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(Acts adopted pursuant to Title V of the Treaty on European Union)

**COMMON POSITION OF THE COUNCIL
of 12 July 1999
on Rwanda**

(1999/452/CFSP)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union, and in particular Article 15 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) by Common Position 98/252/CFSP adopted on the basis of Article 12 of the Treaty on European Union ⁽¹⁾, the Council defined the objectives and priorities of the European Union vis-à-vis Rwanda;
- (2) by Joint Action 96/250/CFSP adopted by the Council on the basis of Article 13 of the Treaty on European Union ⁽²⁾, a Special Envoy for the African Great Lakes Region was nominated;
- (3) in the light of developments in Rwanda since 1998, Common Position 98/252/CFSP should be revised,

HAS DEFINED THIS COMMON POSITION:

Article 1

The objectives and priorities of the European Union in its relations with Rwanda are to encourage, stimulate and support the process, begun by the Government of Rwanda, of

- recovery from genocide and the promotion of national reconciliation;
- reconstruction and development;
- protection and promotion of human rights and fundamental freedoms;
- transition to democracy.

Regional instability can jeopardise the achievement of these goals. The European Union shall therefore encourage efforts of the Government of Rwanda to orientate their foreign and

security policies towards the achievement of regional stability, as it does with all other parties to conflicts in the region.

Article 2

The European Union affirms that progress in these areas is primarily the responsibility of the Government of Rwanda. In order to support and encourage the efforts of the Government of Rwanda in these areas, the European Union, including through the offices of its Special Envoy to the African Great Lakes Region, shall pursue a constructive and critical dialogue with the Government of Rwanda on the basis of the following provisions.

Article 3

With regard to the Government of Rwanda's regional foreign and security policy, the European Union shall:

- encourage it, as it does with all other parties involved in the conflict in the Democratic Republic of Congo, to participate in a constructive manner in regional and international efforts to negotiate a peaceful solution. This solution must lead to a ceasefire as soon as possible, followed by withdrawal of all foreign troops from the Democratic Republic of Congo. It must take into account security concerns and further legitimate interests of all parties concerned and respect the principles of territorial integrity and national sovereignty;
- encourage the Government of Rwanda, as it does with all other parties in the conflict, to abide by its obligations under international humanitarian law.

Article 4

With regard to the situation within Rwanda, the efforts of the European Union shall be based on the following principles:

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 108, 7.4.1998, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 87, 4.4.1996, p. 1.

- (a) concerning reconciliation and power-sharing, the European Union shall encourage and support efforts by the Government of Rwanda to bring about reconciliation among all Rwandans within and outside Rwanda, including through dialogue with all groups which reject violence and genocide, focusing on power-sharing and minority protection. The independence effectiveness and broad-based composition of the National Commission on Reconciliation and National Unity is considered to be important in this context by the European Union;
- (b) concerning democratisation, the European Union shall:
- encourage the Government of Rwanda to devolve competencies and powers to the newly elected local authorities as soon as possible, in order to ensure the participation of local populations in the political process at grassroots level; and is willing to consider, in principle, supporting the training of newly elected local councillors in order to facilitate the process;
 - encourage the Government of Rwanda's plan to hold elections at commune and prefecture level in two years' time and to elaborate an appropriate mechanism, timing and management for these elections. This mechanism, while taking into account the problem of illiteracy, should establish a voting mechanism that will ensure free and fair elections, guaranteeing equal rights for all groups; the participation of civil society; public debate; the right of free expression; transparency with regard to the whole electoral process and electoral legislation; the nomination of an independent body to prepare and oversee the entire electoral process and an opportunity for all sectors of society to express their views. The European Union shall examine possibilities of supporting the elaboration of such an electoral mechanism;
 - encourage the Government of Rwanda to continue to make progress towards democratisation and to plan for elections to be held at national level in the near future;
- (c) concerning the judicial system and the establishment of traditional justice (Gacaca), the European Union, concerned that the gacaca system may not comply with international human rights standards and may cause further discord, shall:
- encourage the Government of Rwanda to establish clemency as a general working principle of gacaca, to safeguard the right of civil defence and to sensitise the population in general and genocide survivors in particular as to the need to accept this in order to deal simultaneously with the problem of impunity and to reach a pragmatic solution to the alarming problem of a large prison population awaiting trial under precarious conditions of detention;
- encourage the Government of Rwanda to continue its efforts to reduce the prison population and its campaign sensitisation, including by realising its decision, announced in 1998, to release prisoners against whom there are no files, or incomplete files, as an important step towards alleviating the over-crowded prison population;
 - support the work of the International Criminal Tribunal in Arusha, including through renewing its efforts to ensure that all States surrender to the Tribunal all those indicted by it for genocide and other serious violations of international humanitarian law and by seeking continued improvement of the Tribunal's administrative effectiveness;
 - encourage the Government of Rwanda to show the utmost restraint with regard to the imposition and execution of the death penalty with a view to its total abolition and to comply fully with its obligations under the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and to observe other international safeguards concerning the death penalty;
- (d) concerning villagisation policy, the European Union shall encourage the Government of Rwanda to proceed with such policy only after careful planning, prior impact studies, pilot projects and campaigns to sensitise the population and to assure an equitable redistribution and management of land, in order to avoid resettlement, hastened by security considerations, bringing about human rights violations, results contrary to the desired effects and causes for further discord;
- (e) concerning human rights, the European Union shall encourage and support efforts by the Government of Rwanda to protect and promote the human rights of all Rwandans, including through assuring the independent and effective functioning of the National Human Rights Commission and by continuing to work with the Special Representative and the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights;
- (f) concerning economic development and cooperation, the European Union shall continue to support the efforts of the Government of Rwanda to promote inclusive economic development and to extend progress achieved on the macroeconomic field as instruments for peace and stability, including by encouraging additional efforts with regard to good governance;

(g) concerning reintegration, the European Union shall encourage and support efforts by the Government of Rwanda to facilitate the reintegration into Rwandan society of genocide survivors, demobilised soldiers and all other displaced people, including through close cooperation with relevant international organisations.

Article 5

The Council notes that the Commission intends to direct its action towards achieving the objectives and priorities of this Common Position, where appropriate, by pertinent Community measures.

Article 6

In implementing this Common Position, the European Union will cooperate closely with the UN, OAU and other interested organisations.

Article 7

The implementation of this Common Position will be monitored regularly. The Common Position will be reviewed within 12 months.

Article 8

This Common Position shall replace Common Position 98/252/CFSP.

Article 9

This Common Position shall take effect on the day of its adoption.

Article 10

This Common Position shall be published in the Official Journal.

Done at Brussels, 12 July 1999.

For the Council

The President

M. NIINISTÖ

I

(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1525/1999
of 13 July 1999
establishing the standard import values for determining the entry price of certain fruit and vegetables

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 3223/94 of 21 December 1994 on detailed rules for the application of the import arrangements for fruit and vegetables ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1498/98 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 4 (1) thereof,

- (1) Whereas Regulation (EC) No 3223/94 lays down, pursuant to the outcome of the Uruguay Round multi-lateral trade negotiations, the criteria whereby the Commission fixes the standard values for imports from third countries, in respect of the products and periods stipulated in the Annex thereto;

- (2) Whereas, in compliance with the above criteria, the standard import values must be fixed at the levels set out in the Annex to this Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The standard import values referred to in Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 3223/94 shall be fixed as indicated in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission
Franz FISCHLER
Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 337, 24.12.1994, p. 66.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 198, 15.7.1998, p. 4.

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to the Commission Regulation of 13 July 1999 establishing the standard import values for determining the entry price of certain fruit and vegetables

(EUR/100 kg)

CN code	Third country code ⁽¹⁾	Standard import value	
0707 00 05	052	61,9	
	628	130,8	
	999	96,4	
0709 90 70	052	53,0	
	999	53,0	
0805 30 10	382	54,4	
	388	57,9	
	524	44,8	
	528	54,2	
	999	52,8	
0808 10 20, 0808 10 50, 0808 10 90	388	73,4	
	400	67,5	
	508	87,4	
	512	63,4	
	524	58,7	
	528	48,3	
	804	99,7	
	999	71,2	
	0808 20 50	388	97,1
		512	57,8
528		55,6	
0809 10 00	999	70,2	
	052	134,8	
	064	83,8	
0809 20 95	999	109,3	
	052	178,8	
	061	155,0	
	068	90,6	
	400	189,1	
	616	170,0	
0809 40 05	999	156,7	
	064	83,2	
	624	258,0	
	999	170,6	

⁽¹⁾ Country nomenclature as fixed by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2317/97 (OJ L 321, 22.11.1997, p. 19). Code '999' stands for 'of other origin'.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1526/1999**of 13 July 1999****determining the percentage of quantities covered by applications for export licences for pigmeat which may be accepted**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1370/95 of 16 June 1995 laying down detailed rules for implementing the system of export licences in the pigmeat sector⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1719/98⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 3(4) thereof,

- (1) Whereas Regulation (EC) No 1370/95 provides for specific measures where applications for export licences concern quantities and/or expenditure which exceed the normal trade patterns or where there is a risk that they will be exceeded, taking account of the limit referred to in Article 8(11) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75⁽³⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2916/95⁽⁴⁾, and/ or the corresponding expenditure during the period in question;
- (2) Whereas uncertainty is a feature of the market in certain pigmeat products; whereas the impending adjustment of the refunds applicable to those products has led to the

submission of applications for export licences for export licences for speculative ends; whereas there is a risk that the issue of licences for the quantities applied for from 5 to 9 and from 12 to 13 July 1999 may lead to an overrun in the quantities of the products concerned normally disposed of by way of trade; whereas applications covering the products concerned,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

No further action shall be taken in respect of applications submitted until 13 July 1999 for export licences for pigmeat pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 1370/95 in respect of categories 1, 2 and 3 of Annex I to that Regulation which should have been issued from 14 July and from 21 July 1999.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 133, 17.6.1995, p. 26.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 125, 1.8.1998, p. 58.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 77.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 305, 19.12.1995, p. 49.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1527/1999**of 13 July 1999****fixing the rates of the refunds applicable to eggs and egg yolks exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex I to the Treaty**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organisation of the market in eggs ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1516/96 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 8(3) thereof,

- (1) Whereas Article 8(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 provides that the difference between prices in international trade for the products listed in Article 1(1) of that Regulation and prices within the Community may be covered by an export refund where these goods are exported in the form of goods listed in the Annex to that Regulation; whereas Commission Regulation (EC) No 1222/94 of 30 May 1994 laying down common detailed rules for the application of the system of granting export refunds on certain agricultural products exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex I to the Treaty, and the criteria for fixing the amount of such refunds ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1352/98 ⁽⁴⁾, specifies the products for which a rate of refund should be fixed, to be applied where these products are exported in the form of goods listed in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75;
- (2) Whereas, in accordance Article 4(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1222/94, the rate of the refund per 100 kilograms for each of the basic products in question must be fixed

for a period of the same duration as that for which refunds are fixed for the same products exported unprocessed;

- (3) Whereas Article 11 of the Agreement on Agriculture concluded under the Uruguay Round lays down that the export refund for a product contained in a good may not exceed the refund applicable to that product when exported without further processing;
- (4) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Poultrymeat and Eggs,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The rates of the refunds applicable to the basic products appearing in Annex A to Regulation (EC) No 1222/94 and listed in Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75, exported in the form of goods listed in the Annex I to Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75, are hereby fixed as shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission

Karel VAN MIERT

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 49.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 189, 30.7.1996, p. 99.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 136, 31.5.1994, p. 5.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 184, 27.6.1998, p. 25.

ANNEX

**to the Commission Regulation of 13 July 1999 fixing the rates of the refunds applicable to eggs and egg yolks
exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex I to the Treaty**

(EUR / 100 kg)

CN code	Description	Destination (¹)	Rate of refund
0407 00	Birds' eggs, in shell, fresh, preserved or cooked:		
	– Of poultry:		
0407 00 30	-- Other:		
	a) On exportation of ovalbumin of CN codes 3502 11 90 and 3502 19 90	02	16,00
		03	17,00
		04	8,00
	b) On exportation of other goods	01	8,00
0408	Birds' eggs, not in shell and egg yolks, fresh, dried, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water, moulded, frozen or otherwise preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter:		
	– Egg yolks:		
0408 11	-- Dried:		
ex 0408 11 80	---- Suitable for human consumption: not sweetened	01	58,00
0408 19	-- Other:		
	---- Suitable for human consumption:		
ex 0408 19 81	----- Liquid: not sweetened	01	27,00
ex 0408 19 89	----- Frozen: not sweetened	01	27,00
	– Other:		
0408 91	-- Dried:		
ex 0408 91 80	---- Suitable for human consumption: not sweetened	01	43,00
0408 99	-- Other:		
ex 0408 99 80	---- Suitable for human consumption: not sweetened	01	11,00

(¹) The destinations are as follows:

01 Third countries,

02 Kuwait, Bahrain, Oman, Qatar, United Arab Emirates, Yemen, Hong Kong SAR and Russia,

03 South Korea, Japan, Malaysia, Thailand, Taiwan, the Philippines and Egypt,

04 All destinations except Switzerland and those of 02 and 03.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1528/1999**of 13 July 1999****concerning Regulation (EC) No 1970/96 of 14 October 1996 opening and laying down detailed rules for the management of a Community tariff quota for millet falling within CN code 1008 20 00**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 of 30 June 1992 on the common organization of the market in cereals ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1253/1999 ⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1970/96 of 14 October 1996 opening and laying down detailed rules for the management of a Community tariff quota for millet falling within CN code 1008 20 00 ⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 2 ⁽⁴⁾ thereof,

- (1) Whereas, in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1970/96, the Commission must fix a single coefficient for reducing the quantities in the import licences applied for where these quantities exceed the quantities in the annual quota; whereas applications for import licences submitted on 12 July 1999 for millet falling within CN

code 1008 20 00 relate to 74 100 t and the maximum quantity which may be imported is 1 300 t at a duty rate of EUR/t 7; whereas the corresponding percentage reductions for import licence applications submitted on 12 July 1999 should be fixed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Applications for licences for the millet quota provided for in Regulation (EC) No 1970/96 at a duty rate of EUR/t for millet falling within CN code 1008 20 00 submitted on 12 July 1999 and forwarded to the Commission, shall be accepted for the tonnages indicated therein multiplied by a coefficient of 0,0175439.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 181, 1.7.1992, p. 21.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 160, 26.6.1999, p. 18.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 261, 15.10.1996, p. 34.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1529/1999
of 13 July 1999
concerning the classification of certain goods in the combined nomenclature

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 of 23 July 1987 on the tariff and statistical nomenclature and on the Common Customs Tariff ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1372/1999 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 9 thereof,

- (1) Whereas in order to ensure uniform application of the Combined Nomenclature annexed to the said Regulation, it is necessary to adopt measures concerning the classification of the goods referred to in the Annex to this Regulation;
- (2) Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 has set down the general rules for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature and these rules also apply to any other nomenclature which is wholly or partly based on it or which adds any additional subdivisions to it and which is established by specific Community provisions, with a view to the application of tariff or other measures relating to trade in goods;
- (3) Whereas, pursuant to the said general rules, the goods described in column 1 of the table annexed to this Regulation must be classified under the appropriate CN codes indicated in column 2, by virtue of the reasons set out in column 3;
- (4) Whereas it is appropriate that, subject to the measures in force in the Community relating to double checking systems and to prior and retrospective Community surveillance of textile products on importation into the Community, binding tariff information in the matter of classification of goods in the Combined Nomenclature

issued by the customs authorities of the Member States which do not conform to this Regulation may continue to be invoked in accordance with the provisions of Article 12(6) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 of 12 October 1992 establishing the Community Customs Code ⁽³⁾, for a period of 60 days by the holder;

- (5) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Customs Code Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The goods described in column 1 of the annexed table are now classified within the Combined Nomenclature under the appropriate CN codes indicated in column 2 of the said table.

