COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) No 1540/95

of 29 June 1995

fixing the basic price, and the seasonal adjustments to the basic price, for sheepmeat for the 1996 marketing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3013/89 of 25 September 1989 on the common organization of the market in sheepmeat and goatmeat [1], and in particular Article 3 (1) and (2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission [2],

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament [3],

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee [4],

Whereas the basic price must be fixed in accordance with the criteria laid down in Article 3 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3013/89;

Whereas, when the basic price for sheep carcases is fixed, account should be taken of the objectives of the common agricultural policy; whereas the main objectives of the common agricultural policy are, in particular, to guarantee a fair standard of living for the farming community and to ensure that supplies are available and that they reach consumers at reasonable prices; whereas these factors result in the price for the 1996 marketing year being fixed at the level laid down in this Regulation;

Whereas the weekly seasonally adjusted amounts applicable to the basic price should be fixed in the light of experience gained during the 1991, 1992, 1993 and 1994 marketing years concerning private storage,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 1996 marketing year, the basic price for sheepmeat is hereby fixed at ECU 504,07 for 100 kilograms carcase weight.

Article 2

The basic price referred to in Article 1 is hereby seasonally adjusted in accordance with the table set out in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 3

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

It shall apply from the beginning of the 1996 marketing year.

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

Done at Luxembourg, 29 June 1996.

For the Council

The President

J. BARROT

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[1] OJ No L 289, 7. 10. 1989, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 3290/94 (OJ No L 349, 31. 12. 1994, p. 105).

[2] OJ No C 99, 21. 4. 1995, p. 26.

[3] OJ No L 151, 19. 6. 1995.

[4] OJ No C 155, 21. 6. 1995, p. 21.

ANNEX

1996 MARKETING YEAR

(ECU/100 kilograms carcase weight)

Week beginning	Week	Basic price
1 January 1996	1	515,06
8 January 1996	2	518,58
15 January 1996	3	522,67
22 January 1996	4	525,59
29 January 1996	5	528,51
5 February 1996	6	531,42
12 February 1996	7	534,35
19 February 1996	8	537,27
26 February 1996	9	539,61
4 March 1996	10	541,94
11 March 1996	11	543,11
18 March 1996	12	543,11
25 March 1996	13	541,94
1 April 1996	14	540,30
8 April 1996	15	538,09
15 April 1996	16	534,94
22 April 1996	17	532,60
29 April 1996	18	529,09
6 May 1996	19	525,59
13 May 1996	20	520,92
20 May 1996	21	515,08
27 May 1996	22	509,23
3 June 1996	23	502,24
10 June 1996	24	496,39
17 June 1996	25	491,72
24 June 1996	26	487,05
1 July 1996	27	483,55
8 July 1996	28	481,20
15 July 1996	29	480,03
22 July 1996	30	479,45
29 July 1996	31	478,84
5 August 1996	32	478,84
12 August 1996	33	478,84
19 August 1996	34	478,84
26 August 1996	35	478,84
2 September 1996	36	478,84
9 September 1996	37	478,84
16 September 1996	38	478,84
23 September 1996	39	478,87
30 September 1996	40	479,14
7 October 1996	41	479,38
14 October 1996	42	479,74
21 October 1996	43	479,86
28 October 1996	44	480,83
4 November 1996	45	481,80
11 November 1996	46	483,00
18 November 1996	47	484,81
25 November 1996	48	487,23
2 December 1996	49	490,49
9 December 1996	50	494,96
16 December 1996	51	499,06
23 December 1996	52	503,87
30 December 1996	53	511,54