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on private storage aid for the R II type of table wine

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 816/70¹ of 28 April 1970 laying down additional provisions for the common organisation of the market in wine, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2612/70,² and in particular the first subparagraph of Article 5 (7) thereof;

Whereas Article 5 (3) of that Regulation stipulates that private storage aid shall be granted for a type of wine if, during the wine-growing year, the average price for that type of wine remains less than the activating price for two consecutive weeks;

Whereas, as regards the R II type of table wine, the fixing of the average prices for 24 February and 3 March 1971 has led in some marketing centres to

these prices remaining below the activating price for two consecutive weeks;

Whereas the conditions laid down in Article 5 (3) of that Regulation are therefore fulfilled; whereas, in accordance with the first subparagraph of paragraph 7 of that Article, the Commission must determine whether aid should be granted;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Private storage aid shall be granted from 3 March 1971 for the R II type of table wine.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of 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, 31 March 1971.

For the Commission

The President

Franco M. MALFATTI

¹ OJ No L 99, 5.5.1970, p. 1.

² OJ No L 281, 27.12.1970, p. 6.