Article 2

Subject to the measures in force in the Community relating to double checking systems and to prior and retrospective Community surveillance of textile products on importation into the Community, binding tariff information in the matter of classification of goods in the Combined Nomenclature issued by the customs authorities of the Member States which no longer conform to this Regulation may continue to be invoked in accordance with the provisions of Article 12(6) of Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 for a period of 60 days.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 21st 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, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission

Mario MONTI

Member of the Commission

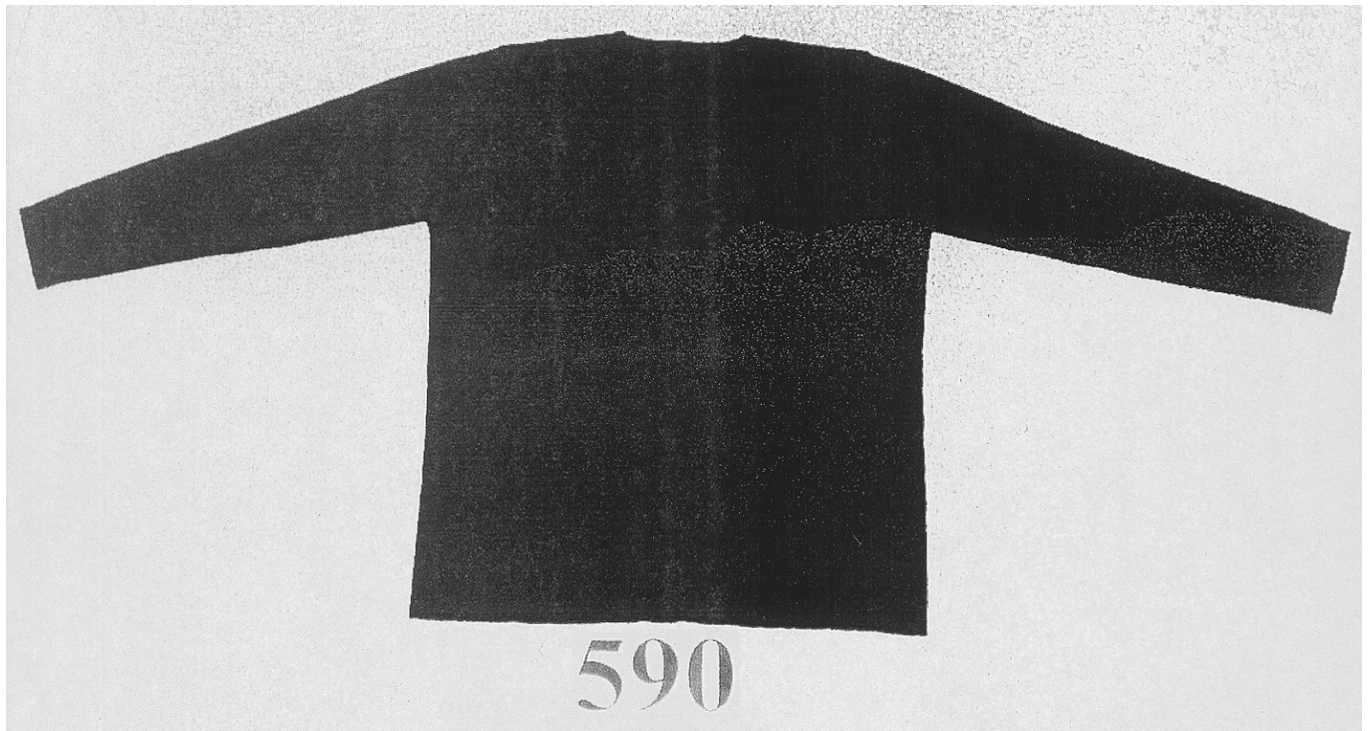
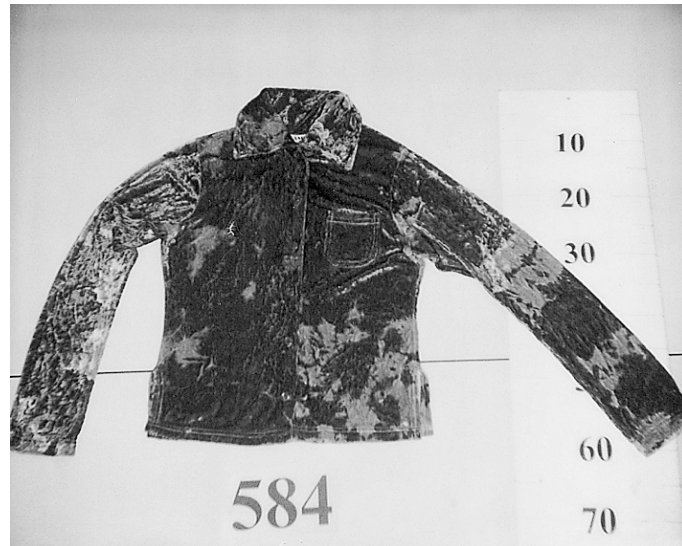
⁽¹⁾ OJ L 256, 7.9.1987, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 162, 26.6.1999, p. 46.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 302, 19.10.1992, p. 1.

ANNEX

Description	Classification CN code	Grounds
(1)	(2)	(3)
<p>1. Multicoloured garment made of a velvet knitted fabric of man-made fibres (80 % viscose, 20 % polyester), with more than 10 stitches per linear centimetre in each direction counted on an area measuring at least 10 cm × 10 cm.</p> <p>This garment is of a close-fitting cut and covers the upper part of the body to below the waist.</p> <p>The garment has long sleeves, a close-fitting neck with collar, a complete opening at the front buttoning right over left, a sewn-on pocket on the chest and side slits approximately 8 cm long at the bottom. The sleeve-ends and the bottom of the garment are hemmed.</p> <p>(Shirt-blouse)</p> <p>(See photograph No 584) (*)</p>	6106 20 00	<p>Classification is determined by General Notes 1 and 6 for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, Notes 4 and 9 to Chapter 61 and the wording of CN codes 6106 and 6106 20 00.</p> <p>See also the Combined Nomenclature Explanatory Notes to heading 6106</p>
<p>2. Single coloured knitted garment (70 % acrylic, 30 % polyester), intended to cover the upper part of the body, of a straight cut, reaching down to below the waist (66 cm), with long sleeves.</p> <p>It has a rounded neckline without an opening. It is bound round the neckline.</p> <p>(Garment similar to a pullover)</p> <p>(See photograph No 590) (*)</p>	6110 30 99	<p>Classification is determined by the provisions of General Rules 1 and 6 for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, Note 9 to Chapter 61 and the wording of CN codes 6110, 6110 30 and 6110 30 99.</p> <p>See also the Explanatory Notes to the Combined Nomenclature to heading 6110.</p> <p>Taking into account its cut, its general appearance and the nature of the fabric in which it is manufactured this garment is to be classified as a garment similar to a pullover</p>
<p>3. Carrying device made of aluminium tube and pieces of knitted and woven fabric (synthetic fibres) sewn together, consisting of a seat for a child with padding at the side and at head height, retention and carrying straps and, underneath, storage space for small objects.</p> <p>The surface of the seat (including the seat back), the integral hood, the small pocket-like receptacle under the seat and the carrying, lap and other straps are made of textile material.</p> <p>(Other made-up textile articles of woven fabric — baby carrier)</p>	6307 90 99	<p>Classification is determined by General Rules 1, 3(b) and 6 for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, Note 7(e) to Section XI, Note 1 to Chapter 63, Note 2 to Chapter 94 and CN codes 6307, 6307 90 and 6307 90 99.</p> <p>This product does not have the characteristics of a sack and similar containers of heading 4202, it is designed for carrying children.</p> <p>See also the Explanatory Notes to the Harmonised System relating to heading 6307</p>



(*) The photographs are purely for information.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1530/1999
of 13 July 1999
fixing the export refunds on poultrymeat

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in poultrymeat ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2916/95 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 8(3) thereof,

- (1) Whereas Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 provides that the difference between prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1(1) of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;
- (2) Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in poultrymeat that the refund should be fixed at an amount which would permit Community participation in world trade

and would also take account of the nature of these exports and their importance at the present time;

- (3) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Poultrymeat and Eggs,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The list of product codes for which, when they are exported, the export refund referred to in Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 is granted, and the amount of that refund shall be as shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission
Franz FISCHLER
Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 77.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 305, 19.12.1995, p. 49.

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to the Commission Regulation of 13 July 1999 fixing the export refunds on poultrymeat

Product code	Destination of refund ⁽¹⁾	Amount of refund
		EUR/100 units
0105 11 11 9000	01	1,40
0105 11 19 9000	01	1,40
0105 11 91 9000	01	1,40
0105 11 99 9000	01	1,40
0105 12 00 9000	01	3,30
0105 19 20 9000	01	3,30
		EUR/100 kg
0207 12 10 9900	02	25,00
	04	25,00
0207 12 90 9190	02	25,00
	04	25,00
0207 12 90 9990	02	25,00
	04	25,00

⁽¹⁾ The destinations are as follows:

01 All destinations except the United States of America,

02 Angola, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Bahrain, Qatar, Oman, the United Arab Emirates, Jordan, Yemen, Lebanon, Iraq and Iran,

03 Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Ukraine, Lithuania, Estonia and Latvia,

04 All destinations except the United States of America, Bulgaria, Poland, Hungary, Romania, Slovakia, the Czech Republic, Slovenia, Switzerland and those of 02 and 03 above.

NB: The product codes and the footnotes are defined in amended Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1531/1999
of 13 July 1999
fixing the export refunds on eggs

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in eggs ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1516/96 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 8(3) thereof,

- (1) Whereas Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 provides that the difference between prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1(1) of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;
- (2) Whereas the present market situation in certain third countries and that regarding competition on particular third country markets make it necessary to fix a refund differentiated by destination for certain products in the egg sector;
- (3) Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in eggs that the refund should be fixed at an amount which would

permit Community participation in world trade and would also take account of the nature of these exports and their importance at the present time;

- (4) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Poultrymeat and Eggs,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The list of codes of products for which, when they are exported, the export refund referred to in Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 is granted, and the amount of that refund shall be as shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission
Franz FISCHLER
Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 49.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 189, 30.7.1996, p. 99.

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to the Commission Regulation of 13 July 1999 fixing the export refunds on eggs

Product code	Destination ⁽¹⁾	Amount of refund
		EUR/100 units
0407 00 11 9000	02	3,30
0407 00 19 9000	02	1,50
		EUR/100 kg
0407 00 30 9000	03	16,00
	04	8,00
	05	17,00
0408 11 80 9100	01	58,00
0408 19 81 9100	01	27,00
0408 19 89 9100	01	27,00
0408 91 80 9100	01	43,00
0408 99 80 9100	01	11,00

⁽¹⁾ The destinations are as follows:

- 01 All destinations except Switzerland,
- 02 All destinations except the United States of America,
- 03 Kuwait, Bahrain, Oman, Qatar, the United Arab Emirates, Yemen, Hong Kong SAR and Russia,
- 04 All destinations except Switzerland and those of 03 and 05,
- 05 South Korea, Japan, Malaysia, Thailand, Taiwan, the Philippines and Egypt.

NB: The product codes and the footnotes are defined in amended Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1532/1999**of 13 July 1999****fixing representative prices in the poultrymeat and egg sectors and for egg albumin, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1484/95**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2771/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organisation of the market in eggs ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1516/96 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 5(4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2777/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organisation of the market in poultrymeat ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2916/95 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 5(4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2783/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common system of trade for ovalbumin and lactalbumin ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2916/95, and in particular Article 3(4) thereof,

(1) Whereas Commission Regulation (EC) No 1484/95 ⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1237/1999 ⁽⁷⁾, fixes detailed rules for implementing the system of additional import duties and fixes representative prices in the poultrymeat and egg sectors and for egg albumin;

(2) Whereas it results from regular monitoring of the information providing the basis for the verification of the import prices in the poultrymeat and egg sectors and for egg albumin that the representative prices for imports of certain products should be amended taking into account variations of prices according to origin; whereas, therefore, representative prices should be published;

(3) Whereas it is necessary to apply this amendment as soon as possible, given the situation on the market;

(4) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Poultrymeat and Eggs,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 1484/95 is hereby replaced by the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 49.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 189, 30.7.1996, p. 99.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 77.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 305, 19.12.1995, p. 49.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 104.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 145, 29.6.1995, p. 47.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ L 149, 16.6.1999, p. 34.

