COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 170/2000

of 25 January 2000

determining the extent to which applications submitted in January 2000 for import licences for the tariff quota for beef and veal provided for in the European Agreement between the Community and the Republic of Slovenia can be accepted

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 2768/1999 of 22 December 1999 laying down for 2000 detailed rules for the application of the tariff quota for beef and veal provided for in the European Agreement between the Community and the Republic of Slovenia [1], and in particular Article 3(4) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Article 1(3) of Regulation (EC) No 2768/1999 fixes the quantity of fresh or chilled beef and veal originating in Slovenia which may be imported under special conditions from 1 January to 30 June 2000; the quantity of meat for which import licences have been submitted is such that applications may be granted in full;

(2) Article 1(4) of Regulation (EC) No 2768/1999 lays down that if, during 2000, the quantity for which licence applications are submitted for the first period specified in paragraph 3 of that Article is less than the quantity available, the remaining quantity is to be added to the quantity available for the following period; in view of the quantity remaining for the first period, the quantity available for the country concerned for the second period, from 1 July to 31 December 2000, should be specified,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. Import licences shall be granted for the full quantities covered by applications submitted for the quota referred to in Regulation (EC) No 2768/1999 for the period 1 January to 30 June 2000.

2. The quantity available for the period referred to in Article 1(3) of Regulation (EC) No 2768/1999 running from 1 July to 31 December 2000 shall be 8 885 tonnes.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 26 January 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 25 January 2000.

For the Commission

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[1] OJ L 333, 24.12.1999, p. 5.