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## COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 2182/77

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### laying down detailed rules for the sale of frozen beef from intervention stocks for processing in the Community and amending Regulation (EEC) No 1687/76

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▶ <u>M2</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1026/78 of 19 May 1978	L 132	52	20.5.1978
▶ <u>M3</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 983/81 of 8 April 1981	L 99	30	10.4.1981
▶ <u>M4</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 52/82 of 11 January 1982	L 7	11	12.1.1982
▶ <u>M5</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2769/82 of 15 October 1982	L 292	7	16.10.1982
▶ <u>M6</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1560/84 of 5 June 1984	L 150	11	6.6.1984
▶ <u>M7</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 632/85 of 12 March 1985	L 72	25	13.3.1985
▶ <u>M8</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3210/85 of 15 November 1985	L 303	13	16.11.1985
▶ <u>M9</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 163/86 of 27 January 1986	L 21	9	28.1.1986
▶ <u>M10</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 204/87 of 22 January 1987	L 22	14	24.1.1987
▶ <u>M11</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 786/87 of 19 March 1987	L 78	29	20.3.1987
▶ <u>M12</u> Commission regulation (EEC) No 1431/87 of 25 May 1987	L 136	26	26.5.1987
▶ <u>M13</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1809/87 of 29 June 1987	L 170	23	30.6.1987
▶ <u>M14</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3988/87 of 22 December 1987	L 376	31	31.12.1987
▶ <u>M15</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3807/92 of 23 December 1992	L 384	33	30.12.1992
▶ <u>M16</u> Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1759/93 of 1 July 1993	L 161	59	2.7.1993
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NB: This consolidated version contains references to the European unit of account and/or the ecu, which from 1 January 1999 should be understood as references to the euro — Council Regulation (EEC) No 3308/80 (OJ L 345, 20.12.1980, p. 1) and Council Regulation (EC) No 1103/97 (OJ L 162, 19.6.1997, p. 1).

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THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal (<sup>1</sup>), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 425/77 (<sup>2</sup>), and in particular Article 7 (3) thereof,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 98/69 of 16 January 1969 laying down general rules for the disposal of frozen beef and veal by intervention agencies (<sup>3</sup>), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 429/ 77 (<sup>4</sup>), provides that such meat may be sold for special use; whereas detailed rules should be laid down for the disposal of such meat to the Community processing industry;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 597/77 of 18 March 1977 laying down detailed rules for the application of special import arrangements for certain types of frozen beef intended for processing (<sup>5</sup>), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1384/77 (<sup>6</sup>), specifies the products into which such meat may be processed; whereas, to facilitate the control of such processing, provision should be made for the products sold under the present Regulation to be processed into those specified in Regulation (EEC) No 597/77, or into products falling within Common Customs Tariff subheading 02.06 C I a) 2;

Whereas, furthermore, Regulation (EEC) No 597/77 makes provision for more favourable arrangements for meat which is to be manufactured into preserves, in order to improve the competitive position of such preserves on the market; whereas it should be provided that meat disposed of under this Regulation should be put on sale at prices differing according to end use;

Whereas sales under this Regulation at prices fixed in advance should be governed by the provisions of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 216/69 of 4 February 1969 laying down detailed rules for the disposal of frozen beef purchased by the intervention agencies (<sup>7</sup>), subject to certain special exceptions on account of the particular use to which these products are to be put;

Whereas it should be laid down that, in addition to the security provided for in Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 216/69, a security is to be provided as guarantee of the use to which products sold under this Regulation are put; whereas this security should be varied according to the use to which the meat is to be put;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1687/76 of 30 June 1976 (<sup>8</sup>), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1723/77 (<sup>9</sup>), laid down detailed rules for verification of use or destination of intervention products; whereas certain of these rules should be applied to sales effected under this Regulation;

Whereas Article 4 (2) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1134/68 of 30 July 1968 laying down rules for the implementation of Regulation

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 24.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ No L 14, 21. 1. 1969, p. 2.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ No L 61, 5. 3. 1977, p. 18.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>) OJ No L 76, 24. 3. 1977, p. 1.

<sup>(6)</sup> OJ No L 157, 28. 6. 1977, p. 16.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>) OJ No L 28, 5. 2. 1969, p. 10.

<sup>(8)</sup> OJ No L 190, 14. 7. 1976, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup>) OJ No L 189, 29. 7. 1977, p. 39.

(EEC) No 653/68 on conditions for alterations to the value of the unit of account used for the common agricultural policy (<sup>1</sup>) provides that, in the case of transactions carried out pursuant to 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, should 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 adoption of such rules, by the rules of the Member State concerned, in which the amount involved in the transaction becomes due and payable;

Whereas the date of the event on which the security and the selling price for the product become due and payable is that on which the contract of sale is concluded;

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

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1. Meat sold under this Regulation shall be used for the manufacture within the Community, at the purchaser's choice, of either

(a) preserved food as defined in Article 2 (5) of Regulation (EEC) No 1136/79, or

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(b) other products as defined in Article 2 (6) of the same Regulation, or products falling within subheading 0210 20 90 of the combined nomenclature.

