COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 860/96

of 10 May 1996

amending Regulation (EC) No 1430/95 setting export refunds on products processed from fruit and vegetables other than those granted for added sugar

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 of 24 February 1986 on the common organization of the market in products processed fruit and vegetables [1], as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2314/95 [2], and in particular Articles 13 (8) and 14 (5) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EC) No 1430/95 [3], as amended by Regulation (EC) No 272/96 [4], fixes the quantities eligible for export licences, other than those applied for in the context of food aid;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EC) No 1429/95 of 23 June 1995 on implementing rules for export refunds on products processed from fruit and vegetables other than those granted for added sugars [5], as amended by Regulation (EC) No 341/96 [6], sets up the components for establishing the quantities on which export refunds may be paid; whereas, for reasons of transparency, the updated situation concerning those quantities should be brought to the attention of the operators;

Whereas, to ensure more dynamic exports of provisionally preserved cherries and preserved cherries, the refund rates for these products should be increased and the proposed quantities reduced as a consequence, within the budget limits originally laid down;

Whereas Council Regulation (EC) No 462/96 of 11 March 1996 suspending Regulations (EEC) No 990/93 and (EC) No 2471/94, and repealing Regulations (EC) No 2472/94 and (EC) No 2815/95, concerning the interruption of economic and financial relations with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro), the United Nations protected areas in the Republic of Croatia and those areas of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina under the control of Bosnian Serb forces [7], effectively suspends Regulation (EEC) No 990/93; whereas the reference to the latter Regulation in the footnotes to the Annex to Regulation (EC) No 1430/95 should therefore no longer stand;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Products Processed from Fruit and Vegetables,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Annex to Regultion (EC) No 1430/95 is hereby replaced by the Annex hereto.

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, 10 May 1996.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 49, 27. 2. 1986, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 233, 30. 9. 1995, p. 69.
[3] OJ No L 141, 24. 6. 1995, p. 32.
[4] OJ No L 36, 14. 2. 1996, p. 15.
[5] OJ No L 141, 24. 6. 1995, p. 28.
[6] OJ No L 48, 27. 2. 1996, p. 8.
[7] OJ No L 65, 15. 3. 1996, p. 1.

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Product (1)		Product code	Destination code (2)	Licence issuing period March to June 1996 Period for submission of applications: from 23 February to 21 June 1996 Refund rate (ECU/t net)		Quantities provided (in tonnes)
				Licences applied from 23. 2 to 14. 5. 1996	Licences applied from 15. 5 to 21. 6. 1996	
Provisionally preserved cherries		0812 10 00 100	A	62,4	95,0	2 373
Peeled tomatoes		2002 10 10 100	B	70,4	70,4	28 423,619
Preserved cherries		2006 00 31 000 2006 00 99 100	A	141,8	215,0	818
Prepared hazelnuts		2008 19 19 100 2008 19 99 100	C	102,3	102,3	2 962,527
Orange juice	With a sugar content of not less than 10° Brix, but less than 22° Brix	2009 11 99 110 2009 19 99 110	C	9,8	9,8	409,703
	With a sugar content of not less than 22° Brix, but less than 33° Brix	2009 11 99 120 2009 19 99 120	C	19,7	19,7	409,703
	With a sugar content of not less than 33° Brix, but less than 44° Brix	2009 11 99 130 2009 19 99 130	C	29,5	29,5	323,521
	With a sugar content of not less than 44°, but less than 55° Brix	2009 11 99 140 2009 19 99 140	C	39,4	39,4	1 229,379
	With a sugar content of not less than 55° Brix	2009 11 99 150 2009 19 99 150	C	49,3	49,3	5 194,821

(1) The full definitions of the eligible products are given in the 'processed fruit and vegetables' sector of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 (OJ No L 366, 24. 12. 1987, p. 1).

(2) The destinations codes are defined as follows:

A: All destinations except the countries of North America,

B: All destinations except the United States of America,

C: All destinations.'