

COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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Recommendations for COUNCIL REGULATIONS (EEC)

- on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Tunisia, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980;
- on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Morocco, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980;
- on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Algeria, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980;
- on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Economic Community and Turkey fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Turkey, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980.

Proposals for COUNCIL REGULATIONS (EEC)

- amending Regulations (EEC) N° 1508/76, 1514/76 and 1521/76 on imports of olive oil originating in Tunisia, Algeria and Morocco (1979-80);
- amending Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) N° 1180/77 on imports into the Community of certain agricultural products originating in Turkey (1979-80).

(Presented by the Commission to the Council)

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COMMISSION COMMUNICATION TO THE COUNCIL

ON THE ADDITIONAL AMOUNT TO BE DEDUCTED FROM THE LEVY ON IMPORTS INTO THE COMMUNITY OF OLIVE OIL, OTHER THAN OLIVE OIL HAVING UNDERGONE A REFINING PROCESS, ORIGINATING IN TUNISIA, MOROCCO, ALGERIA OR TURKEY (1979/80)

1. Annexes B to the Cooperation Agreements and Annexes B to the Interim Agreements between the European Economic Community and Tunisia, Morocco and Algeria respectively, and Annexe IV to Decision No. 1/77 of the EEC-Turkey Association Council of 28 December 1976 on the outcome of the second review of the arrangements applicable to Turkish agricultural products, provide for the possibility of increasing, by fixing an additional amount, the amount of the deduction which may be made, under certain conditions, from the levy applicable to imports into the Community of olive oil other than olive oil having undergone a refining process.

This additional amount, if any, is fixed for each year of application by an exchange of letters between the Contracting Parties in the light of the situation on the olive oil market.

2. The Commission considers that the additional amount should be maintained at its present level for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980. It therefore recommends that the Council authorise it to negotiate the attached exchanges of letters with the countries in question.

3. In view of the time needed to carry out the procedures, the Commission is submitting to the Council the regulations on the conclusions of the exchanges of letters which it proposes to negotiate with the countries in question, together with proposals for regulations to implement the measures agreed in the exchanges of letters.

The Commission recommends that the Council adopt these regulations as soon as it is informed by the former of the completion of the negotiations and of the final texts of the exchanges of letters.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

on the conclusion of the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Tunisia, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 113 thereof,

Having regard to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia, which entered into force on 1 November 1978⁽¹⁾ and in particular to Annex B to this Agreement;
Having regard to the recommendation from the Commission,

Whereas it is necessary to approve the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Tunisia, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the

Republic of Tunisia fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Tunisia, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980 is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

The text of the Agreement is annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorized to designate the person empowered to sign the Agreement for the purpose of binding the Community.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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,

For the Council

The President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 265, 27.9.78, p. 2

AGREEMENT

in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Tunisia, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

Letter No 1

Sir,

Annex B to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia stipulate that for untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff, the amount to be deducted from the amount of the levy in accordance with Article 16 (1) (b) of the Cooperation Agreement is increased, in order to take account of certain factors and of the situation on the olive oil market, by an additional amount under the same conditions and arrangements as laid down for the application of the abovementioned provisions.

I have the honour to inform you that, having regard to the criteria specified in the aforementioned Annexes, the Community will take the necessary steps to fix the additional amount at 12 ECU per 100 kilograms for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

I should be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this letter and confirm your Government's agreement to its content.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

*On behalf of the Council of
the European Communities*

Letter No 2

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of today's date, which reads as follows :

'Annex B to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia stipulate that for untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff, the amount to be deducted from the amount of the levy in accordance with Article 16 (1) (b) of the Cooperation Agreement

is increased, in order to take account of certain factors and of the situation on the olive oil market, by an additional amount under the same conditions and arrangements as laid down for the application of the abovementioned provisions.

I have the honour to inform you that, having regard to the criteria specified in the aforementioned Annexes, the Community will take the necessary steps to fix the additional amount at 12 ECU per 100 kilograms for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

I should be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this letter and confirm your Government's agreement to its content.'

I am able to confirm the agreement of my Government to the foregoing.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

*For the Government of
the Republic of Tunisia*

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

on the conclusion of the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Morocco, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 113 thereof,

Having regard to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco, which entered into force on 1 November 1978⁽¹⁾, and in particular to Annex B to this Agreement;

Having regard to the recommendation from the Commission,

Whereas it is necessary to approve the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Morocco, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the

Kingdom of Morocco fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Morocco, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980 is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

The text of the Agreement is annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorized to designate the person empowered to sign the Agreement for the purpose of binding the Community.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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,

For the Council
The President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 264, 27.9.78, p. 2

AGREEMENT

in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Morocco, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

Letter No 1

Sir,

Annex B to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco stipulate that for untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff, the amount to be deducted from the amount of the levy in accordance with Article 17 (1) (b) of the Cooperation Agreement is increased, in order to take account of certain factors and of the situation on the olive oil market, by an additional amount under the same conditions and arrangements as laid down for the application of the abovementioned provisions.

