

COMMISSION DECISION

of 6 April 1973

amending the Commission Decision of 22 December 1972 authorizing the Federal Republic of Germany to sell butter at reduced price in the form of concentrated butter

(Only the German text is authentic)

(73/118/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68⁽¹⁾ of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products, as last amended by the Act⁽²⁾ annexed to the Treaty⁽³⁾ concerning the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular Article 6 (7) thereof;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 985/68⁽⁴⁾ of 15 July 1968 laying down general rules for intervention on the market in butter and cream, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2714/72⁽⁵⁾, and in particular Article 7a thereof;

Whereas, pursuant to Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2561/72⁽⁶⁾ of 6 December 1972 on the sale at reduced prices of intervention butter for direct consumption as concentrated butter, replaced by Regulation (EEC) No 349/73⁽⁷⁾, the Commission Decision of 22 December 1972⁽⁸⁾ authorizing the Federal Republic of Germany to sell butter at reduced price in the form of concentrated butter, as

amended by the Decision of 8 February 1973⁽⁹⁾, fixed the quantity of butter to be processed by that Member State at 4 000 metric tons, taking account of the possibilities of disposal fixed on the basis of previous action;

Whereas, following the extension of the period of application from 31 March to 30 April 1973 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 349/73⁽⁷⁾ of 31 January 1973 on the sale at reduced prices of butter for direct consumption as concentrated butter, as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 898/73⁽¹⁰⁾, the quantity aforesaid should be raised to 5 000 metric tons;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the Opinion of the Management Committee for Milk and Milk Products;

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

1. Article 1 of the Decision of 22 December 1972 is replaced by the following:

Article 1

The Federal Republic of Germany is authorized to apply Regulation (EEC) No 349/73 in respect of a quantity of butter not exceeding 5 000 metric tons.'

(1) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 13.

(2) OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 14.

(3) OJ No L 73, 27. 3. 1972, p. 5.

(4) OJ No L 169, 18. 7. 1968, p. 1.

(5) OJ No L 291, 28. 12. 1972, p. 15.

(6) OJ No L 274, 7. 12. 1972, p. 12.

(7) OJ No L 40, 13. 2. 1973, p. 1.

(8) OJ No L 303, 31. 12. 1972, p. 41.

(9) OJ No L 83, 30. 3. 1973, p. 41.

(10) OJ No L 88, 4. 4. 1973, p. 10.

2. In Article 2 of the said Decision the reference to 'Regulation (EEC) No 2561/72' is replaced by a reference to 'Regulation (EEC) No 349/73'.

Done at Brussels, 6 April 1973.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Federal Republic of Germany.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI
