COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2877/93

of 20 October 1993

determining the extent to which applications lodged in October 1993 for import licences for fresh, chilled or frozen beef under the import arrangements provided for in the Interim Agreements concluded by the Community with the Republic of Poland, the Republic of Hungary and the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic (CSFR) can be accepted

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2697/93 of 30 September 1993 laying down detailed rules for the period 1 July 1993 to 30 June 1994 for the application of the import arrangements for fresh, chilled or frozen beef provided for in the Additional Protocols to the Interim Association Agreements between the Community and the Republic of Poland, the Republic of Hungary and the former Czech and Slovak Federal Republic [1], and in particular Article 3 (4) thereof,

Whereas declarations have been submitted by both the Czech Republic and the Slovak Republic informing the Communities that both the Czech Republic and the Slovak Republic continue to assume all the obligations deriving, *inter alia*, from the Interim Agreement between the Community and the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic upon the dissolution of the latter on 31 December 1992 and in consequence the tariff quotas provided in the Interim Agreement should be made available without distinction to products originating in the Czech Republic or in the Slovak Republic;

Whereas Article 1 (1) and (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2697/93 fixes the quantity of fresh, chilled and frozen beef originating in Poland, Hungary and the territory of the former CSFR which may be imported under special conditions in respect of the period 1 October to 31 December 1993; whereas the quantities covered by import licence applications are such that import licences may be granted for the full quantities applied for;

Whereas Article 1 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 2697/93 states that if during 1993 the quantities for which applications for import licences have been submitted for the first, second or third period specified in paragraph 2 of the Article are less than the quantities available, the remaining quantities are to be added to the quantities in respect of the second period, the quantities available for the four countries concerned for the third period running from 1 January to 31 March 1994 should accordingly be determined,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. Import licences shall be granted for the full quantities covered by applications submitted for the period 1 October to 31 December 1993 under the import arrangements referred to the Regulation (EEC) No 2697/93.

2. The quantities available for the period referred to in Article 1 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2697/93 running from 1 January to 31 March 1994 amount to:

— 3 150,0 tonnes for meat originating in Poland,

— 2 599,9 tonnes for meat originating in Hungary,

— 1 726,1 tonnes for meat originating in the territory of the former CSFR.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 25 October 1993.

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

Done at Brussels, 20 October 1993.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

[1] OJ No L 245, 1. 10. 1993, p. 75.