COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 3540/93

of 22 December 1993

fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1548/93 [2], and in particular Article 16 (8) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3813/92 of 28 December 1992 on the unit of account and the conversion rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy [3], and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1695/93 [4], as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 3487/93 [5];

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1695/93 to the information known to the Commission that the levies at present in force should be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto;

Whereas, in order to make it possible for the levy arrangements to function normally, the representative market rate established during the reference period from 21 December 1993, as regards floating currencies, should be used to calculate the levies,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies referred to in Article 16 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 shall be, in respect of white sugar and standard quality raw sugar, as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 23 December 1993.

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

Done at Brussels, 22 December 1993.

For the Commission

René STEICHEN

Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. 4.
[2] OJ No L 154, 25. 6. 1993, p. 10.
[3] OJ No L 387, 31. 12. 1992, p. 1.
[4] OJ No L 159, 1. 7. 1993, p. 40.
[5] OJ No L 317, 18. 12. 1993, p. 51.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 22 December 1993 fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

(ECU/100 kg)

CN code	Levy (3)
1701 11 10	34,57 (1)
1701 11 90	34,57 (1)
1701 12 10	34,57 (1)
1701 12 90	34,57 (1)
1701 91 00	42,62
1701 99 10	42,62
1701 99 90	42,62 (2)

(1) The levy applicable is calculated in accordance with the provisions of Article 2 or 3 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 837/68 (OJ No L 151, 30. 6. 1968, p. 42), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1428/78 (OJ No L 171, 28. 6. 1978, p. 34).

(2) In accordance with Article 16 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 this amount is also applicable to sugar obtained from white and raw sugar containing added substances other than flavouring or colouring matter.

(3) No import levy applies to OCT originating products according to Article 101 (1) of Decision 91/482/EEC.