 (7) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 provides that the provisions concerning advance fixing of the levy may be suspended if the market situation shows that the application of these provisions is causing or is likely to cause difficulties;

Whereas there is a danger, given the irregular pattern of fixings at the end of the year and the uncertain trend of prices during that period, that if existing arrangements are adhered to, levies could be fixed in advance in the short term for quantities considerably in excess of the quantities which might be expected under more normal conditions;

Whereas the above situation requires that application of the provisions concerning advance fixing of levies for the products concerned be temporarily suspended;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3053/92 [3], as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3152/92 [4], suspends the advance fixing of the import levy on cereals including grain sorghum of CN code 1007 00 90;

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

Advance fixing of the import levy on the products referred to in Article 1 (a), (b), (c) and (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 is hereby suspended from 24 December 1992 until 7 January 1993, except in the case of imports of sorghum falling within CN code 1007 00 90 for which advance fixing of the import levy is hereby suspended by Regulation (EEC) No 3053/92, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3152/92.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 24 December 1992.

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

Done at Brussels, 21 December 1992.

For the Commission
Ray MAC SHARRY
Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 180, 1. 7. 1992, p. 1.
[3] OJ No L 307, 23. 10. 1992, p. 47.
[4] OJ No L 313, 30. 10. 1992, p. 58.