COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2016/975

of 17 June 2016

determining the quantities to be added to the quantity fixed for the subperiod from 1 October to 31 December 2016 under the tariff quotas opened by Regulation (EC) No 539/2007 in the egg sector and for egg albumin

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) No 1308/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013 establishing a common organisation of the markets in agricultural products and repealing Council Regulations (EEC) No 922/72, (EEC) No 234/79, (EC) No 1037/2001 and (EC) No 1234/2007 [1], and in particular Article 188(2) and (3) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Commission Regulation (EC) No 539/2007 [2] opened annual tariff quotas for imports of egg products and egg albumin.

(2) The quantities covered by the applications for import licences lodged from 1 to 7 June 2016 for the subperiod from 1 July to 30 September 2016 are less than those available. The quantities for which applications have not been lodged should therefore be determined and these should be added to the quantity fixed for the following quota subperiod.

(3) In order to ensure the efficient management of the measure, this Regulation should enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The quantities for which import licence applications have not been lodged pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 539/2007, to be added to the subperiod from 1 October to 31 December 2016, are set out in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

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

Done at Brussels, 17 June 2016.

For the Commission,
On behalf of the President,
Jerzy PLEWA
Director-General for Agriculture and Rural Development

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[1] OJ L 347, 20.12.2013, p. 671.
[2] Commission Regulation (EC) No 539/2007 of 15 May 2007 opening and providing for the administration of tariff quotas in the egg sector and for egg albumin (OJ L 128, 16.5.2007, p. 19).

ANNEX

Order No	Quantities not applied for, to be added to the quantities available for the subperiod from 1 October to 31 December 2016 (in kg, shell egg equivalent)
09.4015	27 000 000
09.4401	1 400 000
09.4402	3 875 000