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CN code	Description	Representative price EUR/100 kg	Security referred to in Article 3(3) EUR/100 kg	Origin (¹)
0207 14 10	Boneless cuts of fowls of the species <i>gallus domesticus</i> , frozen	217,3	25	01
		217,8	25	02
		293,5	2	03
		283,7	5	04
1602 32 11	Preparations uncooked of Fowls of the species <i>gallus domesticus</i>	233,8	16	01
		231,4	17	02

(¹) Origin of imports:

- 01 Brazil
- 02 Thailand
- 03 Chile
- 04 Argentina.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1533/1999**of 13 July 1999****fixing the maximum export refund for white sugar for the 47th partial invitation to tender issued within the framework of the standing invitation to tender provided for in Regulation (EC) No 1574/98**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organisation of the markets in the sugar sector ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1148/98 ⁽²⁾, and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 17(5) (b) thereof,

- (1) Whereas Commission Regulation (EC) No 1574/98 of 22 July 1998 on a standing invitation to tender to determine levies and/or refunds on exports of white sugar ⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EC) No 1489/1999 ⁽⁴⁾, requires partial invitations to tender to be issued for the export of this sugar;
- (2) Whereas, pursuant to Article 9(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1574/98 a maximum export refund shall be fixed, as the case may be, account being taken in particular of the state and foreseeable development of the Community

and world markets in sugar, for the partial invitation to tender in question;

- (3) Whereas, following an examination of the tenders submitted in response to the 47th partial invitation to tender, the provisions set out in Article 1 should be adopted;
- (4) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Sugar,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

For the 47th partial invitation to tender for white sugar issued pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 1574/98 the maximum amount of the export refund is fixed at 49,570 EUR/100 kg.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission
 Franz FISCHLER
 Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 177, 1.7.1981, p. 4.
⁽²⁾ OJ L 159, 3.6.1998, p. 38.
⁽³⁾ OJ L 206, 23.7.1998, p. 7.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 172, 8.7.1999, p. 27.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1534/1999

of 13 July 1999

fixing the representative prices and the additional import duties for molasses in the sugar sector

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the market in sugar ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1148/98 ⁽²⁾,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1422/95 of 23 June 1995 laying down detailed rules of application for imports of molasses in the sugar sector and amending Regulation (EEC) No 785/68 ⁽³⁾, and in particular Articles 1 (2) and 3 (1) thereof,

(1) Whereas Regulation (EC) No 1422/95 stipulates that the cif import price for molasses, hereinafter referred to as the 'representative price', should be set in accordance with Commission Regulation (EEC) No 785/68 ⁽⁴⁾; whereas that price should be fixed for the standard quality defined in Article 1 of the above Regulation;

(2) Whereas the representative price for molasses is calculated at the frontier crossing point into the Community, in this case Amsterdam; whereas that price must be based on the most favourable purchasing opportunities on the world market established on the basis of the quotations or prices on that market adjusted for any deviations from the standard quality; whereas the standard quality for molasses is defined in Regulation (EEC) No 785/68;

(3) Whereas, when the most favourable purchasing opportunities on the world market are being established, account must be taken of all available information on offers on the world market, on the prices recorded on important third-country markets and on sales concluded in international trade of which the Commission is aware, either directly or through the Member States; whereas, under Article 7 of Regulation (EEC) No 785/68, the Commission may for this purpose take an average of several prices as a basis, provided that this average is representative of actual market trends;

(4) Whereas the information must be disregarded if the goods concerned are not of sound and fair marketable quality or if the price quoted in the offer relates only to

a small quantity that is not representative of the market; whereas offer prices which can be regarded as not representative of actual market trends must also be disregarded;

(5) Whereas, if information on molasses of the standard quality is to be comparable, prices must, depending on the quality of the molasses offered, be increased or reduced in the light of the results achieved by applying Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 785/68;

(6) Whereas a representative price may be left unchanged by way of exception for a limited period if the offer price which served as a basis for the previous calculation of the representative price is not available to the Commission and if the offer prices which are available and which appear not to be sufficiently representative of actual market trends would entail sudden and considerable changes in the representative price;

(7) Whereas where there is a difference between the trigger price for the product in question and the representative price, additional import duties should be fixed under the conditions set out in Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 1422/95; whereas should the import duties be suspended pursuant to Article 5 of Regulation (EC) No 1422/95, specific amounts for these duties should be fixed;

(8) Whereas application of these provisions will have the effect of fixing the representative prices and the additional import duties for the products in question as set out in the Annex to this Regulation;

(9) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Sugar,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The representative prices and the additional duties applying to imports of the products referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 1422/95 are fixed in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 177, 1.7.1981, p. 4.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 159, 3.6.1998, p. 38.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 141, 24.6.1995, p. 12.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 145, 27.6.1968, p. 12.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission
Franz FISCHLER
Member of the Commission

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fixing the representative prices and additional import duties applying to imports of molasses in the sugar sector

(in EUR)

CN code	Amount of the representative price in 100 kg net of the product in question	Amount of the additional duty in 100 kg net of the product in question	Amount of the duty to be applied to imports in 100 kg net of the product in question because of suspension as referred to in Article 5 of Regulation (EC) No 1422/95 ⁽²⁾
1703 10 00 ⁽¹⁾	6,49	0,19	—
1703 90 00 ⁽¹⁾	7,61	0,00	—

⁽¹⁾ For the standard quality as defined in Article 1 of amended Regulation (EEC) No 785/68.

⁽²⁾ This amount replaces, in accordance with Article 5 of Regulation (EC) No 1422/95, the rate of the Common Customs Tariff duty fixed for these products.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1535/1999**of 13 July 1999****fixing the export refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in its unaltered state**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 1 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1148/98⁽²⁾, and in particular point (a) of the first subparagraph of Article 19 (4) thereof,

(1) Whereas Article 19 of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 provides that the difference between quotations or prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) of that Regulation and prices for those products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;

(2) Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 provides that when refunds on white and raw sugar, undenatured and exported in its unaltered state, are being fixed account must be taken of the situation on the Community and world markets in sugar and in particular of the price and cost factors set out in Article 17a of that Regulation; whereas the same Article provides that the economic aspect of the proposed exports should also be taken into account;

(3) Whereas the refund on raw sugar must be fixed in respect of the standard quality; whereas the latter is defined in Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 431/68 of 9 April 1968 determining the standard quality for raw sugar and fixing the Community frontier crossing point for calculating cif prices for sugar⁽³⁾, as amended by Regulation (EC) No 3290/94⁽⁴⁾; whereas, furthermore, this refund should be fixed in accordance with Article 17a (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81; whereas candy sugar is defined in Commission Regulation (EC) No 2135/95 of 7 September 1995 laying down detailed rules of application

for the grant of export refunds in the sugar sector⁽⁵⁾; whereas the refund thus calculated for sugar containing added flavouring or colouring matter must apply to their sucrose content and, accordingly, be fixed per 1 % of the said content;

(4) Whereas the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund for sugar according to destination;

(5) Whereas, in special cases, the amount of the refund may be fixed by other legal instruments;

(6) Whereas the refund must be fixed every two weeks; whereas it may be altered in the intervening period;

(7) Whereas it follows from applying the rules set out above to the present situation on the market in sugar and in particular to quotations or prices for sugar within the Community and on the world market that the refund should be as set out in the Annex hereto;

(8) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The export refunds on the products listed in Article 1 (1) (a) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81, undenatured and exported in the natural state, are hereby fixed to the amounts shown in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 177, 1.7.1981, p. 4.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 159, 3.6.1998, p. 38.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 89, 10.4.1968, p. 3.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 349, 31.12.1994, p. 105.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 214, 8.9.1995, p. 16.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission
Franz FISCHLER
Member of the Commission

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to the Commission Regulation of 13 July 1999 fixing the export refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in its unaltered state

Product code	Amount of refund
	— EUR/100 kg —
1701 11 90 9100	42,32 ⁽¹⁾
1701 11 90 9910	42,29 ⁽¹⁾
1701 11 90 9950	— ⁽²⁾
1701 12 90 9100	42,32 ⁽¹⁾
1701 12 90 9910	42,29 ⁽¹⁾
1701 12 90 9950	— ⁽²⁾
	— EUR/1 % of sucrose × 100 kg —
1701 91 00 9000	0,4600
	— EUR/100 kg —
1701 99 10 9100	46,00
1701 99 10 9910	45,97
1701 99 10 9950	45,97
	— EUR/1 % of sucrose × 100 kg —
1701 99 90 9100	0,4600

⁽¹⁾ Applicable to raw sugar with a yield of 92 %; if the yield is other than 92 %, the refund applicable is calculated in accordance with the provisions of Article 17a (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81.

⁽²⁾ Fixing suspended by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2689/85 (OJ L 255, 26.9.1985, p. 12), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3251/85 (OJ L 309, 21.11.1985, p. 14).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1536/1999
of 13 July 1999
fixing the export refunds on pigmeat

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organisation of the market in pigmeat ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by the Act of Accession of Austria, Finland and Sweden and by Regulation (EC) No 3290/94 ⁽²⁾, and in particular the second paragraph of Article 13 (3) thereof,

- (1) Whereas Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 provides that the difference between prices on the world market for the products listed in Article 1(1) of that Regulation and prices for these products within the Community may be covered by an export refund;
- (2) Whereas it follows from applying these rules and criteria to the present situation on the market in pigmeat that the refund should be fixed as set out below;
- (3) Whereas, in the case of products falling within CN code 0210 19 81, the refund should be limited to an amount which takes account of the qualitative characteristics of each of the products falling within these codes and of the foreseeable trend of production costs on the world market; whereas it is important that the Community should continue to take part in international trade in the case of certain typical Italian products falling within CN code 0210 19 81;
- (4) Whereas, because of the conditions of competition in certain third countries, which are traditionally importers of products falling within CN codes 1601 00 and 1602, the refund for these products should be fixed so as to

take this situation into account; whereas steps should be taken to ensure that the refund is granted only for the net weight of the edible substances, to the exclusion of the net weight of the bones possibly contained in the said preparations;

- (5) Whereas Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 provides that the world market situation or the specific requirements of certain markets may make it necessary to vary the refund on the products listed in Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 according to destination;
- (6) Whereas the refunds should be fixed taking account of the amendments to the refund nomenclature established by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 565/1999 ⁽⁴⁾;
- (7) Whereas the Management Committee for Pigmeat has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The list of products on which the export refund specified in Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 is granted and the amount of the refund shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 14 July 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission

Franz FISCHLER

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 282, 1.11.1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 349, 31.12.1994, p. 105.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 366, 24.12.1987, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 70, 17.3.1999, p. 3.

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to the Commission Regulation of 13 July 1999 fixing the export refunds on pigmeat

(EUR/100 kg net weight)			(EUR/100 kg net weight)		
Product code	Destination of refund ⁽¹⁾	Amount of refund	Product code	Destination of refund ⁽¹⁾	Amount of refund
0203 11 10 9000	01	15,00	0203 22 19 9100	01	15,00
	02	40,00		02	40,00
	03	53,00		03	53,00
0203 12 11 9100	01	15,00	0203 29 11 9100	01	15,00
	02	40,00		02	40,00
	03	53,00		03	53,00
0203 12 19 9100	01	15,00	0203 29 13 9100	01	15,00
	02	40,00		02	40,00
	03	53,00		03	53,00
0203 19 11 9100	01	15,00	0203 29 15 9100	01	10,00
	02	40,00		02	25,00
	03	53,00		03	53,00
0203 19 13 9100	01	15,00	0203 29 55 9110	01	15,00
	02	40,00		02	40,00
	03	53,00		03	53,00
0203 19 15 9100	01	10,00	0210 11 31 9110	04	90,00
	02	25,00	0210 11 31 9910	04	90,00
	03	53,00	0210 12 19 9100	04	20,00
0203 19 55 9110	01	15,00	0210 19 81 9100	04	95,00
	02	40,00	0210 19 81 9300	04	76,00
	03	53,00	1601 00 91 9000	04	28,00
0203 19 55 9310	01	10,00	1601 00 99 9110	04	25,00
	02	25,00	03	40,00	
	03	53,00	1602 41 10 9210	04	62,00
0203 21 10 9000	01	15,00	1602 42 10 9210	04	34,00
	02	40,00	03	50,00	
	03	53,00	1602 49 19 9120	04	25,00
0203 22 11 9100	01	15,00	03	45,00	
	02	40,00			
	03	53,00			

⁽¹⁾ The destinations are as follows:

- 01 Poland, Czech Republic, Slovak Republic, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria, Slovenia, Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia
- 02 All destinations except those of 01
- 03 Russia
- 04 All destinations

NB: The product codes and the footnotes are defined in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3846/87.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1537/1999

of 13 July 1999

derogating from Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 in respect of the definition of the concept of originating products used for the purposes of the scheme of generalised preferences to take account of the special situation of Laos regarding certain exports of textiles to the Community

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 of 12 October 1992 establishing the Community Customs Code ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 955/1999 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 249 thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 of 2 July 1993 laying down provisions for the implementation of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 establishing the Community Customs Code ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 502/1999 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 76 thereof,

(1) Whereas, by Council Regulation (EC) No 2820/98 of 21 December 1998 applying a multiannual scheme of generalised tariff preferences for the period 1 July 1999 to 31 December 2001 ⁽⁵⁾, the Community gave such preferences to Laos; whereas that Regulation has also extended, until 30 June 1999, the validity of Council Regulation (EC) No 3281/94 of 19 December 1994 applying a four-year scheme of generalised tariff preferences (1995 to 1998) in respect of certain industrial products originating in developing countries ⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 602/98 ⁽⁷⁾, by which Laos was also given such preferences;

(2) Whereas Articles 67 to 97 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 establish the definition of the concept of originating products to be used for the purposes of generalised tariff preferences; whereas Article 76 of that Regulation provides, however, for derogations to those provisions in favour of least-developed GSP-beneficiary countries which submit an appropriate request to that effect to the Community;

(3) Whereas, by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1713/97 ⁽⁸⁾, Laos obtained such a derogation for certain textiles, for the period 1 August 1997 to 31 December 1998;

(4) Whereas the Government of Laos has asked for the term of validity of that derogation to be extended;

(5) Whereas the request submitted by Laos satisfies the requirements of Article 76 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93; whereas in particular the introduction of quantitative conditions (on an annual basis) reflecting the Community market's capacity to absorb the Lao products, Laos's export capacity and actual recorded trade flows, is such as to prevent injury to the corresponding branches of Community industry; whereas the derogation should be adapted, however, with reference to the economic needs, and to the new rules of origin, applicable under generalised tariff preferences, given in Commission Regulation (EC) No 46/1999 ⁽⁹⁾;

(6) Whereas in order to encourage regional cooperation among beneficiary countries it is desirable to provide that the raw materials to be used in Laos in the context of this derogation should originate in countries belonging to the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) or to the Lomé Convention;

(7) Whereas the open and effective administration of these measures should be ensured by applying the relevant provisions, for the management of tariff quotas, laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93, as amended by Regulation (EC) No 1427/97 ⁽¹⁰⁾;

(8) Whereas provision should be made for the transfer of quantities between product categories in accordance with and up to the limits for Bangladesh in Annex VIII to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93 of 12 October 1993 on common rules for imports of certain textile products from third countries ⁽¹¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1072/1999 ⁽¹²⁾;

(9) Whereas, to be fully effective, the derogation should be granted for a reasonable length of time;

(10) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Customs Code Committee,

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 302, 19.10.1992, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 119, 7.5.1999, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 253, 11.10.1993, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 65, 12.3.1999, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 357, 30.12.1998, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 348, 31.12.1994, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ L 80, 18.3.1998, p. 1.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ L 242, 4.9.1997, p. 1.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ L 10, 15.1.1999, p. 1.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ L 196, 24.7.1997, p. 31.

