COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 138/94

of 26 January 1994

amending Regulation (EC) No 3159/93 opening a standing invitation to tender for the resale on the internal market of maize and increasing to 250 000 tonnes the amount of maize held by the Italian intervention agency

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 of 30 June 1992 on the common organization of the market in cereals [1], as amended by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2193/93 [2], and in particular Article 5 thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2131/93 [3] lays down the procedures and conditions governing the offer for sale of cereals held by intervention agencies;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EC) No 3159/93 [4] opened a standing invitation to tender for the resale on the internal market of 150 000 tonnes of maize held by the Italian intervention agency;

Whereas in the present situation on the market the quantity of maize held by the Italian intervention agency put up for sale on the internal market of the Community should be increased to 250 000 tonnes;

Whereas the last partial invitation to tender under Regulation (EC) No 3159/93 should be postponed;

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

Regulation (EC) No 3159/93 is amended as follows:

1. in Article 1 'of 150 000 tonnes' is replaced by 'of 250 000 tonnes';
2. Article 2 (2) is replaced by the following:

'2. The final date for the submission of tenders for the last partial invitation to tender shall expire on 31 March 1994.'

Article 2

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

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

Done at Brussels, 26 January 1994.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 181, 1. 7. 1992, p. 21.
[2] OJ No L 196, 5. 8. 1993, p. 22.
[3] OJ No L 191, 31. 7. 1993, p. 76.
[4] OJ No L 283, 18. 11. 1993, p. 8.