# COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 2855/98

### of 30 December 1998

## altering the export refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in the natural state

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector (1), as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1148/98 (2), and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 19 (4) thereof,

Whereas the refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in the natural state were fixed by Commission Regulation (EC) No 2638/98 (3), as amended by Regulation (EC) No 2712/98 (4);

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EC) No 2638/98 to the information known to the Commission that the export refunds at present in force should be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1103/ 97 of 17 June 1997 on certain provisions relating to the introduction of the euro (5) provides that as from 1

January 1999, all references to the ecu in legal instruments are to be replaced by references to the euro at the rate of EUR 1 to ECU 1; whereas, for the sake of clarity, the denomination 'euro' should be used in this Regulation since it is to apply from 1 January 1999,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

### Article 1

The export refunds on the products listed in Article 1(1)(a) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81, undenatured and exported in the natural state, as fixed in the Annex to Regulation (EC) No 2638/98 are hereby altered to the amounts shown in the Annex hereto.

### Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1999.

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

Done at Brussels, 30 December 1998.

For the Commission Karel VAN MIERT Member of the Commission

OJ L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. OJ L 159, 3. 6. 1998, p.

OJ L 335, 10. 12. 1998, p. 5. OJ L 342, 17. 12. 1998, p. 3.

OJ L 162, 19. 6. 1997, p. 1.

ANNEX to the Commission Regulation of 30 December 1998 altering the export refunds on white sugar and raw sugar exported in its unaltered state

Product code	Amount of refund
	— EUR/100 kg —
1701 11 90 9100 1701 11 90 9910 1701 11 90 9950 1701 12 90 9100	42,53 (¹) 41,54 (¹) (²)
1701 12 90 9100 1701 12 90 9910 1701 12 90 9950	42,53 (¹) 41,54 (¹) (²)
1701 91 00 9000	— EUR/1 % of sucrose × 100 kg —  0,4623  — EUR/100 kg —
1701 99 10 9100 1701 99 10 9910 1701 99 10 9950	46,23 46,23 46,23
1701 99 90 9100	— EUR/1 % of sucrose × 100 kg — 0,4623

<sup>(</sup>¹) Applicable to raw sugar with a yield of 92 %; if the yield is other than 92 %, the refund applicable is calculated in accordance with the provisions of Article 17a (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81.

<sup>(2)</sup> Fixing suspended by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2689/85 (OJ L 255, 26. 9. 1985, p. 12), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3251/85 (OJ L 309, 21. 11. 1985, p. 14).