⁽¹¹⁾ OJ L 275, 8.11.1993, p. 1.

⁽¹²⁾ OJ L 134, 28.5.1999, p. 1.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. By way of derogation from Articles 67 to 97 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93, products listed in the Annex to this Regulation which are manufactured in Laos from woven fabric (woven items) or yarn (knitted items) imported into that country and originating in a country belonging to the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) or to the Lomé Convention shall be regarded as originating in Laos in accordance with the arrangements set out below.

2. For the purposes of paragraph 1, products shall be considered as originating in SAARC when they are obtained in these countries according to the rules of origin provided for in Articles 67 to 97 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93, or as originating in the beneficiary countries of the Lomé Convention when they are obtained in those countries according to the rules of origin provided in Protocol 1 to the Fourth ACP-EEC Convention ⁽¹⁾.

3. The competent authorities of Laos shall undertake to take all of the necessary measures to ensure compliance with the provisions of paragraph 2.

Article 2

The derogation provided for in Article 1 shall apply to products imported into the Community from Laos during the period 15 July 1999 to 14 July 2000, up to the annual quantities listed in the Annex against each product.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission

Mario MONTI

Member of the Commission

Article 3

The quantities referred to in Article 2 shall be managed by the Commission, in accordance with the provisions laid down in Articles 308a to 308c of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93.

Article 4

Quantities may be transferred in accordance with the provisions and up to the limits set out for Bangladesh in Annex VIII to Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93.

Article 5

The following shall be entered in box 4 of certificates of origin Form A issued pursuant to this Regulation:

'Derogation — Regulation (EC) No 000/1999'

Article 6

In case of doubt, the Member States may demand a copy of the document certifying the origin of the materials used in Laos under this derogation. Such a demand may be made at the time of entry into free circulation of the goods benefiting from this Regulation, or within the framework of the administrative cooperation for which provision is made in Article 94 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93.

Article 7

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

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 229, 17.8.1991, p. 1.

ANNEX

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8003	6	6203 41 10 6203 41 90 6203 42 31 6203 42 33 6203 42 35 6203 42 90 6203 43 19 6203 43 90 6203 49 19 6203 49 50 6204 61 10 6204 62 31 6204 62 33 6204 62 39 6204 63 18 6204 69 18 6211 32 42 6211 33 42 6211 42 42 6211 43 42	Men's or boys' woven breeches, shorts other than swimwear and trousers (including slacks); women's or girls' woven trousers and slacks, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres; lower parts of tracksuits with lining, other than category 16 or 29, of cotton or of man-made fibres	3 972 964 pieces
09.8004	7	6106 10 00 6106 20 00 6106 90 10 6206 20 00 6206 30 00 6206 40 00	Women's or girls' blouses, shirts and shirt-blouses, whether or not knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	442 749 pieces
09.8005	8	6205 10 00 6205 20 00 6205 30 00	Men's or boys' shirts, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	542 011 pieces
09.8006	10	6111 10 10 6111 20 10 6111 30 10 ex 6111 90 00 6116 10 20 6116 10 80 6116 91 00 6116 92 00 6116 93 00 6116 99 00	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted	1 100 pairs
09.8007	12	6115 12 00 6115 19 00 6115 20 11 6115 20 90 6115 91 00 6115 92 00 6115 93 10 6115 93 30 6115 93 99 6115 99 00	Panty-hose and tights, stockings, understockings, socks, ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, other than for babies, including stockings for varicose veins, other than products of category 70	1 100 pairs

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8009	14	6201 11 00 ex 6201 12 10 ex 6201 12 90 ex 6201 13 10 ex 6201 13 90 6210 20 00	Men's or boys' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres (other than parkas of category 21)	33 846 pieces
09.8010	15	6202 11 00 ex 6202 12 10 ex 6202 12 90 ex 6202 13 10 ex 6202 13 90 6204 31 00 6204 32 90 6204 33 90 6204 39 19 6210 30 00	Women's or girls' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes; jackets and blazers, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres (other than parkas of category 21)	329 928 pieces
09.8011	16	6203 11 00 6203 12 00 6203 19 10 6203 19 30 6203 21 00 6203 22 80 6203 23 80 6203 29 18 6211 32 31 6211 33 31	Men's or boys' suits and ensembles, other than knitted or corched, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres, excluding ski-suits; men's or boys' tracksuits with lining, with an outer shell of a single identical fabric, of cotton or of man-made fibres	323 670 pieces
09.8012	17	6203 31 00 6203 32 90 6203 33 90 6203 39 19	Men's or boys' jackets and blazers, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	43 127 pieces
09.8013	18	6207 11 00 6207 19 00 6207 21 00 6207 22 00 6207 29 00 6207 91 10 6207 91 90 6207 92 00 6207 99 00 6208 11 00 6208 19 10 6208 19 90 6208 21 00 6208 22 00 6208 29 00 6208 91 11 6208 91 19 6208 91 90 6208 92 00 6208 99 00 ex 6212 10 10 6212 10 90	Men's or boys' singlets and other vests, underpants, briefs, nightshirts, pyjamas, bathrobes, dressing-gowns and similar articles, other than knitted or crocheted Women's or girls singlets and other vests, slips, petticoats, briefs, panties, nightdresses, pyjamas, négligés, bathrobes, dressing-gowns and similar articles, other than knitted or crocheted	16 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8014	21	ex 6201 12 10 ex 6201 12 90 ex 6201 13 10 ex 6201 13 90 6201 91 00 6201 92 00 6201 93 00 ex 6202 12 10 ex 6202 12 90 ex 6202 13 10 ex 6202 13 90 6202 91 00 6202 92 00 6202 93 00 6211 32 41 6211 33 41 6211 42 41 6211 43 41	Parkas; anoraks, wind-cheaters, waister jackets and the like, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres; upper parts of tracksuits with lining, other than category 16 or 29, of cotton or of man-made fibres	706 549 pieces
09.8016	26	6104 41 00 6104 42 00 6104 43 00 6104 44 00 6204 41 00 6204 42 00 6204 43 00 6204 44 00	Women's or girls' dresses, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	207 317 pieces
09.8017	27	6104 51 00 6104 52 00 6104 53 00 6104 59 00 6204 51 00 6204 52 00 6204 53 00 6204 59 10	Women's or girls' skirts, including divided skirts	239 827 pieces
09.8019	29	6204 11 00 6204 12 00 6204 13 00 6204 19 10 6204 21 00 6204 22 80 6204 23 80 6204 29 18 6211 42 31 6211 43 31	Women's or girls' suits and ensembles, other than knitted or crocheted, or wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres, excluding ski-suits; women's or girls' tracksuits with lining, with an outer shell of an identical fabric, of cotton or of man-made fibres	185 335 pieces
09.8020	31	ex 6212 10 10 6212 10 90	Brassières, woven, knitted or crocheted	1 100 pieces
09.8021	68	6111 10 90 6111 20 90 6111 30 90 ex 6111 90 00 ex 6209 10 00 ex 6209 20 00 ex 6209 30 00 ex 6209 90 00	Babies' garments and clothing accessories, excluding babies' gloves, mittens and mitts of categories 10 and 87, and babies' stockings, socks and sockettes, other than knitted or crocheted, of category 88	414 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8023	72	6112 31 10 6112 31 90 6112 39 10 6112 39 90 6112 41 10 6112 41 90 6112 49 10 6112 49 90 6211 11 00 6211 12 00	Swimwear, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	16 647 pieces
09.8027	76	6203 22 10 6203 23 10 6203 29 11 6203 32 10 6203 33 10 6203 39 11 6203 42 11 6203 42 51 6203 43 11 6203 43 31 6203 49 11 6203 49 31 6211 32 10 6211 33 10 6204 22 10 6204 23 10 6204 29 11 6204 32 10 6204 33 10 6204 39 11 6204 62 11 6204 62 51 6204 63 11 6204 63 31 6204 69 11 6204 69 31 6211 42 10 6211 43 10	Men's or boys' industrial or occupational clothing, other than knitted or crocheted Women's or girls' aprons, smock-overalls and other industrial or occupational clothing, other than knitted or crocheted	116 tonnes
09.8028	78	6203 41 30 6203 42 59 6203 43 39 6203 49 39 6204 61 80 6204 61 90 6204 62 59 6204 62 90 6204 63 39 6204 63 90 6204 69 39 6204 69 50 6210 40 00 6210 50 00 6211 31 00 6211 32 90 6211 33 90 6211 41 00 6211 42 90 6211 43 90	Garments, other than knitted or crocheted, excluding garments of categories 6, 7, 8, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 26, 27, 29, 68, 72, 76 and 77	530 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8030	84	6214 20 00 6214 30 00 6214 40 00 6214 90 10	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	1,1 tonnes
09.8031	86	6212 20 00 6212 30 00 6212 90 00	Corsets, corset-belts, suspender-belts, braces, suspenders, garters and the like, and parts thereof, whether or not knitted or crocheted	1 100 pieces
09.8034	159	6204 49 10 6206 10 00 6214 10 00 6215 10 00	Dresses, blouses and shirt-blouses, not knitted or crocheted, of silk-waste Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, not knitted or crocheted, of silk or of silk-waste Ties, bow-ties and cravats, of silk or of silk-waste	3 tonnes
09.8035	161	6201 19 00 6201 99 00 6202 19 00 6202 99 00 6203 19 90 6203 29 90 6203 39 90 6203 49 90 6204 19 90 6204 29 90 6204 39 90 6204 49 90 6210 59 90 6210 69 90 6205 90 10 6205 90 90 6206 90 10 6206 90 90 ex 6211 20 00 6211 39 00 6211 49 00	Garments, not knitted or crocheted, other than those of categories 1 to 123 and of category 159	91 tonnes
09.8036	20	6302 21 00 6302 22 90 6302 29 90 6302 31 10 6302 31 90 6302 32 90 6302 39 90	Bed linen, other than knitted or crocheted	146 tonnes
09.8037	40	ex 6303 91 00 ex 6303 92 90 ex 6303 99 90 6304 19 10 ex 6304 19 90 6304 92 00 ex 6304 93 00 ex 6303 99 00	Woven curtains (including drapes, interior blinds, curtain and bed valances and other furnishing articles), other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	2 tonnes
09.8038	91	6306 21 00 6306 22 00 6306 29 00	Tents	1,1 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8039	109	6306 11 00 6306 12 00 6306 19 00 6306 31 00 6306 39 00	Tarpaulins, sails, awnings and sunblinds	1,1 tonnes
09.8040	110	6306 41 00 6306 49 00	Woven pneumatic mattresses	1,1 tonnes
09.8041	111	6306 91 00 6306 99 00	Camping goods, woven, other than pneumatic mattresses and tents	1,1 tonnes

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of 13 July 1999

derogating from Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 in respect of the definition of the concept of originating products used for the purposes of the scheme of generalised preferences to take account of the special situation of Cambodia regarding certain exports of textiles to the Community

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 of 12 October 1992 establishing the Community Customs Code ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 955/1999 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 249 thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 of 2 July 1993 laying down provisions for the implementation of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 establishing the Community Customs Code ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 502/1999 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 76 thereof,

(1) Whereas, by Council Regulation (EC) No 2820/98 of 21 December 1998 applying a multiannual scheme of generalised tariff preferences for the period 1 July 1999 to 31 December 2001 ⁽⁵⁾, the Community gave such preferences to Cambodia; whereas that Regulation has also extended, until 30 June 1999, the validity of Council Regulation (EC) No 3281/94 of 19 December 1994 applying a four-year scheme of generalised tariff preferences (1995 to 1998) in respect of certain industrial products originating in developing countries ⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 602/98 ⁽⁷⁾, by which Cambodia was also given such preferences;

(2) Whereas Articles 67 to 97 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 establish the definition of the concept of originating products to be used for the purposes of generalised tariff preferences; whereas Article 76 of that Regulation provides, however, for derogations to those provisions in favour of least-developed GSP-beneficiary countries which submit an appropriate request to that effect to the Community;

(3) Whereas, by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1714/97 ⁽⁸⁾, Cambodia obtained such a derogation for certain textiles, for the period 1 August 1997 to 31 December 1998;

(4) Whereas the Government of Cambodia has asked for the term of validity of that derogation to be extended;

(5) Whereas the request submitted by Cambodia satisfies the requirements of Article 76 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93; whereas in particular the introduction of quantitative conditions (on an annual basis) reflecting the Community market's capacity to absorb the Cambodian products, Cambodia's export capacity and actual recorded trade flows, is such as to prevent injury to the corresponding branches of Community industry; whereas the derogation should be adapted, however, with reference to the economic needs, and to the new rules of origin, applicable under generalised tariff preferences, given in Commission Regulation (EC) No 46/1999 ⁽⁹⁾;

(6) Whereas in order to encourage regional cooperation among beneficiary countries it is desirable to provide that the raw materials to be used in Cambodia in the context of this derogation should originate in countries belonging to the Association of South-East Asian Nations (Asean) (except Myanmar), the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) or to the Lomé Convention;

(7) Whereas the open and effective administration of these measures should be ensured by applying the relevant provisions, for the management of tariff quotas, laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93, as amended by Regulation (EC) No 1427/97 ⁽¹⁰⁾;

(8) Whereas provision should be made for the transfer of quantities between product categories in accordance with and up to the limits for Bangladesh in Annex VIII to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93 of 12 October 1993 on common rules for imports of certain textile products from third countries ⁽¹¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1072/1999 ⁽¹²⁾;

(9) Whereas, to be fully effective, the derogation should be granted for a reasonable length of time;

(10) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Customs Code Committee,

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 302, 19.10.1992, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 119, 7.5.1999, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 253, 11.10.1993, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 65, 12.3.1999, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 357, 30.12.1998, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 348, 31.12.1994, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ L 80, 18.3.1998, p. 1.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ L 242, 4.9.1997, p. 10.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ L 10, 15.1.1999, p. 1.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ L 196, 24.7.1997, p. 31.

