COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1291/2002

of 16 July 2002

amending Regulation (EC) No 21/2002 establishing the supply balances and Community aid for the outermost regions under Council Regulations (EC) Nos 1452/2001, 1453/2001 and 1454/2001 with regard to eggs, poultry and rabbit sector for the Canary Islands

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1454/2001 of 28 June 2001 introducing specific measures for certain agricultural products for the Canary Islands and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 1601/92 (Poseican) [1], amended by Regulation (EC) No 1195/2002 [2], and in particular Article 3(6) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Commission Regulation (EC) No 21/2002 [3], as last modified by Regulation (EC) No 679/2002 [4], establishes the supply balances and Community aid for the outermost regions under Council Regulations (EC) Nos 1452/2001 [5], 1453/2001 [6] and 1454/2001.

(2) Evidence shows that the quantities of grandparent and parent female chicks provided in Annex III(11), (CN code ex 0105 11) are not used due to the fact that the aid has not been sufficient to compensate the relatively high transport costs. It is therefore necessary to increase the aid.

(3) For the purpose of setting the aid for supply to the Canary Islands of the products listed in Annex III(11) and in the interests of simplification, there should be a permanent reference to the Regulations fixing the export refund for similar products whenever such refunds are granted.

(4) Regulation (EC) No 21/2002 should be amended accordingly.

(5) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the meeting of the Management Committee poultrymeat and eggs,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annex III (Canary Islands) to Regulation (EC) No 21/2002 is amended as follows:

— Part 11 is replaced by the following:

'Part 11

Eggs, poultry, rabbits

Forecast supply balance and Community aid for the supply of Community products per calendar year

Description	CN code	Quantity (number of animals, units or tonnes)	Aid (EUR/animal, unit or tonne)
Breeding stock:			
— chicks weighing not more than 185 g	0105 11 91 0105 11 99	935 000	0,12
Meat:			
— ex 0207 frozen meat and offal of fowl under CN code 0105, excluding products coming under subheading 0207 23	0207 12 10 9900	37 200 [1]	[2]
	0207 12 90 9190		[2]
	0207 12 90 9990		[2]
	0207 14 20 9900		50
	0207 14 60 9900		50
	0207 14 70 9190		50
	0207 14 70 9290		50

[1] OJ L 198, 21.7.2001, p. 45.
[2] OJ L 174, 4.7.2002, p. 11.
[3] OJ L 8, 11.1.2002, p. 15.
[4] OJ L 104, 20.4.2002, p. 6.
[5] OJ L 198, 21.7.2001, p. 11.
[6] OJ L 198, 21.7.2001, p. 26.

Description	CN code	Quantity (number of animals, units or tonnes)	Aid (EUR/animal, unit or tonne)
Eggs:			
— ex 0408 birds' eggs, not in shell, and egg yolks, dried, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, fit for human consumption	0408 11 80 9100 0408 91 80 9100	40	(3) (3)
Breeding rabbits			
— purebred (grandparents)	ex 0106 19 10	2 200	30
— parents		5 200	24

(1) Including 200 tonnes for the processing and/or packaging sector.
(2) The amount of the aid shall be equal to the amount of the refund for products falling within the same product code granted under Article 8 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 (OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 77). Where refunds granted under Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 are differentiated, the amount of the aid shall be equal to the highest refund granted for products falling within the same product code of the export refund nomenclature (Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87).
(3) The amount of the aid shall be equal to the amount of the refund for products falling within the same product code granted under Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75. Where refunds granted under Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 are differentiated, the amount of the aid shall be equal to the highest refund granted for products falling within the same product code of the export refund nomenclature (Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87).'

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the seventh 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, 16 July 2002.

For the Commission
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Member of the Commission