COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 193/96

of 1 February 1996

amending Regulation (EEC) No 584/92 laying down detailed rules for the application to milk and milk products of the arrangements provided for in the Interim Agreements between the Community and the Republic of Poland, the Republic of Hungary and the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 3491/93 of 13 December 1993 on certain procedures for applying the Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Hungary, of the other part [1], and in particular Article 1 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 3492/94 of 13 December 1993 on certain procedures for applying the Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Poland, of the other part [2], and in particular Article 1 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 3296/94 of 19 December 1994 on certain procedures for applying the Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Czech Republic, of the other part [3], and in particular Article 1 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 3297/94 of 19 December 1994 on certain procedures for applying the Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Slovak Republic, of the other part [4], and in particular Article 1 thereof,

Whereas Regulation (EC) No 3066/95 of 22 December 1995 establishing certain concessions in the form of Community tariff quotas for certain agricultural products and providing for an autonomous and transitional adjustment to certain agricultural concessions provided for in the Europe Agreements so as to take account of the agreement on agriculture concluded as part of the Uruguay Round of multilateral trade negotiations [5], and in particular Article 8 thereof;

Whereas Council Regulation (EC) No 3066/95 provides for autonomous, transitional measures to adjust the agricultural concessions covered by the Europe Agreements concluded between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Poland, the Republic of Hungary, the Czech Republic and the Slovak Republic respectively, of the other part, from 1 January 1996 until the entry into force of the additional Protocols to the Europe Agreements that are to be concluded consequent to the negotiations now under way with the countries in question;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 584/92 [6], as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2931/95 [7] adopts the detailed rules for the application to milk and milk products of the arrangements provided for in the above Agreements; whereas this Regulation must be amended to implement the adjustments to milk products laid down in Regulation (EC) No 3066/95; whereas the references to butter in the combined nomenclature should be adjusted to take account of the amendments made to the Annexes to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 [8] by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2448/95 [9];

Whereas, because of the delay in adopting Regulation (EC) No 3066/95 it has not been possible to give effect to these adjustments for the first quarter of 1996; whereas the quantities involved are available for the second quarter;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Milk and Milk Products,

[1] OJ No L 319, 21. 12. 1993, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 319, 21. 12. 1993, p. 4.
[3] OJ No L 341, 30. 12. 1994, p. 14.
[4] OJ No L 341, 30. 12. 1994, p. 17.
[5] OJ No L 328, 30. 12. 1995, p. 31.
[6] OJ No L 62, 7. 3. 1992, p. 34.
[7] OJ No L 307, 20. 12. 1995, p. 10.
[8] OJ No L 256, 7. 9. 1987, p. 1.
[9] OJ No L 259, 30. 10. 1995, p. 1.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 584/92 is hereby amended as follows:

1. A new paragraph is added to Article 2, as follows:

'However, the entire quantity of the products listed in Annex I C2 shall be available in the period from 1 April to 30 June 1996.'

2. Annex I is replaced by Annex I to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following 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, 1 February 1996.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

ANNEX

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A. PRODUCTS ORIGINATING IN POLAND

Customs duty reduced by 80 %

(in tonnes)

CN code	Product	1 July 1993 to 30 June 1994	1 July 1994 to 30 June 1995	1 July 1995 to 30 June 1996
0402 10 19 0402 21 19 0402 21 99	Skimmed-milk powder Whole-milk powder Whole-milk powder	3 550	3 800	4 100
0405 10 11 0405 10 19	Butter	1 200	1 300	1 400
0406	Cheese	2 400	2 600	2 800

B. 1. PRODUCTS ORIGINATING IN THE CZECH REPUBLIC

Customs duty reduced by 80 %

(in tonnes)

CN code	Milk products	1 July 1993 to 30 June 1994	1 July 1994 to 30 June 1995	1 July 1995 to 30 June 1996
0402 10 19 0402 21 19 0402 21 91	Skimmed milk powder Whole milk powder Whole milk powder	1 980	2 110	2 240
0405 10 11 0405 10 19	Butter	780	840	910
ex 0406 40 ex 0406 90	Niva Moravsky blok, Primator, Otava, Javor, Uzeny block, Kashkaval Akawi, Istambul, Jadel Hermelin, Ostepek, Koliba, Inovec	600	650	700

B. 2. PRODUCTS ORIGINATING IN THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC

Customs duty reduced by 80 %

(in tonnes)

CN code	Milk products	1 July 1993 to 30 June 1994	1 July 1994 to 30 June 1995	1 July 1995 to 30 June 1996
0402 10 19 0402 21 19 0402 21 91	Skimmed milk powder Whole milk powder Whole milk powder	1 020	1 090	1 160
0405 10 11 0405 10 19	Butter	420	460	490
ex 0406 40 ex 0406 90	Niva Moravsky blok, Primator, Otava, Javor, Uzeny blok, Kashkaval Akawi, Istambul, Jadel Hermelin, Ostepek, Koliba, Inovec	600	650	700

C. PRODUCTS ORIGINATING IN HUNGARY

1. Customs duty reduced by 80 %

(in tonnes)

CN code	Product	1 July 1993 to 30 June 1994	1 July 1994 to 30 June 1995	1 July 1995 to 30 June 1996
ex 0406 90 86 ex 0406 90 87 ex 0406 90 88	Balaton, Cream-white, Hajdu, Marvany, Ovari, Bakony, Bacskai, Ban, Delicaci cheese "Moson", Delicaci cheese "Pelso", Goya, Ham-shaped, Karavan, Lajta, Parenyica, Sed, Tihany	1 200	1 300	1 400

2. Customs duty reduced by 80 %

(in tonnes)

CN code	Product	1 January 1996 to 30 June 1996
ex 0406 90 86 ex 0406 90 87 ex 0406 90 88	Balaton, Cream-white, Hajdu, Marvany, Ovari, Bakony, Bacskai, Ban, Delicaci cheese "Moson", Delicaci cheese "Pelso", Goya, Ham-shaped, Karavan, Lajta, Parenyica, Sed, Tihany	250'