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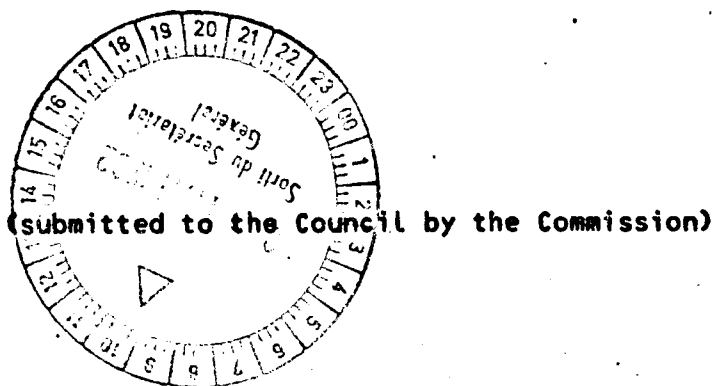
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# COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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Proposal for a  
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)  
amending Regulation (EEC) No 1417/78 on the aid system for dried  
fodder

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EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Article 5 of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 provides that a supplementary aid equal to the difference between the guide price and the world market price for dried fodder should be granted for these products.

The world market price is determined in accordance with Articles 1, 2 and 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 1417/78 on the basis of the price for dried fodder, sun-dried fodder or by comparison with the trend of prices for competing products.

However, experience has shown that the number of offers on the world market in dried products is steadily decreasing, that offers for sun-dried fodder are practically non-existent and that application of an adjustment to the last known value of the price of dried fodder to take account of the trend in competing products is not representative. To avoid the difficulties in fixing the world market price, the purpose of this draft Regulation is determine this price failing a quotation for dried fodder, directly on the basis of the price of competing products imported from non-member countries.

Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1417/78 also provides for the determination of the world market price every month. In view of the fluctuations in the price of dried products on the world market, this draft Regulation provides for a more frequent fixing of the world market price.

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Proposal for  
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

amending Regulation (EEC) No 1417/78 on the aid system for dried fodder

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 of the 22 May 1978 on the common organization of the market in dried fodder<sup>(1)</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1782/81<sup>(2)</sup>, and in particular Article 6<sup>(2)</sup> thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas it has become apparent that the average world market price for the products referred to in the first indent under (b) in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78 may fluctuate during a single month; whereas provision should be made for periodic determination of that price;

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1417/78<sup>3</sup>, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1458/80<sup>4</sup>, provides that in the absence of offers or quotations for artificially heat-dried fodder on the world market the Commission is to determine the average world market price from world market offers for sun-dried fodder;

Whereas experience has shown that no offers or quotations exist on the world market for sun-dried fodder; whereas the said Article should therefore be repealed;

Whereas Article 3 of the above-mentioned Regulation provides that in the absence of offers and quotations for dried fodder on the world market the Commission is to determine the world market price on the basis of the latest average world market price determined, adjusted in accordance with the trend of prices of the same products originating in the Community and the prices for competing products on the world market;

Whereas experience has shown that in the prolonged absence of offers and quotations on the world market for dried fodder, determination of the world price is either impossible or not representative; whereas Article 3 should therefore be amended;

(1) OJ No L 142, 30.5.1978, p. 1.

(2) OJ No L 176, 1.7.1981, p. 9.

(3) OJ No L 171, 28.6.1978, p. 1.

(4) OJ No L 146, 12.6.1980, p.1.

Whereas some products imported from non-member countries are in direct competition with dried fodder produced in the Community; whereas in the absence of offers and quotations on the world market for dried fodder the world market price of such products should be determined on the basis of the price of competing products imported from non-member countries;

Whereas Article 4 of the above-mentioned Regulation fixed the marketing stage and the quality of dried fodder for which the world market price was to be determined; whereas in view of the possibility of determining the world market price on the basis of the price of competing products, the marketing stage and the quality of such products for which the world market price is to be determined should be specified,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

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Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 1417/78 is hereby amended as follows :

1. Article 1(1) is replaced by the following :

"1. The Commission shall determine periodically the average world market price for the products listed in the first indent under (b) in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78. "

2. Article 2 is deleted.

3. Article 3 is replaced by the following :

" Article 3

In cases where no offer or quotation for the products referred to in Article 1 can be used for determining the average world market price, the Commission shall determine it on the basis of the price of competing products imported from non-member countries. "

4. Article 4 is replaced by the following :

" Article 4

1. As regards the products referred to in Article 1, the Commission shall determine the average world market price for a pelleted product delivered in bulk to Rotterdam, of the standard quality for which the guide price has been fixed.  
The Commission shall make the necessary adjustments for offers and quotations not complying with these conditions.
2. As regards the competing products referred to in Article 3 the Commission shall determine the average world market price for a pelleted product delivered in bulk to Rotterdam, of a quality to be defined.  
The Commission shall make the necessary adjustments for offers and quotations not complying with these conditions.

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.....

For the Council

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Date : 29 April 1982

1. BUDGET HEADING : 1311

APPROBIATIONS : 48 million ECU

2. TITLE : Draft proposal for a Council Regulation amending Council Regulation (EEC) No 1417 on the aid system for dried fodder.

3. LEGAL BASIS : Regulation (EEC) No 1117/78

4. AIMS OF PROJECT : To provide for new arrangements for determining the world market price for dried fodder.

5. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS	PERIOD OF 12 MONTHS	CURRENT FINANCIAL YEAR ( 82 )	FOLLOWING FINANCIAL YEAR ( 83 )
5.0 EXPENDITURE			
- CHARGED TO THE EC BUDGET ( <del>REVENUE</del> /INTERVENTIONS)	insignificant	insignificant	insignificant
- NATIONAL ADMINISTRATION	(1)	(1)	(1)
- OTHER			
5.1 RECEIPTS			
- OWN RESOURCES OF THE EC (LEVIES/CUSTOMS DUTIES)		-	
- NATIONAL			
	84	85	
5.0.1 ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE	insignificant	insignificant	
5.1.1 ESTIMATED RECEIPTS	(1)	(1)	

5.2 METHOD OF CALCULATION

6.0 CAN THE PROJECT BE FINANCED FROM APPROBIATIONS ENTERED IN THE RELEVANT CHAPTER OF THE CURRENT BUDGET ?

YES/NO  
 YES

6.1 CAN THE PROJECT BE FINANCED BY TRANSFER BETWEEN CHAPTERS OF THE CURRENT BUDGET ?

YES/NO  
 YES

6.2 IS A SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET BE NECESSARY ?

YES/NO  
 YES

6.3 WILL FUTURE BUDGET APPROBIATIONS BE NECESSARY ?

YES/NO  
 YES

OBSERVATIONS : (1) The new arrangements for determining the world market price and therefore the supplementary aid are not such as to cause significant and calculable changes as regards the supplementary aid.