# COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 3207/90

# of 6 November 1990

amending Regulation (EEC) No 3773/89 laying down transitional measures relating to spirituous beverages

## THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1576/89 of 29 May 1989 laying down general rules on the definition, description and presentation of spirit drinks (1), and in particular Article 17 (1) thereof,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3773/89 (2), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1759/90 (3), laid down transitional measures for spirituous beverages;

Whereas from the date on which German unification took effect Community law has automatically applied in the territory of the former German Democratic Republic;

Whereas certain of the transitional provisions should be adjusted in order to cover products made in the territory of the former German Democratic Republic;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the implementation Committee for Spirit Drinks,

## HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

#### Article 1

The following paragraph 5 is added to Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 3773/89:

- In the case of products made in the territory of the former German Democratic Republic by makers who continue to be established therein:
- paragraph 1 shall apply to products made before 3 October 1990,
- paragraph 2 shall apply to products the making of which is begun before 3 April 1991 and completed before 3 October 1991 in accordance with the provisions in force before 3 October 1990.

#### Article 2

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

It shall apply with effect from 3 October 1990.

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

Done at Brussels, 6 November 1990.

For the Commission Ray MAC SHARRY Member of the Commission

OJ No L 160, 12. 6. 1989, p. 1. OJ No L 365, 15. 12. 1989, p. 48. OJ No L 162, 28. 6. 1990, p. 23.