⁽¹¹⁾ OJ L 275, 8.11.1993, p. 1.

⁽¹²⁾ OJ L 134, 28.5.1999, p. 1.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. By way of derogation from Articles 67 to 97 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93, products listed in the Annex to this Regulation which are manufactured in Cambodia from woven fabric (woven items) or yarn (knitted items) imported into that country and originating in a country belonging to the Association of South-East Asian Nations (Asean) (except Myanmar), the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) or to the Lomé Convention shall be regarded as originating in Cambodia in accordance with the arrangements set out below.

2. For the purposes of paragraph 1, products shall be considered as originating in Asean or SAARC when they are obtained in these countries according to the rules of origin provided for in Articles 67 to 97 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93, or as originating in the beneficiary countries of the Lomé Convention when they are obtained in those countries according to the rules of origin provided in Protocol 1 to the Fourth ACP-EEC Convention ⁽¹⁾.

3. The competent authorities of Cambodia shall undertake to take all of the necessary measures to ensure compliance with the provisions of paragraph 2.

Article 2

The derogation provided for in Article 1 shall apply to products imported into the Community from Cambodia during the period 15 July 1999 to 14 July 2000, up to the annual quantities listed in the Annex against each product.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission

Mario MONTI

Member of the Commission

Article 3

The quantities referred to in Article 2 shall be managed by the Commission, in accordance with the provisions laid down in Articles 308a to 308c of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93.

Article 4

Quantities may be transferred in accordance with the provisions and up to the limits set out for Bangladesh in Annex VIII to Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93.

Article 5

The following shall be entered in box 4 of certificates of origin Form A issued pursuant to this Regulation:

'Derogation — Regulation (EC) No 1538/1999'

Article 6

In case of doubt, the Member States may demand a copy of the document certifying the origin of the materials used in Cambodia under this derogation. Such a demand may be made at the time of entry into free circulation of the goods benefiting from this Regulation, or within the framework of the administrative cooperation for which provision is made in Article 94 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93.

Article 7

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

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 229, 17.8.1991, p. 1.

ANNEX

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8052	6	6203 41 10 6203 41 90 6203 42 31 6203 42 33 6203 42 35 6203 42 90 6203 43 19 6203 43 90 6203 49 19 6203 49 50 6204 61 10 6204 62 31 6204 62 33 6204 62 39 6204 63 18 6204 69 18 6211 32 42 6211 33 42 6211 42 42 6211 43 42	Men's or boys' woven breeches, shorts other than swimwear and trousers (including slacks); women's or girls' woven trousers and slacks, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres; lower parts of tracksuits with lining, other than category 16 or 29, of cotton or of man-made fibres	2 362 029 pieces
09.8053	7	6106 10 00 6106 20 00 6106 90 10 6206 20 00 6206 30 00 6206 40 00	Women's or girls' blouses, shirts and shirt-blouses, whether or not knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	3 826 186 pieces
09.8054	8	6205 10 00 6205 20 00 6205 30 00	Men's or boys' shirts, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	337 482 pieces
09.8055	10	6111 10 10 6111 20 10 6111 30 10 ex 6111 90 00 6116 10 20 6116 10 80 6116 91 00 6116 92 00 6116 93 00 6116 99 00	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted	344 605 pairs
09.8056	12	6115 12 00 6115 19 00 6115 20 11 6115 20 90 6115 91 00 6115 92 00 6115 93 10 6115 93 30 6115 93 99 6115 99 00	Panty-hose and tights, stockings, understockings, socks, ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, other than for babies, including stockings for varicose veins, other than products of category 70	1 100 pairs

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8058	14	6201 11 00 ex 6201 12 10 ex 6201 12 90 ex 6201 13 10 ex 6201 13 90 6210 20 00	Men's or boys' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres (other than parkas of category 21)	73 471 pieces
09.8059	15	6202 11 00 ex 6202 12 10 ex 6202 12 90 ex 6202 13 10 ex 6202 13 90 6204 31 00 6204 32 90 6204 33 90 6204 39 19 6210 30 00	Women's or girls' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes; jackets and blazers, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres (other than parkas of category 21)	1 236 927 pieces
09.8060	16	6203 11 00 6203 12 00 6203 19 10 6203 19 30 6203 21 00 6203 22 80 6203 23 80 6203 29 18 6211 32 31 6211 33 31	Men's or boys' suits and ensembles, other than knitted or corched, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres, excluding ski-suits; men's or boys' tracksuits with lining, with an outer shell of a single identical fabric, of cotton or of man-made fibres	93 186 pieces
09.8061	17	6203 31 00 6203 32 90 6203 33 90 6203 39 19	Men's or boys' jackets and blazers, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	75 581 pieces
09.8062	18	6207 11 00 6207 19 00 6207 21 00 6207 22 00 6207 29 00 6207 91 10 6207 91 90 6207 92 00 6207 99 00 6208 11 00 6208 19 10 6208 19 90 6208 21 00 6208 22 00 6208 29 00 6208 91 11 6208 91 19 6208 91 90 6208 92 00 6208 99 00 ex 6212 10 10 6212 10 90	Men's or boys' singlets and other vests, underpants, briefs, nightshirts, pyjamas, bathrobes, dressing-gowns and similar articles, other than knitted or crocheted Women's or girls singlets and other vests, slips, petticoats, briefs, panties, nightdresses, pyjamas, négligés, bathrobes, dressing-gowns and similar articles, other than knitted or crocheted	415 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8063	21	ex 6201 12 10 ex 6201 12 90 ex 6201 13 10 ex 6201 13 90 6201 91 00 6201 92 00 6201 93 00 ex 6202 12 10 ex 6202 12 90 ex 6202 13 10 ex 6202 13 90 6202 91 00 6202 92 00 6202 93 00 6211 32 41 6211 33 41 6211 42 41 6211 43 41	Parkas; anoraks, wind-cheaters, waister jackets and the like, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres; upper parts of tracksuits with lining, other than category 16 or 29, of cotton or of man-made fibres	462 590 pieces
09.8065	26	6104 41 00 6104 42 00 6104 43 00 6104 44 00 6204 41 00 6204 42 00 6204 43 00 6204 44 00	Women's or girls' dresses, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	532 545 pieces
09.8066	27	6104 51 00 6104 52 00 6104 53 00 6104 59 00 6204 51 00 6204 52 00 6204 53 00 6204 59 10	Women's or girls' skirts, including divided skirts	665 194 pieces
09.8068	29	6204 11 00 6204 12 00 6204 13 00 6204 19 10 6204 21 00 6204 22 80 6204 23 80 6204 29 18 6211 42 31 6211 43 31	Women's or girls' suits and ensembles, other than knitted or crocheted, or wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres, excluding ski-suits; women's or girls' tracksuits with lining, with an outer shell of an identical fabric, of cotton or of man-made fibres	256 857 pieces
09.8069	31	ex 6212 10 10 6212 10 90	Brassières, woven, knitted or crocheted	1 804 036 pieces
09.8070	68	6111 10 90 6111 20 90 6111 30 90 ex 6111 90 00 ex 6209 10 00 ex 6209 20 00 ex 6209 30 00 ex 6209 90 00	Babies' garments and clothing accessories, excluding babies' gloves, mittens and mitts of categories 10 and 87, and babies' stockings, socks and sockettes, other than knitted or crocheted, of category 88	76 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8072	72	6112 31 10 6112 31 90 6112 39 10 6112 39 90 6112 41 10 6112 41 90 6112 49 10 6112 49 90 6211 11 00 6211 12 00	Swimwear, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	37 113 pieces
09.8076	76	6203 22 10 6203 23 10 6203 29 11 6203 32 10 6203 33 10 6203 39 11 6203 42 11 6203 42 51 6203 43 11 6203 43 31 6203 49 11 6203 49 31 6211 32 10 6211 33 10 6204 22 10 6204 23 10 6204 29 11 6204 32 10 6204 33 10 6204 39 11 6204 62 11 6204 62 51 6204 63 11 6204 63 31 6204 69 11 6204 69 31 6211 42 10 6211 43 10	Men's or boys' industrial or occupational clothing, other than knitted or crocheted Women's or girls' aprons, smock-overalls and other industrial or occupational clothing, other than knitted or crocheted	871 tonnes
09.8077	78	6203 41 30 6203 42 59 6203 43 39 6203 49 39 6204 61 80 6204 61 90 6204 62 59 6204 62 90 6204 63 39 6204 63 90 6204 69 39 6204 69 50 6210 40 00 6210 50 00 6211 31 00 6211 32 90 6211 33 90 6211 41 00 6211 42 90 6211 43 90	Garments, other than knitted or crocheted, excluding garments of categories 6, 7, 8, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 26, 27, 29, 68, 72, 76 and 77	385 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8079	84	6214 20 00 6214 30 00 6214 40 00 6214 90 10	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	1,1 tonnes
09.8080	86	6212 20 00 6212 30 00 6212 90 00	Corsets, corset-belts, suspender-belts, braces, suspenders, garters and the like, and parts thereof, whether or not knitted or crocheted	1 100 pieces
09.8083	159	6204 49 10 6206 10 00 6214 10 00 6215 10 00	Dresses, blouses and shirt-blouses, not knitted or crocheted, of silk-waste Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, not knitted or crocheted, of silk or of silk-waste Ties, bow-ties and cravats, of silk or of silk-waste	1,1 tonnes
09.8084	161	6201 19 00 6201 99 00 6202 19 00 6202 99 00 6203 19 90 6203 29 90 6203 39 90 6203 49 90 6204 19 90 6204 29 90 6204 39 90 6204 49 90 6210 59 90 6210 69 90 6205 90 10 6205 90 90 6206 90 10 6206 90 90 ex 6211 20 00 6211 39 00 6211 49 00	Garments, not knitted or crocheted, other than those of categories 1 to 123 and of category 159	58 tonnes
09.8085	20	6302 21 00 6302 22 90 6302 29 90 6302 31 10 6302 31 90 6302 32 90 6302 39 90	Bed linen, other than knitted or crocheted	2 tonnes
09.8086	40	ex 6303 91 00 ex 6303 92 90 ex 6303 99 90 6304 19 10 ex 6304 19 90 6304 92 00 ex 6304 93 00 ex 6303 99 00	Woven curtains (including drapes, interior blinds, curtain and bed valances and other furnishing articles), other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	32 tonnes
09.8087	91	6306 21 00 6306 22 00 6306 29 00	Tents	280 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8088	109	6306 11 00 6306 12 00 6306 19 00 6306 31 00 6306 39 00	Tarpaulins, sails, awnings and sunblinds	1,1 tonnes
09.8089	110	6306 41 00 6306 49 00	Woven pneumatic mattresses	1,1 tonnes
09.8090	111	6306 91 00 6306 99 00	Camping goods, woven, other than pneumatic mattresses and tents	1,1 tonnes

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1539/1999

of 13 July 1999

derogating from Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 in respect of the definition of the concept of originating products used for the purposes of the scheme of generalised preferences to take account of the special situation of Nepal regarding certain exports of textiles to the Community

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 of 12 October 1992 establishing the Community Customs Code ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 955/1999 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 249 thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 of 2 July 1993 laying down provisions for the implementation of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 establishing the Community Customs Code ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 502/1999 ⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 76 thereof,

(1) Whereas, by Council Regulation (EC) No 2820/98 of 21 December 1998 applying a multiannual scheme of generalised tariff preferences for the period 1 July 1999 to 31 December 2001 ⁽⁵⁾, the Community gave such preferences to Nepal; whereas that Regulation has also extended, until 30 June 1999, the validity of Council Regulation (EC) No 3281/94 of 19 December 1994 applying a four-year scheme of generalised tariff preferences (1995 to 1998) in respect of certain industrial products originating in developing countries ⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 602/98 ⁽⁷⁾, by which Nepal was also given such preferences;

(2) Whereas Articles 67 to 97 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 establish the definition of the concept of originating products to be used for the purposes of generalised tariff preferences; whereas Article 76 of that Regulation provides, however, for derogations to those provisions in favour of least-developed GSP-beneficiary countries which submit an appropriate request to that effect to the Community;

(3) Whereas, by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1715/97 ⁽⁸⁾, Nepal obtained such a derogation for certain textiles, for the period 1 August 1997 to 31 December 1998;

(4) Whereas the Government of Nepal has asked for the term of validity of that derogation to be extended;

(5) Whereas the request submitted by Nepal satisfies the requirements of Article 76 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93; whereas in particular the introduction of quantitative conditions (on an annual basis) reflecting the Community market's capacity to absorb the Nepalese products, Nepal's export capacity and actual recorded trade flows, is such as to prevent injury to the corresponding branches of Community industry; whereas the derogation should be adapted, however, with reference to the economic needs, and to the new rules of origin, applicable under generalised tariff preferences, given in Commission Regulation (EC) No 46/1999 ⁽⁹⁾;

(6) Whereas in order to encourage regional cooperation among beneficiary countries it is desirable to provide that the raw materials to be used in Nepal in the context of this derogation should originate in countries belonging to the Association of South-East Asian Nations (Asean) (except Myanmar), the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) or to the Lomé Convention;

(7) Whereas the open and effective administration of these measures should be ensured by applying the relevant provisions, for the management of tariff quotas, laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93, as amended by Regulation (EC) No 1427/97 ⁽¹⁰⁾;

(8) Whereas provision should be made for the transfer of quantities between product categories in accordance with and up to the limits for Bangladesh in Annex VIII to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93 of 12 October 1993 on common rules for imports of certain textile products from third countries ⁽¹¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1072/1999 ⁽¹²⁾;

(9) Whereas, to be fully effective, the derogation should be granted for a reasonable length of time;

(10) Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Customs Code Committee,

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 302, 19.10.1992, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 119, 7.5.1999, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 253, 11.10.1993, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 65, 12.3.1999, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 357, 30.12.1998, p. 1.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 348, 31.12.1994, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ L 80, 18.3.1998, p. 1.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ L 242, 4.9.1997, p. 19.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ L 10, 15.1.1999, p. 1.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ L 196, 24.7.1997, p. 31.

