

COMMISSION DECISION

of 3 December 1976

on the implementation of the reform of agricultural structures in the United Kingdom
pursuant to Directive 72/159/EEC and to Titles III and IV of Directive 75/268/EEC

(Only the English text is authentic)

(76/949/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the
European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Directive 72/159/EEC of
17 April 1972 on the modernization of farms ⁽¹⁾, and
in particular Article 18 (3) thereof,

Having regard to Council Directive 75/268/EEC of
28 April 1975 on mountain and hill farming and
farming in certain less-favoured areas ⁽²⁾, and in
particular Article 13 thereof,

Whereas on 22 June and 18 August 1976 the
Government of the United Kingdom notified,
pursuant to Article 17 (4) of Directive 72/159/EEC,
the following statutory instruments:

- 1976 No 743: the farm and horticulture
development (amendment) regulations 1976,
- 1976 No 547: the farm capital grant (variation)
scheme 1976,
- 1976 No 761: the horticulture capital grant
(variation) scheme 1976;

Whereas Article 18 (3) of Directive 72/159/EEC
requires the Commission to decide whether, having
regard to the abovementioned notification, the
existing provisions for the implementation in the
United Kingdom of Directive 72/159/EEC, which
from the subject of Commission Decisions 75/5/EEC
of 27 November 1974 ⁽³⁾, 75/434/EEC of 8 July
1975 ⁽⁴⁾ and 76/482/EEC of 21 April 1976 ⁽⁵⁾ on the

implementation of the reform of agricultural
structures in the United Kingdom pursuant to
Directive 72/159/EEC, continue to satisfy the
conditions for financial contribution by the
Community to common measures within the
meaning of Article 15 of Directive 72/159/EEC;

Whereas the abovementioned provisions are
consistent with the requirements and objectives of
Directive 72/159/EEC and of Titles III and IV of
Directive 75/268/EEC;

Whereas the EAGGF Committee has been consulted
on the financial aspects;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision
are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing
Committee on Agricultural Structures,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The provisions for the implementation of Directive
72/159/EEC notified by the Government of the
United Kingdom on 22 May 1974 continue, having
regard to the provisions notified on 22 June 1976
and 18 August 1976, to satisfy the conditions for
financial contribution by the Community to common
measures within the meaning of Article 15 of
Directive 72/159/EEC.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the United Kingdom.

Done at Brussels, 3 December 1976.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 96, 23. 4. 1972, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 128, 19. 5. 1975, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 2, 4. 1. 1975, p. 27.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 192, 24. 7. 1975, p. 31.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 188, 26. 5. 1976, p. 19.