COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) No 299/94

of 7 February 1994

establishing Community statistical surveillance for certain agricultural products originating in Cyprus, Egypt, Jordan, Israel, Tunisia, Syria, Malta, and Morocco which are subject to reference quantities (1994)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the Additional Protocols to the Cooperation Agreements between the European Community, of the one part, and Cyprus (1), Egypt (2), Jordan (3), Israel (4), Tunisia (5), Syria (6), Malta (7), and Morocco (8), of the other, have been concluded; whereas these Protocols provide for the progressive reduction, subject to reference quantities and to a statistical Community surveillance within a set timetable, of the customs duties applicable to certain agricultural products originating in those countries and covered by the respective Agreements;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 451/89 of 20 February 1989 concerning the procedure to be applied to certain agricultural products originating in various Mediterranean third countries (9) determined the surveillance procedure in question;

Whereas, by Council Regulation (EEC) No 1764/92 of 29 June 1992 amending the arrangements for the import into the Community of certain agricultural products originating in Algeria, Cyprus, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Malta, Morocco, Syria and Tunisia (10), the Community unilaterally increased the amount of these reference quantities in equal steps of 3 or 5 % per year starting on 1 January 1992; whereas for 1994 they have thus reached the levels shown in the Annex;

Whereas the Community should fulfil its international obligations by opening reference quantities and by establishing a system of statistical surveillance for products listed in the Annex, in oder to enable the competent departments of the Commission to establish an annual trade balance sheet for each of the products concerned and, if necessary, to put into application the arrangement provided for in Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 451/89;

Whereas imports of the products in question are charged against the reference quantities at Community level within pre-established timetables, as and when the products are entered with the customs authorities for free circulation; whereas, therefore, it is appropriate to establish, in 1994, reference quantities for the products listed in the Annex,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. Imports into the Community in 1994 of certain products originating in Cyprus, Egypt, Jordan, Israel, Tunisia, Syria, Malta, and Morocco shall be subject to reference quantities within the established timetables and to a statistical Community surveillance.

The description of the products referred to in the first subparagraph, their serial numbers, their CN codes, Taric codes and the quantities and timetable applying to the reference quantities are given in the table in the Annex.

2. Amounts shall be charged by Member States against the reference quantities as and when products are entered with customs authorities for free circulation, accompanied by a movement certificate conforming to the rules laid down in the Protocol concerning the definition of the concept of originating products annexed to each Cooperation Agreement between the European Community of the one part and the countries referred to in the first subparagraph of paragraph 1 of the other.

Where the movement certificate is produced at a later date, the amount shall be charged against the corresponding reference quantity at the date of acceptance of the declaration of release for free circulation.

The extent to which the reference quantities are used up shall be determined at Community level on the basis of the imports charged against them in the manner defined

(1) OJ No L 393, 31. 12. 1987, p. 2.
(2) OJ No L 297, 21. 10. 1987, p. 11.
(3) OJ No L 297, 21. 10. 1987, p. 19.
(4) OJ No L 327, 30. 11. 1988, p. 36.
(5) OJ No L 297, 21. 10. 1987, p. 36.
(6) OJ No L 327, 30. 11. 1988, p. 58.
(7) OJ No L 81, 23. 3. 1989, p. 1.
(8) OJ No L 224, 13. 8. 1988, p. 18.
(9) OJ No L 52, 24. 2. 1989, p. 7.
(10) OJ No L 181, 1. 7. 1992, p. 9.

in the first subparagraph, as communicated to the Statistical Office of the European Communities pursuant to Regulations (EEC) No 2658/87 [1] and (EEC) No 1736/75 [2].

Article 2

The Member States and the Commission shall cooperate closely to ensure that this Regulation is complied with.

Article 3

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

It shall apply with effect from 1 January 199.

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

Done at Brussels, 7 February 1994.

For the Council

The President

Th. PANGALOS

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[1] OJ No L 256, 7. 9. 1987, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 3080/93 (OJ No L 277, 10. 11. 1993, p. 1).