⁽¹¹⁾ OJ L 275, 8.11.1993, p. 1.

⁽¹²⁾ OJ L 134, 28.5.1999, p. 1.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. By way of derogation from Articles 67 to 97 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93, products listed in the Annex to this Regulation which are manufactured in Nepal from woven fabric (woven items) or yarn (knitted items) imported into that country and originating in a country belonging to the Association of South-East Asian Nations (Asean) (except Myanmar), the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) or to the Lomé Convention shall be regarded as originating in Nepal in accordance with the arrangements set out below.

2. For the purposes of paragraph 1, products shall be considered as originating in Asean or SAARC when they are obtained in these countries according to the rules of origin provided for in Articles 67 to 97 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93, or as originating in the beneficiary countries of the Lomé Convention when they are obtained in those countries according to the rules of origin provided in Protocol 1 to the Fourth ACP-EEC Convention ⁽¹⁾.

3. The competent authorities of Nepal shall undertake to take all of the necessary measures to ensure compliance with the provisions of paragraph 2.

Article 2

The derogation provided for in Article 1 shall apply to products imported into the Community from Nepal during the period 15 July 1999 to 14 July 2000, up to the annual quantities listed in the Annex against each product.

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

Done at Brussels, 13 July 1999.

For the Commission

Mario MONTI

Member of the Commission

Article 3

The quantities referred to in Article 2 shall be managed by the Commission, in accordance with the provisions laid down in Articles 308a to 308c of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93.

Article 4

Quantities may be transferred in accordance with the provisions and up to the limits set out for Bangladesh in Annex VIII to Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93.

Article 5

The following shall be entered in box 4 of certificates of origin Form A issued pursuant to this Regulation:

'Derogation — Regulation (EC) No 1539/1999'

Article 6

In case of doubt, the Member States may demand a copy of the document certifying the origin of the materials used in Nepal under this derogation. Such a demand may be made at the time of entry into free circulation of the goods benefiting from this Regulation, or within the framework of the administrative cooperation for which provision is made in Article 94 of Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93.

Article 7

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

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 229, 17.8.1991, p. 1.

ANNEX

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8103	6	6203 41 10 6203 41 90 6203 42 31 6203 42 33 6203 42 35 6203 42 90 6203 43 19 6203 43 90 6203 49 19 6203 49 50 6204 61 10 6204 62 31 6204 62 33 6204 62 39 6204 63 18 6204 69 18 6211 32 42 6211 33 42 6211 42 42 6211 43 42	Men's or boys' woven breeches, shorts other than swimwear and trousers (including slacks); women's or girls' woven trousers and slacks, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres; lower parts of tracksuits with lining, other than category 16 or 29, of cotton or of man-made fibres	474 814 pieces
09.8104	7	6106 10 00 6106 20 00 6106 90 10 6206 20 00 6206 30 00 6206 40 00	Women's or girls' blouses, shirts and shirt-blouses, whether or not knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	386 814 pieces
09.8105	8	6205 10 00 6205 20 00 6205 30 00	Men's or boys' shirts, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	144 532 pieces
09.8106	10	6111 10 10 6111 20 10 6111 30 10 ex 6111 90 00 6116 10 20 6116 10 80 6116 91 00 6116 92 00 6116 93 00 6116 99 00	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted	1 195 331 pairs
09.8107	12	6115 12 00 6115 19 00 6115 20 11 6115 20 90 6115 91 00 6115 92 00 6115 93 10 6115 93 30 6115 93 99 6115 99 00	Panty-hose and tights, stockings, understockings, socks, ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, other than for babies, including stockings for varicose veins, other than products of category 70	416 579 pairs

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8109	14	6201 11 00 ex 6201 12 10 ex 6201 12 90 ex 6201 13 10 ex 6201 13 90 6210 20 00	Men's or boys' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres (other than parkas of category 21)	50 792 pieces
09.8110	15	6202 11 00 ex 6202 12 10 ex 6202 12 90 ex 6202 13 10 ex 6202 13 90 6204 31 00 6204 32 90 6204 33 90 6204 39 19 6210 30 00	Women's or girls' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes; jackets and blazers, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres (other than parkas of category 21)	420 669 pieces
09.8111	16	6203 11 00 6203 12 00 6203 19 10 6203 19 30 6203 21 00 6203 22 80 6203 23 80 6203 29 18 6211 32 31 6211 33 31	Men's or boys' suits and ensembles, other than knitted or corched, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres, excluding ski-suits; men's or boys' tracksuits with lining, with an outer shell of a single identical fabric, of cotton or of man-made fibres	43 523 pieces
09.8112	17	6203 31 00 6203 32 90 6203 33 90 6203 39 19	Men's or boys' jackets and blazers, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	90 785 pieces
09.8113	18	6207 11 00 6207 19 00 6207 21 00 6207 22 00 6207 29 00 6207 91 10 6207 91 90 6207 92 00 6207 99 00 6208 11 00 6208 19 10 6208 19 90 6208 21 00 6208 22 00 6208 29 00 6208 91 11 6208 91 19 6208 91 90 6208 92 00 6208 99 00 ex 6212 10 10 6212 10 90	Men's or boys' singlets and other vests, underpants, briefs, nightshirts, pyjamas, bathrobes, dressing-gowns and similar articles, other than knitted or crocheted Women's or girls singlets and other vests, slips, petticoats, briefs, panties, nightdresses, pyjamas, négligés, bathrobes, dressing-gowns and similar articles, other than knitted or crocheted	227 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8114	21	ex 6201 12 10 ex 6201 12 90 ex 6201 13 10 ex 6201 13 90 6201 91 00 6201 92 00 6201 93 00 ex 6202 12 10 ex 6202 12 90 ex 6202 13 10 ex 6202 13 90 6202 91 00 6202 92 00 6202 93 00 6211 32 41 6211 33 41 6211 42 41 6211 43 41	Parkas; anoraks, wind-cheaters, waister jackets and the like, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres; upper parts of tracksuits with lining, other than category 16 or 29, of cotton or of man-made fibres	21 109 pieces
09.8116	26	6104 41 00 6104 42 00 6104 43 00 6104 44 00 6204 41 00 6204 42 00 6204 43 00 6204 44 00	Women's or girls' dresses, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	1 955 024 pieces
09.8117	27	6104 51 00 6104 52 00 6104 53 00 6104 59 00 6204 51 00 6204 52 00 6204 53 00 6204 59 10	Women's or girls' skirts, including divided skirts	455 582 pieces
09.8119	29	6204 11 00 6204 12 00 6204 13 00 6204 19 10 6204 21 00 6204 22 80 6204 23 80 6204 29 18 6211 42 31 6211 43 31	Women's or girls' suits and ensembles, other than knitted or crocheted, or wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres, excluding ski-suits; women's or girls' tracksuits with lining, with an outer shell of an identical fabric, of cotton or of man-made fibres	201 701 pieces
09.8120	31	ex 6212 10 10 6212 10 90	Brassières, woven, knitted or crocheted	1 100 pieces
09.8121	68	6111 10 90 6111 20 90 6111 30 90 ex 6111 90 00 ex 6209 10 00 ex 6209 20 00 ex 6209 30 00 ex 6209 90 00	Babies' garments and clothing accessories, excluding babies' gloves, mittens and mitts of categories 10 and 87, and babies' stockings, socks and sockettes, other than knitted or crocheted, of category 88	21 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8123	72	6112 31 10 6112 31 90 6112 39 10 6112 39 90 6112 41 10 6112 41 90 6112 49 10 6112 49 90 6211 11 00 6211 12 00	Swimwear, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	11 364 pieces
09.8127	76	6203 22 10 6203 23 10 6203 29 11 6203 32 10 6203 33 10 6203 39 11 6203 42 11 6203 42 51 6203 43 11 6203 43 31 6203 49 11 6203 49 31 6211 32 10 6211 33 10 6204 22 10 6204 23 10 6204 29 11 6204 32 10 6204 33 10 6204 39 11 6204 62 11 6204 62 51 6204 63 11 6204 63 31 6204 69 11 6204 69 31 6211 42 10 6211 43 10	Men's or boys' industrial or occupational clothing, other than knitted or crocheted Women's or girls' aprons, smock-overalls and other industrial or occupational clothing, other than knitted or crocheted	5 tonnes
09.8128	78	6203 41 30 6203 42 59 6203 43 39 6203 49 39 6204 61 80 6204 61 90 6204 62 59 6204 62 90 6204 63 39 6204 63 90 6204 69 39 6204 69 50 6210 40 00 6210 50 00 6211 31 00 6211 32 90 6211 33 90 6211 41 00 6211 42 90 6211 43 90	Garments, other than knitted or crocheted, excluding garments of categories 6, 7, 8, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 26, 27, 29, 68, 72, 76 and 77	95 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8130	84	6214 20 00 6214 30 00 6214 40 00 6214 90 10	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	30 tonnes
09.8131	86	6212 20 00 6212 30 00 6212 90 00	Corsets, corset-belts, suspender-belts, braces, suspenders, garters and the like, and parts thereof, whether or not knitted or crocheted	1 100 pieces
09.8134	159	6204 49 10 6206 10 00 6214 10 00 6215 10 00	Dresses, blouses and shirt-blouses, not knitted or crocheted, of silk-waste Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, not knitted or crocheted, of silk or of silk-waste Ties, bow-ties and cravats, of silk or of silk-waste	1,1 tonnes
09.8135	161	6201 19 00 6201 99 00 6202 19 00 6202 99 00 6203 19 90 6203 29 90 6203 39 90 6203 49 90 6204 19 90 6204 29 90 6204 39 90 6204 49 90 6210 59 90 6210 69 90 6205 90 10 6205 90 90 6206 90 10 6206 90 90 ex 6211 20 00 6211 39 00 6211 49 00	Garments, not knitted or crocheted, other than those of categories 1 to 123 and of category 159	51 tonnes
09.8136	20	6302 21 00 6302 22 90 6302 29 90 6302 31 10 6302 31 90 6302 32 90 6302 39 90	Bed linen, other than knitted or crocheted	5 tonnes
09.8137	40	ex 6303 91 00 ex 6303 92 90 ex 6303 99 90 6304 19 10 ex 6304 19 90 6304 92 00 ex 6304 93 00 ex 6303 99 00	Woven curtains (including drapes, interior blinds, curtain and bed valances and other furnishing articles), other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres	114 tonnes
09.8138	91	6306 21 00 6306 22 00 6306 29 00	Tents	3 tonnes

Order No	Textile category	Combined Nomenclature	Description of goods	Quantity (1.1-31.12)
09.8139	109	6306 11 00 6306 12 00 6306 19 00 6306 31 00 6306 39 00	Tarpaulins, sails, awnings and sunblinds	11 tonnes
09.8140	110	6306 41 00 6306 49 00	Woven pneumatic mattresses	1,1 tonnes
09.8141	111	6306 91 00 6306 99 00	Camping goods, woven, other than pneumatic mattresses and tents	1,1 tonnes

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 18 June 1999

amending Decisions 96/579/EC and 97/808/EC on the procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products pursuant to Article 20(2) of Council Directive 89/106/EEC as regards circulation fixtures and floorings respectively

(notified under document number C(1999) 1484)

(Text with EEA relevance)

(1999/453/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 89/106/EEC of 21 December 1988 on the approximation of laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to construction products ⁽¹⁾, as amended by Directive 93/68/EEC ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 13(4) thereof,

- (1) Whereas the Commission has already adopted a series of Decisions on attesting the conformity of construction products pursuant to Article 20(2) of Directive 89/106/EEC; whereas the need may arise to adapt those decisions to technical progress; whereas that is the case of Decision 96/579/EC ⁽³⁾ and Decision 97/808/EC ⁽⁴⁾;
- (2) Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Construction,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Decision 96/579/EC is hereby amended as follows:

- (1) In Annex II, the following indent is inserted after the heading 'Road marking products':

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 40, 11.2.1989, p. 12.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 220, 30.8.1993, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 254, 8.10.1996, p. 52.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 331, 3.12.1997, p. 18.

— Drop-on materials (glass beads, anti-skid aggregates and combinations of the two),'

- (2) In Annex III the following indent is inserted in the 'Product(s)' column of the table for product family 'CIRCULATION FIXTURES (1/2)' after the heading 'Road marking products':

— Drop-on materials (glass beads, anti-skid aggregates and combinations of the two),'

Article 2

Decision 97/808/EC is hereby amended as follows:

1. In Annex I, the following paragraph is added:

'Floor screed materials for external uses.

Floor screed materials for internal uses, of reaction to fire classes A_{FL}, B_{FL} or C_{FL} for which the reaction to fire performance is not susceptible to change during production, of reaction to fire classes D_{FL}, E_{FL} or F_{FL} and also of class A_{FL} that according to Decision 96/603/EC do not require to be tested for reaction to fire.'

2. In Annex II, the following paragraph is added:

'Floor screed materials for internal uses, of reaction to fire classes A_{FL}, B_{FL} or C_{FL} for which the reaction to fire performance is susceptible to change during production, in general those subject to chemical modification, e.g. fire retardants, or where changes of composition may lead to changes in reaction to fire performance.'

3. In Annex III, in the table for product family 'FLOORINGS (2/2)' the following row is added:

Floor screed materials	For internal uses	$A_{FL} - B_{FL} - C_{FL}^{(1)}$	1 ⁽²⁾
		$A_{FL} - B_{FL} - C_{FL}^{(3)}$	3 ⁽⁴⁾
		$A_{FL}^{(5)} - D_{FL} - E_{FL} - F_{FL}$	3 ⁽⁴⁾
	For external uses		4 ⁽⁶⁾

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 18 June 1999.

