COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 768/2000

of 13 April 2000

determining to what extent applications lodged in March 2000 for the right to import young male bovine animals for fattening can be met

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1431/1999 of 30 June 1999 opening and providing for the administration of an import tariff quota for young male bovine animals for fattening (1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000) [1], as amended by Regulation (EC) No 545/2000 [2], and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 4(3) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Article 8(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1431/1999 provides for a further allocation of quantities not covered by import licence applications at 29 February 2000.

(2) Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 545/2000 lays down the quantities of young male bovine animals for fattening that may be imported under special conditions before 30 June 2000.

(3) The quantities for which import rights have been requested exceed the quantities available. The quantities applied for should therefore be reduced proportionately in accordance with Article 8(5) and the second subparagraph of Article 4(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1431/1999,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Each application for the right to import lodged in accordance with Article 8 of Regulation (EC) No 1431/1999 shall be granted for 0,1002 % of the quantity applied for.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 April 2000.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 April 2000.

For the Commission

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[1] OJ L 166, 1.7.1999, p. 49.
[2] OJ L 67, 15.3.2000, p. 6.