[2] OJ No L 183, 14. 7. 1975, p. 3. Regulation last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1629/88 (OJ No L 147, 14. 6. 1988, p. 1).

ANNEX

Serial No	CN code	Taric code	Description	Timetable	Origin	Reference quantity (tonnes)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
18.0010	ex 0701 90 51	0701 90 51*15	New potatoes	1. 1.–31. 3.	Tunisia	2 834
18.0015	0701 90 51 ex 0701 90 59	0701 90 59*10	New potatoes	1. 1.–15. 5. 16. 5.–31. 5.	Malta	3 270
18.0030	ex 0703 20 00	0703 20 00*40	Garlic	1. 2.–31. 5.	Egypt	1 840
18.0040	ex 0707 00 11	0707 00 11*12	Cucumbers of a length not exceeding 15 cm	1. 1.–28. 2. 1. 1.–28. 2. 1. 1.–28. 2.	Egypt Jordan Malta	115 115 57
18.0050	ex 0709 10 00	0709 10 00*30	Artichokes	1.10.–31.12. 1.10.–31.12.	Egypt Cyprus	115 115
18.0060	ex 0709 30 00	0709 30 00*20 0709 30 00*30	Aubergines (egg-plants)	15. 1.–30. 4.	Israel	1 380
18.0070	0709 60 10		Sweet peppers	1. 1.–31.12.	Morocco	1 150
18.0080	0712 20 00		Onions, dried	1. 1.–31.12.	Syria	809
18.0090	ex 0712 90 90	0712 90 90*20	Garlic, dried	1. 1.–31.12.	Egypt	1 150
18.0100	0713 10 10		Peas, for sowing	1. 1.–31.12.	Morocco	460
18.0120	0804 40 10 0804 40 90		Avocados	1. 1.–31.12.	Israel	35 650
18.0130	ex 0806 10 15	0806 10 15*55 0806 10 15*70 0806 10 15*80 0806 10 15*91	Fresh table grapes	1. 2.–30. 6.	Israel	2 185
18.0140	ex 0807 10 90	0807 10 90*13 0807 10 90*33	Melons of a weight not exceeding 600 grams	1. 1.–31. 3. 1. 1.–31. 3	Egypt Jordan	115 115
18.0150	ex 0810 90 10	0810 90 10*10	Kiwifruit *(Actinidia Chinensis Planch.)*	1. 1.–30. 4. 1. 1.–30. 4. 1. 1.–30. 4.	Israel Cyprus Morocco	230 230 230
18.0160	ex 0812 90 90	0812 90 90*11 0812 90 90*20	Citrus fruit comminuted	1. 1.–31.12.	Israel	1 265
18.0190	2008 30 51 2008 30 71		Grapefruit segments	1. 1.–31.12.	Israel	15 755
18.0200	2008 50 61 2008 50 69		Apricots	1. 1.–31.12.	Morocco	7 245
18.0210	ex 2008 30 79	2008 30 79*10 2008 30 79*20	Grapefruit Oranges and lemons comminuted	1. 1.–31.12.	Israel	2 300

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
18.0220	ex 2008 30 91	2008 30 91*11 2008 30 91*12 2008 30 91*13 2008 30 91*19 2008 30 91*91 2008 30 91*92	Grapefruit segments Grapefruit Pulp of citrus fruit Citrus fruit comminuted	1. 1.–31. 12.	Israel	3 335
18.0230	ex 2008 50 99 ex 2008 70 99	2008 50 99*10 2008 70 99*10	Apricots and peaches in halves (including nectarine halves)	1. 1.–31. 12.	Morocco	6 900
18.0240	2009 20 11 2009 20 19 2009 20 99		Grapefruit juice	1. 1.–31. 12.	Israel	33 005
18.0245	2009 20 99		Grapefruit juice	1. 1.–31. 12.	Morocco	920