For the Commission
Martin BANGEMANN
Member of the Commission

COMMISSION DECISION

of 22 June 1999

on the procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products pursuant to Article 20(2) of Council Directive 89/106/EEC as regards fire stopping, fire sealing and fire protective products

(notified under document number C(1999) 1481)

(Text with EEA relevance)

(1999/454/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 89/106/EEC of 21 December 1988 on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to construction products ⁽¹⁾, as amended by Directive 93/68/EEC ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 13(4) thereof,

- (1) Whereas the Commission is required to select, as between the two procedures pursuant to Article 13(3) of Directive 89/106/EEC for attesting the conformity of a product, 'the least onerous possible procedure consistent with safety'; whereas this means that it is necessary to decide whether, for a given product or family of products, the existence of a factory production control system under the responsibility of the manufacturer is a necessary and sufficient condition for an attestation of conformity, or whether, for reasons related to compliance with the criteria mentioned in Article 13(4), the intervention of an approved certification body is therefore required;
- (2) Whereas Article 13(4) requires that the procedure thus determined must be indicated in the mandates and in the technical specifications; whereas, therefore, it is desirable to define the concept of products or family of products as used in the mandates and in the technical specifications;
- (3) Whereas the two procedures provided for in Article 13(3) are described in detail in Annex III to Directive 89/106/EEC; whereas it is necessary therefore to specify clearly the methods by which the two procedures must be implemented, by reference to Annex III, for each product or family of products, since Annex III gives preference to certain systems;
- (4) Whereas the procedure referred to in point (a) of Article 13(3) corresponds to the systems set out in the first possibility, without continuous surveillance, and the

second and third possibilities of point (ii) of Section 2 of Annex III, and the procedure referred to in point (b) of Article 13(3) corresponds to the systems set out in point (i) of Section 2 of Annex III, and in the first possibility, with continuous surveillance, of point (ii) of Section 2 of Annex III;

- (5) Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Construction,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The products set out in Annex I shall have their conformity attested by a procedure whereby, in addition to a factory production control system operated by the manufacturer, an approved certification body is involved in assessment and surveillance of the production control or of the product itself.

Article 2

The procedure for attesting conformity as set out in Annex II shall be indicated in mandates for guidelines for European technical approval.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 22 June 1999.

For the Commission

Martin BANGEMANN

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 40, 11.2.1989, p. 12.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 220, 30.8.1993, p. 1.

ANNEX I

Fire stopping and fire sealing products ⁽¹⁾:

Fire protective products (including coatings) ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾:

— for fire compartmentation and/or fire protection or fire performance

⁽¹⁾ Excluding gypsum products (e.g. board, blocks, plaster), mineral wool products, blocks and prefabricated reinforced components of AAC and LAC, masonry mortar, rendering/plastering mortar, calcium silicate products and cellular glass products.

⁽²⁾ Also excluding panels for the fire protection of walls or ceilings and suspended ceiling kits (as included in Commission Decision 98/437/EC on internal and external wall and ceiling finishes (OJ L 194, 10.7.1998, p. 39)).

ANNEX II

ATTESTATION OF CONFORMITY

Note: for products having more than one of the intended uses specified in the following families, the tasks for the approved body, derived from the relevant systems of attestation of conformity, are cumulative.

PRODUCT FAMILY

FIRE STOPPING, FIRE SEALING AND FIRE PROTECTION PRODUCTS (1/2)**Systems of attestation of conformity**

For the product(s) and intended use(s) listed below, EOTA is requested to specify the following system(s) of attestation of conformity in the relevant guideline for European technical approvals:

Product(s)	Intended use(s)	Level(s) or class(es) (resistance to fire)	Attestation of conformity system(s)
Fire stopping and fire sealing products Fire protective products (including coatings)	For fire compartmentation and/or fire protection or fire performance	any	1

Systeme 1: See directive 89/106/EEC, Annex III(2)(i), without audit testing of samples.

The specification for the system should be such that it can be implemented even where performance does not need to be determined for a certain characteristic, because at least one Member State has no legal requirement at all for such a characteristic (see Article 2.1 of Directive 89/106/EEC and, where applicable, point 1.2.3 of the Interpretative Documents). In those cases the verification of such a characteristic must not be imposed on the manufacturer if he does not wish to declare the performance of the product in that respect.

PRODUCT FAMILY

FIRE STOPPING, FIRE SEALING AND FIRE PROTECTIVE PRODUCTS (2/2)**Systems of attestation of conformity**

For the product(s) and intended use(s) listed below, EOTA is requested to specify the following system(s) of attestation of conformity in the relevant guideline for European technical approvals:

Product(s)	Intended use(s)	Level(s) or class(es) (reaction to fire)	Attestation of conformity system(s)
Fire stopping and fire sealing products Fire protective products (including coatings)	For uses subject to reaction to fire regulations	A ⁽¹⁾ , B ⁽¹⁾ , C ⁽¹⁾	1
		A ⁽²⁾ , B ⁽²⁾ , C ⁽²⁾	3
		A ⁽³⁾ , D, E, F	4

System 1: See CPD Annex III(2)(i), without audit testing of samples.

System 3: See CPD Annex III(2)(ii), second possibility.

System 4: See CPD Annex III(2)(ii), third possibility.

⁽¹⁾ Materials for which the reaction to fire performance is susceptible to change during production (in general, those subject to chemical modification, e.g. fire retardants, or where changes of composition may lead to changes in reaction to fire performance).

⁽²⁾ Materials for which the reaction to fire performance is not susceptible to change during the production process.

⁽³⁾ Materials of class A that according to the Decision 96/603/EC do not require to be tested for reaction to fire.

The specification for the system should be such that it can be implemented even where performance does not need to be determined for a certain characteristic, because at least one Member State has no legal requirement at all for such a characteristic (see Article 2(1) of the CPD and, where applicable, clause 1.2.3 of the interpretative documents). In those cases the verification of such a characteristic must not be imposed on the manufacturer if he does not wish to declare the performance of the product in that respect.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 22 June 1999

on the procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products pursuant to Article 20(2) of Council Directive 89/106/EEC as regards timber frame and log prefabricated building kits

(notified under document number C(1999) 1483)

(Text with EEA relevance)

(1999/455/EC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 89/106/EEC of 21 December 1988 on the approximation of laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to construction products ⁽¹⁾, as amended by Directive 93/68/EEC ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 13(4) thereof,

- (1) Whereas the Commission is required to select, as between the two procedures pursuant to Article 13(3) of Directive 89/106/EEC for attesting the conformity of a product, 'the least onerous possible procedure consistent with safety'; whereas this means that it is necessary to decide whether, for a given product or family of products, the existence of a factory production control system under the responsibility of the manufacturer is a necessary and sufficient condition for an attestation of conformity, or whether, for reasons related to compliance with the criteria mentioned in Article 13(4), the intervention of an approved certification body is required;
- (2) Whereas Article 13(4) requires that the procedure thus determined must be indicated in the mandates and in the technical specifications; whereas, therefore, it is desirable to define the concept of products or family of products as used in the mandates and in the technical specifications;
- (3) Whereas the two procedures provided for in Article 13(3) are described in detail in Annex III to Directive 89/106/EEC; whereas it is necessary therefore to specify clearly the methods by which the two procedures must be implemented, by reference to Annex III, for each product or family of products, since Annex III gives preference to certain systems;
- (4) Whereas the procedure referred to in point (a) of Article 13(3) corresponds to the systems set out in the first possibility, without continuous surveillance, and the

second and third possibilities of point (ii) of Section 2 of Annex III, and the procedure referred to in point (b) of Article 13(3) corresponds to the systems set out in point (i) of Section 2 of Annex III, and in the first possibility, with continuous surveillance, of point (ii) of Section 2 of Annex III;

- (5) Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Construction,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The products set out in Annex I shall have their conformity attested by a procedure whereby, in addition to a factory production control system operated by the manufacturer, an approved certification body is involved in assessment and surveillance of the production control or of the product itself.

Article 2

The procedure for attesting conformity as set out in Annex II shall be indicated in mandates for guidelines for European technical approvals.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 22 June 1999.

For the Commission

Martin BANGEMANN

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 40, 11.2.1989, p. 12.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 220, 30.8.1993, p. 1.

ANNEX I

Timber frame and log prefabricated building kits

This Decision covers those industrially prepared kits, marketed as a building, that are made of predesigned and prefabricated components intended for production in series. This Decision concerns only those kits for which the minimum requirements defined below are met. Partial kits falling below these minimum requirements are outside the scope of the Decision. The minimum requirements comprise all of the following: the structural elements of the building, the essential components of the external envelope including all necessary thermal insulation, and the internal linings in so far as they are necessary for the satisfaction of the essential requirements applied to the building.

Although some components may be prepared in different factories, only the final kit for delivery, and not the various components, are concerned by this Decision.

— for use in building works

ANNEX II

ATTESTATION OF CONFORMITY

PRODUCT FAMILY

TIMBER FRAME AND LOG PREFABRICATED BUILDING KITS**Systems of attestation of conformity**

For the product(s) and intended use(s) listed below, EOTA is requested to specify the following system(s) of attestation of conformity in the relevant guideline for European technical approvals:

Product(s)	Intended use(s)	Level(s) or class(es) (reaction to fire)	Attestation of conformity system(s)
Timber frame and log prefabricated building kits (as defined in Annex I)	In building works	any	1

System 1: See Directive 89/106/EEC, Annex III(2)(i), without audit testing of samples.

The specification for the system should be such that it can be implemented even where performance does not need to be determined for a certain characteristic, because at least one Member State has no legal requirement at all for such a characteristic (see Article 2.1 of Directive 89/106/EEC and, where applicable, point 1.2.3 of the Interpretative Documents). In those cases the verification of such a characteristic must not be imposed on the manufacturer if he does not wish to declare the performance of the product in that respect.

**DECISION No 1/1999 OF THE EC/DENMARK-FAROE ISLANDS JOINT COMMITTEE
of 22 June 1999**

replacing Protocol 1 of the Agreement concerning the tariff treatment and arrangements applicable to certain fish and fishery products released for free circulation in the Community or imported into the Faroes

(1999/456/EC)

THE JOINT COMMITTEE,

Having regard to the Agreement between the European Community, of the one part, and the Government of Denmark and the Home Government of the Faroe Islands, of the other part ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 34(1) thereof,

- (1) Whereas, in the light of the examination of the Agreement and its conformity with the rules for free trade agreements in the context of the World Trade Organisation (WTO), it is considered appropriate to review Protocol 1 of the Agreement;
- (2) Whereas this review calls for certain amendments to that Protocol and the Annexes thereto;
- (3) Whereas it is equally appropriate to ensure that the amendments carried out in the context of that review do not pose any risk to the stability of the Community market for the products concerned;
- (4) Whereas, following negotiations between the Commission, on behalf of the European Community, and the Government of Denmark and the Home Government of the Faroe Islands it has been agreed that Protocol 1 and

the Annexes thereto should be replaced by the text attached hereto,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Protocol 1 of the Agreement and the Annexes thereto shall be replaced by the text contained in the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision shall take effect on the first day of the second month following that of its adoption.

Done at Brussels, 22 June 1999.

For the Joint Committee

Alexander WIEDOW

The Chairman

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 53, 22.2.1997, p. 2.

ANNEX

'PROTOCOL 1**concerning the tariff treatment and arrangements applicable to certain fish and fishery products released for free circulation in the Community or imported into the Faroes***Article 1*

As regards the products listed in the Annex to this Protocol and originating in the Faroes:

1. no new customs duties shall be introduced in trade between the Community and the Faroes;
2. the preferential customs duties and other conditions to be applied on import into the Community shall be as indicated in the Annex.

Article 2

Any reference price fixed, or to be fixed, by the Community shall not apply to the products covered by this Protocol.

Article 3

1. Where a price decrease in imports of a given fishery product from one Contracting Party is, or is likely to be, seriously detrimental to the production activity concerned in the other Contracting Party, the Contracting Party concerned may take appropriate measures.
2. In the selection of measures, priority must be given to those which least disturb the functioning of this Agreement.
3. Before taking appropriate measures, the Contracting Party in question shall supply the Joint Committee with all relevant information required for a thorough examination of the situation with a view to seeking a solution acceptable to the Contracting parties.
4. Except in cases of urgency, as described in paragraph 5, the Contracting Party concerned may not take measures until one month has elapsed after the date of notification, unless the Joint Committee procedure is concluded before expiry of the stated time limit.
5. Where circumstances require urgent action, the Contracting Party concerned may apply the measures strictly necessary to remedy the situation at the earliest three days after having informed the other Contracting Party.
6. Any safeguard measures shall be notified immediately to the Joint Committee and shall be the subject of periodical consultations within the Committee, particularly with a view to their abolition as soon as circumstances permit.

Article 4

The Faroes shall abolish tariffs and duties on imports of fish and fishery products originating in the Community.

ANNEX

The preferential customs duties and other conditions to be applied on import into the Community of products originating in and coming from the Faroes shall be as indicated below

TABLE 1

CN code	Description	Rate of duty	Tariff quota (TQ)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
0301	Live fish:		
ex 0301 91 90	--- Trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	TQ No 1
0301 92 00	-- Eels (<i>Anguilla</i> spp.)	0	
ex 0301 99 11	---- Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	0	
0302	Fish, fresh or chilled, excluding fish fillets and other fish meat of heading No 0304:		
ex 0302 11 90	--- Trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	TQ No 1
ex 0302 12 00	-- Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	0	
0302 19 00	-- Other	0	
0302 21 10	--- Lesser or Greenland halibut (<i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>)	0	
0302 21 30	--- Atlantic (<i>Hippoglossus hippoglossus</i>)	0	
0302 22 00	-- Palice (<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>)	0	
0302 23 00	-- Sole (<i>Solea</i> spp.)	0	
0302 29 10	--- Megrim (<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.)	0	
0302 29 90	--- Other	0	
0302 40	- Herrings (<i>Clupea harengus</i> , <i>Clupea pallasii</i>), excluding livers and roes:		
0302 40 05	-- From 1 January to 14 February	0	
0302 40 98	-- From 16 June to 31 December	0	
0302 50 10	-- Cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i>	0	
0302 62 00	---- Haddock (<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>)	0	
0302 63 00	-- Coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>)	0	
ex 0302 64 05	--- Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i> , from 1 January to 14 February	0	
ex 0302 64 98	--- Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i> , from 16 June to 31 December	0	
0302 65	-- Dogfish and other sharks:		
0302 65 20	--- Dogfish of the species <i>Squalus acanthias</i>	0	
0302 65 50	--- Dogfish of the species <i>Scyliorhinus</i> spp.	0	
0302 65 90	--- Other	0	
0302 66 00	-- Eels (<i>Anguilla</i> spp.)	0	
	---- Redfish (<i>Sebastes</i> spp.):		
0302 69 31	----- Of the species <i>Sebastes marinus</i>	0	

