COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 2419/97

of 5 December 1997

fixing the maximum subsidy on exports of husked long grain rice to Réunion pursuant to the invitation to tender referred to in Regulation (EC) No 2094/97

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 3072/95 of 22 December 1995 on the common organization of the market in rice [1], and in particular Article 10 (1) thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2692/89 of 6 September 1989 laying down detailed rules for exports of rice to Réunion [2], and in particular Article 9 (1) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EC) No 2094/97 [3] opens an invitation to tender for the subsidy on rice exported to Réunion;

Whereas Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 2692/89 allows the Commission to fix, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 3072/95 and on the basis of the tenders submitted, a maximum subsidy;

Whereas the criteria laid down in Articles 2 and 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 2692/89 should be taken into account when fixing this maximum subsidy; whereas successful tenderers shall be those whose bids are at or below the level of the maximum subsidy;

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

A maximum subsidy on exports to Réunion of husked long grain rice falling within CN code 1006 20 98 is hereby set on the basis of the tenders lodged from 1 to 4 December 1997 at ECU 320 per tonne pursuant to the invitation to tender referred to in Regulation (EC) No 2094/97.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 6 December 1997.

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

Done at Brussels, 5 December 1997.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ L 329, 30. 12. 1995, p. 18.
[2] OJ L 261, 7. 9. 1989, p. 8.
[3] OJ L 292, 25. 10. 1997, p. 14.