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# COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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Brussels, 21 December 1977

## Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

- amending Regulation (EEC) No 483/77 opening,  
allocating and providing for the administration of Community tariff  
quotas for certain wines having a registered designation of origin,  
falling within subheading ex 22.05 C of the Common Customs Tariff,  
originating in Morocco (1977/1978).

## Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

- amending Regulation (EEC) No 1391/77 of opening,  
allocating and providing for the administration of Community tariff  
quotas for certain wines having a registered designation of origin,  
falling within subheading ex 22.05 C of the Common Customs Tariff,  
originating in Algeria (1977/1978).

(submitted to the Council by the Commission)

## EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Under the Interim Agreements being implemented pending the entry into force of the Cooperation Agreements signed between the EEC and Algeria and between the EEC and Morocco, Community tariff quotas have been opened for wines having a registered designation of origin and originating in those countries. Under the Agreements, part of each quota is reserved for wine in bulk, which must be put up in accordance with certain conditions. One of these conditions is that the wine in question may be transported only in containers of a capacity not exceeding 25 hectolitres.

It has become clear in practice that, owing to present transport conditions, this obligation is preventing Algeria and Morocco from making full use of the quotas allocated to them.

Therefore, in order to allow Algerian and Moroccan exporters sufficient time in which to comply, on this point, with the technical requirements of the Agreements and in order to enable the Community's partners to benefit fully during this period from the tariff advantages agreed, the Commission requests the Council, in the attached proposals, to amend the regulations opening, allocating and providing for the administration of the quotas in question, so as to allow, during the period of validity of these regulations, the bulk wine to which they apply to be transported in containers with a capacity not exceeding 200 hl.

### FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

These Regulations have no financial implications.

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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,  
and in particular Articles 43 and 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (1),

Whereas Article 1 (4) (e) of Council Regulation (EEC No 483/77 of 8 March 1977 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of Community tariff quotas for certain wines having a registered designation of origin, falling within subheading ex 22.05 C of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in Morocco (1977/78) (2) provides that wine in containers holding more than two litres may be transported only in containers of a capacity not exceeding 25 hectolitres;

Whereas for technical reasons it is necessary, temporarily, to permit the use of containers of a capacity not exceeding 200 hectolitres for the transportation of the wine in question,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

Article 1 (4) (e) of Regulation (EEC) No 483/77 of 8 March 1977 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"(e) the wine in question may be transported only in containers of a capacity not exceeding 200 hectolitres".

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(1) OJ No L

(2) OJ No L 65, 11.03.1977, p. 4

Article 2

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

For the Council

The President

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