CN code	Description	Rate of duty	Tariff quota (TQ)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
ex 0302 69 33	----- Of the species <i>Sebastes mentella</i>	0	
0302 69 41	---- Whiting (<i>Merlangus merlangus</i>)	0	
0302 69 45	---- Ling (<i>Molva</i> spp.)	0	
ex 0302 69 68	---- Hake of the species <i>Merluccius merluccius</i>	0	
0302 69 81	---- Monkfish (<i>Lophius</i> spp.)	0	
0302 69 85	---- Blue whiting (<i>Micromesistius poutassou</i> or <i>Gadus poutassou</i>)	0	
0302 69 99	---- Other	0	
0302 70 00	- Livers and roes	0	
0303	Fish, frozen excluding fish fillets and other fish meat of heading No 0304:		
ex 0303 21 90	--- Trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	TQ No 1
ex 0303 22 00	-- Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	0	
0303 29 00	-- Other	0	
0303 31 10	--- Lesser or Greenland halibut (<i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>)	0	
0303 31 30	--- Atlantic halibut (<i>Hippoglossus hippoglossus</i>)	0	
0303 32 00	-- Plaice (<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>)	0	
0303 33 00	-- Sole (<i>Solea</i> spp.)	0	
0303 39 10	--- Flounder (<i>Platichthys flesus</i>)	0	
0303 39 30	--- Fish of the genus <i>Rhombosolea</i>	0	
0303 39 80	--- Other	0	
0303 50	- Herrings (<i>Clupea harengues</i> , <i>Clupea pollasi</i>), excluding livers and roes:	0	
0303 50 05	-- From 1 January to 14 February	0	
0303 50 98	-- From 16 June to 31 December	0	
0303 60 11	-- Cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i>	0	
0303 73 00	-- Coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>)	0	
ex 0303 74 10	--- Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i> , from 1 January to 14 February	0	
ex 0303 74 20	--- Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i> , from 16 June to 31 December		
0303 75	-- Dogfish and other sharks:		
0303 75 20	--- Of the species <i>Squalus acanthias</i>	0	
0303 75 50	--- Of the species <i>Scyliorhinus</i> spp.	0	
0303 75 90	--- Other		
0303 79	-- Other:		
	--- Redfish (<i>Sebastes</i> spp.):		
0303 79 35	----- Redfish of the species <i>Sebastes marinus</i>	0	

CN code	Description	Rate of duty	Tariff quota (TQ)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
ex 0303 79 37	----- Redfish of the species <i>Sebastes mentella</i>	0	
0303 79 45	----- Whiting (<i>Merlangus merlangus</i>)	0	
0303 79 51	----- Ling (<i>Molva</i> spp.)	0	
0303 79 81	----- Monkfish (<i>Lophius</i> spp.)	0	
0303 79 83	----- Blue whiting (<i>Micromesistius poutassou</i> or <i>Gadus poutassou</i>)	0	
0303 79 96	----- Other	0	
0303 80	- Livers and roes	0	
0303 80 90	-- Other	0	
0304	Fish fillets and other fish meat (whether or not minced), fresh, chilled or frozen:		
0304 10	- Fresh or chilled:		
	-- Fillets:		
	--- Of freshwater fish:		
ex 0304 10 11	----- Of trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	TQ No 1
ex 0304 10 13	----- Of Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	0	
	--- Other		
ex 0304 10 31	----- Of cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i>	0	
0304 10 33	----- Of coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>)	0	
0304 10 35	----- Of redfish (<i>Sebastes</i> spp.)	0	
0304 10 38	----- Other		
	-- Other fish meat (whether or not minced):		
0304 10 91	--- Of freshwater fish	0	
	--- Other:		
	----- Flaps of herring:		
0304 10 94	----- From 1 January to 14 February	0	
0304 10 96	----- From 16 June to 31 December	0	
0304 10 98	----- Other	0	
0304 20	- Frozen fillets:		
	-- Of freshwater fish:		
ex 0304 20 11	--- Of trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	TQ No 1
ex 0304 20 13	--- Of Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmon salar</i>)	0	
	-- Of cod (<i>Gadus morhua</i> , <i>Gadus macrocephalus</i> , <i>Gadus Ogac</i>) and of fish of the species <i>Boreogadus saida</i> :		
ex 0304 20 29	--- Of cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i>	0	
0304 20 31	-- Of coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>)	0	
0304 20 33	-- Of haddock (<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>)	0	
	-- Of redfish (<i>Sebastes</i> spp.)		
0304 20 35	--- Of the species <i>Sebastes marinus</i>	0	

CN code	Description	Rate of duty	Tariff quota (TQ)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
ex 0304 20 37	--- Of the species <i>Sebastes mentella</i>	0	
0304 20 41	-- Of Whiting (<i>Merlangus merlangus</i>)	0	
0304 20 43	-- Of ling (<i>Molva</i> spp.)	0	
ex 0304 20 53	--- Of mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i>	0	
0304 20 71	-- Of plaice (<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>)	0	
0304 20 75	-- Of herring (<i>Clupea harengus</i> , <i>Clupea pallasii</i>)	0	
0304 20 96	-- Other		
	--- Of blue whiting (<i>Micromesistius poutassou</i> or <i>Gadus poutassou</i>)		
	--- Other than of blue whiting (<i>Micromesistius poutassou</i> or <i>Gadus poutassou</i>)	0	
0304 90	- Other:		
0304 90 05	-- Surimi	0	
	-- Other:		
ex 0304 90 10	--- Of freshwater fish:		
	---- Of trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	TQ No 1
	---- Of Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	0	
	--- Other:		
	---- Of herring (<i>Clupea harengus</i> , <i>Clupea pallasii</i>):		
0304 90 20	----- From 1 January to 14 February	0	
0304 90 27	----- From 16 June to 31 December	0	
0304 90 38	----- Of cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i>	0	
0304 90 41	----- Of coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>)	0	
0304 90 45	----- Of haddock (<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>)	0	
0304 90 57	----- Of monkfish (<i>Lophius</i> spp.)	0	
0304 90 59	----- Of blue whiting (<i>Micromesistius poutassou</i> or <i>Gadus poutassou</i>)	0	
0304 90 97	----- Other	0	
0305	Fish, dried, salted or in brine; smoked fish, whether or not cooked before or during the smoking process; flours, meals and pellets of fish, fit for human consumption:		
0305 10 00	- Flours, meals and pellets of fish, fit for human consumption	0	
0305 20 00	- Livers and roes, dried, smoked, salted or in brine	0	
0305 30	- Fish fillets, dried, salted or in brine, but not smoked:		
ex 0305 30 19	--- Of cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i>	0	
ex 0305 30 30	-- Of Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>), salted or in brine	0	
0305 30 50	-- Of lesser or Greenland halibut (<i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>), salted or in brine	0	
0305 30 90	-- Other	0	
ex 0305 41 00	- Smoked fish, including fillets:		

CN code	Description	Rate of duty	Tariff quota (TQ)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
ex 0305 42 00	-- Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	0	
0305 42 00	-- Herrings (<i>Clupea harengus</i> , <i>Clupea pallasii</i>)	0	
0305 49 10	--- Lesser or Greenland halibut (<i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>)	0	
0305 49 20	--- Atlantic halibut (<i>Hippoglossus hippoglossus</i>)	0	
ex 0305 49 30	--- Mackerel of the species <i>Scomber scombrus</i>	0	
ex 0305 49 45	--- Trout of the species <i>Onocorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	
0305 49 50	--- Eels (<i>Anguilla</i> spp.)	0	
0305 49 80	--- Other	0	
	- Dried fish, whether or not salted but not smoked:		
ex 0305 51 10	--- Cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i> , dried, unsalted	0	
ex 0305 51 90	--- Cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i> , dried, salted	0	
ex 0305 59 90	--- Other:		
	----- Of ling (<i>Molva molva</i>)	0	
	----- Of blue ling (<i>Molva dipterygia dipterygia</i>)	0	
	----- Of tusk (<i>Brosme brosme</i>)	0	
	- Fish, salted but not dried or smoked and fish in brine:		
0305 61 00	-- Herrings (<i>Clupea harengus</i> , <i>Clupea pallasii</i>)	0	
ex 0305 62 00	-- Cod of the species <i>Gadus morhua</i>	0	
0305 69	-- Other:		
0305 69 90	--- Other	0	
0306	Crustaceans, whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, frozen, dried, salted or in brine; crustaceans, in shell, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water, whether or not chilled, frozen, dried, salted or in brine; flours, meals and pellets or crustaceans, fit for human consumption:		
	- Frozen:		
0306 13	-- Shrimps and prawns:		
0306 13 10	--- Of the family <i>Pandalidae</i>	0	
0306 13 40	--- Deepwater rose shrimps (<i>Parapenaeus longirostris</i>)	0	
0306 13 50	--- Shrimps of the genus <i>Penaeus</i>	0	
0306 13 80	--- Other	0	
0306 19 30	--- Norway lobsters (<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>)	0	
	- Not frozen:		
0306 29 30	--- Norway lobsters (<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>)	0	

CN code	Description	Rate of duty	Tariff quota (TQ)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
0307	Molluscs, whether in shell or not, live, fresh, chilled, frozen, dried, salted or in brine; aquatic invertebrates other than crustaceans and molluscs, live, fresh, chilled, frozen, dried, salted or in brine; flours, meals and pellets of aquatic invertebrates other than crustaceans, fit for human consumption: – Scallops, including queen scallops, of the genera <i>Pecten</i> , <i>Chlamys</i> or <i>Placopecten</i> :		
0307 21 00	-- Live, fresh or chilled	0	
0307 29	-- Other:		
0307 29 10	--- Common scallop (<i>Pecten maximus</i>), frozen	0	
0307 29 90	--- Other	0	
1604	Prepared or preserved fish; caviar and caviar substitutes prepared from fish eggs: – Fish, whole or in pieces, but not minced:		
ex 1604 11 00	-- Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	0	TQ No 2
1604 12	-- Herrings:		
	--- Other:		
1604 12 91	---- In airtight containers	0	
1604 12 99	---- Other	0	
1604 19	-- Other:		
ex 1604 19 10	--- Trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	TQ No 2
1604 19 91	---- Fillets, raw, merely coated with batter or breadcrumbs, whether or not prefried in oil, deep frozen ---- Other:	0	
1604 19 92	----- Cod (<i>Gadus morhua</i> , <i>Gadus ogac</i> , <i>Gadus macrocephalus</i>)	0	TQ No 3
1604 19 93	----- Coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>)	0	TQ No 3
1604 19 94	----- Hake (<i>Merluccius</i> spp., <i>Urophycis</i> spp.)	0	TQ No 3
1604 19 95	----- Alaska pollack (<i>Theragra chalcogramma</i>) and pollack (<i>Pollachius pollachius</i>)	0	TQ No 3
1604 19 98	----- Other	0	TQ No 3
1604 20	– Other prepared or preserved fish:		
1604 20 05	-- Preparations of surimi -- Other:	0	TQ No 3
ex 1604 20 10	--- Of Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	0	TQ No 2
ex 1604 20 30	--- Of Trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	TQ No 2
1604 20 90	--- Of other fish:		

CN code	Description	Rate of duty	Tariff quota (TQ)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1605	---- Other than of herring Crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates, prepared or preserved:	0	TQ No 3
1605 20	- Shrimps and prawns:		
1605 20 10	-- In airtight containers	0	TQ No 4
	-- Other:		
1605 20 91	--- In immediate packings of a net content not exceeding 2 kg	0	TQ No 4
1605 20 99	--- Other	0	TQ No 4
ex 1605 40 00	- Norway lobsters (<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>)	0	TQ No 4
2301	Flours, meals and pellets, of meat or meat offal, of fish or of crustaceans, molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates, unfit for human consumption; greaves:		
2301 20 00	- Flours, meals and pellets, of fish or of crustaceans, molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates	0	

TABLE II

CN code	Description	Rate of duty	Tariff quota (TQ)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
0301	Live fish:		TQ No 1 (!)
ex 0301 91 90	--- Trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	700
0302	Fish, fresh or chilled, excluding fish fillets and other fish meat of heading No 0304:		
ex 0302 11 90	--- Trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	
0303	Fish, frozen, excluding fish fillets and other fish meat of heading No 0304:		
ex 0303 21 90	--- Trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	
0304	Fish fillets and other fish meat (whether or not minced), fresh, chilled or frozen:		
0304 10	- Fresh or chilled:		
	-- Fillets:		
ex 0304 10 11	---- Of trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	
0304 20	- Frozen fillets:		
ex 0304 20 11	--- Of trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	
0304 90	- Other:		
ex 0304 90 10	--- Of trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	

CN code	Description	Rate of duty	Tariff quota (TQ)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1604	Prepared or preserved fish; caviar and caviar substitutes prepared from fish eggs:		TQ No 2 400
	– Fish, whole or in pieces, but not minced:		
ex 1604 11 00	-- Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	0	
1604 19	-- Other:		
ex 1604 19 10	--- Trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	
1604 20	– Other prepared or preserved fish:		
	-- Other:		
ex 1604 20 10	--- Of Atlantic salmon (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	0	
ex 1604 20 30	--- Of trout of the species <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	0	
1604	Prepared or preserved fish; caviar and caviar substitutes prepared from fish eggs:		TQ No 3 1 200
	– Fish, whole or in pieces, but not minced:		
1604 19 92	----- Cod (<i>Gadus morhua</i> , <i>Gadus ogac</i> , <i>Gadus macrocephalus</i>)	0	
1604 19 93	----- Coalfish (<i>Pollachius virens</i>)	0	
1604 19 94	----- Hake (<i>Merluccius</i> spp., <i>Urophycis</i> spp.)	0	
1604 19 95	----- Alaska pollack (<i>Theragra chalcogramma</i>) and pollack (<i>Pollachius pollachius</i>)	0	
1604 19 98	----- Other	0	
1604 20	– Other prepared or preserved fish:		
1604 20 05	-- Preparations of surimi	0	
	-- Other		
ex 1604 20 90	--- Of other fish:		
	----- Other than of herring	0	
1605	Crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates, prepared or preserved:		TQ No 4 2 000
1605 20	– Shrimps and prawns:		
1605 20 10	-- In airtight containers	0	
	-- Other:		
1605 20 91	--- In immediate packing of a net content not exceeding 2 kg	0	
1605 20 99	--- Other	0	
ex 1605 40 00	– Norway lobsters (<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>)	0	

(¹) Figures refer to the commercial presentation "whole and gutted". For imports falling within HS code 0304, a coefficient of 2 shall be applied for quantities drawn from this tariff quota.