I have the honour to inform you that, having regard to the criteria specified in the aforementioned Annex, the Community will take the necessary steps to "fix" the additional amount at .12 ECU per 100 kilograms for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

I should be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this letter and confirm your Government's agreement to its content.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

*On behalf of the Council of
the European Communities*

Letter No 2

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of today's date, which reads as follows :

'Annex B to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco stipulate that for untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff, the amount to be deducted from the amount of the levy in accordance with Article 17 (1) (b) of the Cooperation Agreement ..

is increased, in order to take account of certain factors and of the situation on the olive oil market, by an additional amount under the same conditions and arrangements as laid down for the application of the abovementioned provisions.

I have the honour to inform you that, having regard to the criteria specified in the aforementioned Annexes, the Community will take the necessary steps to fix the additional amount at 12 ECU per 100 kilograms for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

I should be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this letter and confirm your Government's agreement to its content.'

I am able to confirm the agreement of my Government to the foregoing.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

*For the Government of
the Kingdom of Morocco*

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

on the conclusion of the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Algeria, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 113 thereof,

Having regard to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria, which entered into force on 1 November 1978⁽¹⁾, and in particular to Annex B to this Agreement;

Having regard to the recommendation from the Commission,

Whereas it is necessary to approve the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Algeria, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the

People's Democratic Republic of Algeria fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Algeria, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980, is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

The text of the Agreement is annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorized to designate the person empowered to sign the Agreement for the purpose of binding the Community.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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,

For the Council

The President

(1) OJ No L 263, 27.9.78; p. 2

AGREEMENT

in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Algeria, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

Letter No 1

Sir,

Annex B to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria stipulate that for untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff, the amount to be deducted from the amount of the levy in accordance with Article 16 (1) (b) of the Cooperation Agreement

may, in order to take account of certain factors and of the situation on the olive oil market, be increased by an additional amount under the same conditions and arrangements as laid down for the application of the abovementioned provisions.

I have the honour to inform you that, having regard to the criteria specified in the aforementioned Annexes, the Community will take the necessary steps to ~~fix~~ the additional amount at : 12 ECU per 100 kilograms for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980.

I should be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this letter and confirm your Government's agreement to its content.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

*On behalf of the Council of
the European Communities*

Letter No 2

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of today's date, which reads as follows :

'Annex B to the Cooperation Agreement between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria stipulate that for untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff, the amount to be deducted from the amount of the levy in accordance with Article 16 (1) (b) of the Cooperation Agreement

may, in order to take account of certain factors and of the situation on the olive oil market, be increased by an additional amount under the same conditions and arrangements as laid down for the application of the abovementioned provisions.

I have the honour to inform you that, having regard to the criteria specified in the aforementioned Annexes, the Community will take the necessary steps to fix the additional amount at ... 12 ECU per 100 kilograms for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980.

I should be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this letter and confirm your Government's agreement to its content.'

I am able to confirm the agreement of my Government to the foregoing.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

*For the Government of
the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria*

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

amending Regulations (EEC) No 1508/76, (EEC) No 1514/76 and (EEC) No 1521/76 on imports of olive oil originating in Tunisia, Algeria and Morocco (1979/80)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 43 and 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament ⁽²⁾,

Whereas Articles 16, 17 and 16 of and Annexes B to the Cooperation Agreements

between the European Economic Community and Tunisia ⁽³⁾, Morocco ⁽⁴⁾ and Algeria ⁽⁵⁾ respectively stipulate that, if the country in question levies a special export charge on imports into the Community of olive oil falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff, the levy applicable to such oil is to be reduced by a fixed amount of 0,60 ECU per 100 kilograms and by an amount equal to the special charge, but not exceeding 12 ECU per 100 kilograms in the case of reduction provided for in the aforementioned Articles and 12 ECU per 100 kilograms in the case of the additional amount provided for in the aforementioned Annexes B;

Whereas the aforementioned Agreements were implemented by Regulations (EEC) No 1508/76 ⁽⁶⁾, (EEC) No 1514/76 ⁽⁷⁾ and (EEC) No 1521/76 ⁽⁸⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2761/78 (a)

Whereas the Contracting Parties have agreed, by exchanges of letters, to fix the additional amount at 12 units of account per 100 kilograms for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980;

Whereas Regulations (EEC) No 1508/76, (EEC) No 1514/76 and (EEC) No 1521/76 should accordingly be amended,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The text of Article 1 (1)(b) of Regulation (EEC) No 1508/76, (EEC) 1514/76 and (EEC) 1521/76 is hereby replaced by the following:

"(b) an amount equal to the special charge levied by (Tunisia), (Algeria), (Morocco) on exports of the said oil but not exceeding 12 ECU per 100 kilograms, this amount being increased from 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980 by ECU per 100 kilograms."

