COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 506/93
of 4 March 1993
fixing the export refunds on malt

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 fourth subparagraph of Article 16 (2) thereof,

Whereas Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 of those Regulations and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2746/75 of 29 October 1975 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on cereals and criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds (3) provides that when refunds are being fixed account must be taken of the existing situation and the future trend with regard to prices and availabilities of cereals on the Community market on the one hand and prices for cereals and cereal products on the world market on the other; whereas the same Article provides that it is also important to ensure equilibrium and the natural development of prices and trade on cereal markets and, furthermore, to take into account the economic aspect of the proposed exports, and the need to avoid disturbances on the Community market;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 of 29 October 1975 on the import and export system for products processed from cereals and from rice (4), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1906/87 (5), defines the specific criteria to be taken into account when the refund on these products is being calculated;

Whereas it follows from applying these detailed rules to the present situation on the market in products processed from cereals and rice that the export refund should be fixed at an amount which will cover the difference between Community prices and world market prices;

Whereas the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund for certain products according to destination;

Whereas the representative market rates defined in Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3813/92 (6) are used to convert amounts expressed in third country currencies and are used as the basis for determining the agricultural conversion rates of the Member States' currencies whereas detailed rules on the application and determination of these conversions were set by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3819/92 (7);

Whereas the refund must be fixed once a month; whereas it may be altered in the intervening period;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1432/92 (8), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3534/92 (9), prohibits trade between the Community and the Republics of Serbia and Montenegro; whereas this prohibition does not apply to certain situations as given in the limitative enumeration laid down in Articles 2 and 3; whereas this should be taken into account when refunds are fixed;

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 export refunds on malt listed in Article 1 (d) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 subject to Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75 shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 5 March 1993.

(1) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 180, 1. 7. 1992, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 78.
(4) OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.
(5) OJ No L 182, 3. 7. 1987, p. 49.
(6) OJ No L 387, 31. 12. 1992, p. 1.
(7) OJ No L 387, 31. 12. 1992, p. 17.
(8) OJ No L 151, 3. 6. 1992, p. 4.
(9) OJ No L 358, 8. 12. 1992, p. 16.

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

Done at Brussels, 4 March 1993.

For the Commission

René STEICHEN

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 4 March 1993 fixing the export refunds on malt

(ECU/tonne)

Product code	Refund
1107 10 19 000	65,00
1107 10 99 000	112,00
1107 20 00 000	130,00

NB: The product codes and the footnotes are defined in amended Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87.