

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2360/76**of 29 September 1976****supplementing Regulations (EEC) No 743/76 and (EEC) No 803/76 laying down detailed rules for the granting of certain premiums for beef and veal as regards the event giving rise to payment of the premiums**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 620/76 of 19 March 1976 on the grant of a premium for the birth of calves during the 1976/77 marketing year⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 2 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 797/76 of 6 April 1976 authorizing Member States to grant a premium on the slaughter of certain adult bovine animals intended for slaughter during the 1976/77 marketing year⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 4 (1) thereof,

Whereas, under Article 4 (2) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1134/68 of 30 July 1968 laying down rules for the implementation of Regulation (EEC) No 653/68 on conditions for alterations to the value of the unit of account used for the common agricultural policy⁽³⁾, for transactions carried out under the common agricultural policy the sums owed by a Member State or a duly authorized body, expressed in national currency and representing amounts fixed in units of account, are to be paid on the basis of the relationship between the unit of account and the national currency which obtained at the time when the transaction or part transaction was carried out;

Whereas, under Article 6 of the abovementioned Regulation, the time when a transaction is carried out is considered as being the date on which occurs the event, as defined by Community rules, or in the absence of and pending the adoption of such rules, by the rules of the Member States concerned, in which the amount involved in the transaction becomes due and payable;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 620/76 provides for the grant of a premium for the birth of calves during the 1976/77 marketing year where the calves are still alive six months after their birth; whereas the event in which the premium becomes due and payable to the producer occurs six months after the birth of the animal to which the premium relates; whereas, in

order to calculate the amount of the premium in national currency, the conversion rate valid on the day on which the animal reaches the age of six months should therefore be applied;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 797/76 makes provision for Member States to grant a premium for the slaughter of adult bovine animals other than cows; whereas the event in which the premium becomes due and payable therefore occurs on the day on which the animal to which the premium relates is slaughtered or first marketed for slaughter if such should be the case;

Whereas the above definitions of the events in which the premiums become due and payable must be inserted in the Regulations laying down rules for granting those premiums; whereas it is therefore necessary to amend Commission Regulation (EEC) No 743/76 of 31 March 1976 laying down detailed rules for the granting of a premium for the birth of calves in the 1976/77 marketing year⁽⁴⁾ and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 803/76 of 7 April 1976 laying down detailed rules for the granting of a slaughter premium for producers of bovine animals during the 1976/77 marketing year⁽⁵⁾;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Beef and Veal,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The following paragraph 4 is hereby added to Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 743/76:

'4. The event, within the meaning of Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 1134/68, which gives entitlement to the premium referred to in paragraph 1 shall be considered as occurring on the day on which the animal reaches the age of six months.'

Article 2

The following Article 8a is hereby added to Regulation (EEC) No 803/76:

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 74, 20. 3. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 93, 8. 4. 1976, p. 8.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 188, 1. 8. 1968, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 86, 1. 4. 1976, p. 41.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 93, 8. 4. 1976, p. 19.

Article 8a

The event, within the meaning of Article 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 1134/68, which gives entitlement to the premium referred to in Article 1 shall be considered as occurring on the day on which the animal to which the premium relates is slaughtered or, where Article 2 (1) of this Regula-

tion is applied, on the day when the animal is first marketed for slaughter.'

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third 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, 29 September 1976.

For the Commission

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