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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,

For the Council
The President.

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(1) OJ No L 265, 27.9.78, p. 2
(2) OJ No L 264, 27.9.78, p. 2
(3) OJ No L 263, 27.9.78, p. 2

(4) OJ No L 169, 28. 6. 1976, p. 9.
(5) OJ No L 169, 28. 6. 1976, p. 24.
(6) OJ No L 169, 28. 6. 1976, p. 43.
(7) OJ No L 332, 29.11.78, p. 13

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

on the conclusion of the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and Turkey fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Turkey, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 113 thereof,

Having regard to Decision No 1/77 of the EEC-Turkey Association Council of 17 May 1977 on new concessions for imports of Turkish agricultural products into the Community, and in particular Annex IV thereto,

Having regard to the recommendation from the Commission,

Whereas it is necessary to approve the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and Turkey fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the common Customs Tariff and originating in Turkey, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and

Turkey fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Turkey, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980, is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

The text of the Agreement is annexed to this Regulation.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorized to designate the person empowered to sign the Agreement for the purpose of binding the Community.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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,

For the Council

The President

AGREEMENT

in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and Turkey fixing the additional amount to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, originating in Turkey, for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

Letter No 1

Sir,

Annex IV to Decision No 1/77 of the EEC-Turkey Association Council of 17 May 1977 on new concessions for imports of Turkish agricultural products into the Community stipulates that for untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff, the amount to be deducted from the amount of the levy in accordance with Article 2 of that Decision is increased, in order to take account of certain factors and of the situation on the olive oil market, by an additional amount under the same conditions and arrangements as laid down for the application of the said Article.

I have the honour to inform you that, having regard to the criteria specified in the aforementioned Annex IV, the Community will take the necessary steps to 'fix' the additional amount at . 11 ECU per 100 kilograms for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980.

I should be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this letter and confirm your Government's agreement to its content.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

*On behalf of the Council of
the European Communities*

Letter No 2

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of today's date, which reads as follows :

'Annex IV to Decision No 1/77 of the EEC-Turkey Association Council of 17 May 1977 on new concessions for imports of Turkish agricultural products into the Community stipulates that for untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff, the amount to be deducted from the amount of the levy in accordance with Article 2 of that Decision is increased, in order to take account of certain factors and of the situation on the olive oil market, by an additional amount under the same conditions and arrangements as laid down for the application of the said Article.

I have the honour to inform you that, having regard to the criteria specified in the aforementioned Annex IV, the Community will take the necessary steps to 'fix' the additional amount at 11 ECU per 100 kilograms for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980

It should be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this letter and confirm your Government's agreement to its content.'

I confirm the agreement of my Government to the foregoing.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

*For the President of
the Republic of Turkey*

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1180/77 on imports into the Community of certain agricultural products originating in Turkey (1979/1980)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 43 and 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament ⁽²⁾,

Whereas Annex IV to Decision No 1/77 of the EEC-Turkey Association Council on new concessions for imports of Turkish agricultural products into the Community stipulates that the additional amount, if any, to be deducted from the levy on imports into the Community of untreated olive oil, falling within subheading 15.07 A I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in Turkey, is to be fixed for each year of application by an exchange of letters between the Community and Turkey;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1180/77 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2766/78 ⁽⁴⁾, imple-

mented the abovementioned Decision, in particular as regards olive oil;

Whereas the Contracting Parties have agreed, by an exchange of letters, to fix the additional amount in question at : 11 ECU per 100 kilograms for the period 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980;

Whereas Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 1180/77 should accordingly be amended,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The text of Article 9 (1) (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 1180/77 is hereby replaced by the following :

"1 (b) an amount equal to the special export charge imposed by Turkey on such oil within a limit of 11 ECU per 100 kilograms, that amount being increased from 1 November 1979 to 31 October 1980 by 11 ECU per 100 kilograms."

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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,

For the Council,

The President.

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⁽³⁾ OJ No L 142, 9. 6. 1977, p. 10.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 332, 29. 11. 78, p. 26