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2. In the case of  $\blacktriangleright \underline{M1}$  —  $\blacksquare$  meat processed into products as specified in paragraph 1 (a), proof of processing shall not be accepted unless the quantity of preserved food manufactured from such meat is at least equivalent to the quantity purchased.

The coefficients used to determine the quantity of boned  $\blacktriangleright \underline{M1}$  —  $\blacksquare$  meat contained in a certain quantity of preserved meat shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

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If the quantity of meat required to manufacture a product of the type indicated at I.4 of the Annex differs markedly from the quantity given by application of the coefficient 0.30 specified for this type the competent authority may under the system of administrative supervision accept individual proof of the quantity of frozen meat required to manufacture the product, in cases where this is requested by the purchaser referred to in paragraph 1.

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3. For the purposes of this Regulation, 100 kilograms of unboned meat shall be deemed to be the equivalent of 77 kilograms of boned meat.

However, in the case of forequarters, 100 kilograms of unboned forequarters shall be deemed to be the equivalent of 70 kilograms of boned meat.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ No L 188, 1. 8. 1968, p. 1.

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4. For the purposes of this Regulation, the processing of hindquarters may be undertaken after the removal of the following cuts: fillet and sirloin. In that case, 100 kilograms of bone-in hindquarters, after removal of the fillet and sirloin, shall be deemed to be the equivalent of 66 kilograms of boned meat.

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### Article 2

Different sale prices may be fixed for meat sold under this Regulation depending on whether the meat is intended for the manufacture of preserved foods as specified in subparagraph (a) of Article 1 (1) or for the manufacture of other products as specified in subparagraph (b) thereof.

#### Article 3

1. Purchase applications or offers must include a written declaration by the purchaser that the meat is intended either for the manufacture of products as specified in Article 1 (1) (a) or for the manufacture of products as specified in Article 1 (1) (b), and must specify the Member State or States where manufacture is to take place.

2. Before the contract of sale is concluded, the purchaser must give a written undertaking to the competent authority of the Member State where the processing is to take place that within 30 days of the date of conclusion of the contract he will specify the establishment or establishments where the purchased meat is to be processed.

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3. Where  $\blacktriangleright M15$  Article 5 (2) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No  $3002/92(^1) \blacktriangleleft$  is applied, the intervention agency holding the products shall immediately notify the competent authority of the Member State where processing is to take place of the lodging of an application or offer to purchase.

4. On conclusion of the contract of sale the intervention agency holding the products shall immediately forward to the competent authority of the Member State where processing is to take place a certified copy of the contract of sale.

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#### Article 4

1. A security intended to cover the processing of products shall be put up by the purchaser referred to in Article 3 with the competent authority of the Member State in which the processing is to take place, before taking over.

The amount of the security can be differentiated in relation with the products offered for sale and their use.

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The conversion rate to be applied to the amount of the security referred to in this paragraph shall be the agricultural conversion rate in force on the day on which the security is lodged with, or proof of it is furnished to, the intervention agency.

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2. Where  $\blacktriangleright M15$  Article 5 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 3002/92  $\triangleleft$  is applied, the meat can be taken over only when the intervention agency holding the products has received the certificate referred to in that paragraph.

#### Article 5

## ▼<u>M12</u>

1. The processing of meat purchased under this Regulation must be carried out within five months of the date of conclusion of the contract of sale.

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2. The proof provided for in  $\blacktriangleright \underline{M15}$  Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 3002/92  $\blacktriangleleft$  must be provided within  $\blacktriangleright \underline{M2}$  seven months  $\blacktriangleleft$  of the date of conclusion of the contract of sale.

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3. As regards the security referred to in Article 4 (1), the manufacture of the products indicated in accordance with Article 3 (1) shall constitute a primary requirement within the meaning of Article 20 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2220/85 (<sup>1</sup>).

Where the Regulation opening the sale stipulates that processing must be carried out by the applicant, this shall also constitute such a primary requirement.

The additional time referred to in Article 22 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 2220/85 shall apply only where the action attested by the evidence referred to in paragraph 2 above was taken by the time indicated in this paragraph.

For the purposes of this Regulation, as regards the security referred to in Article 4 (1),

- (a) the 15 % provided for in Articles 23, 24 and 25 of the said Regulation shall be replaced by a flat-rate amount of ►<u>M17</u> ECU 30 < per tonne;</li>
- (b) the 10 %, 5 % and 2 % provided for in Article 23 (2) of the said Regulation shall be replaced by a flat-rate amount of ►<u>M17</u> ECU 3 < per tonne.</li>

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### Article 6

1. By way of derogation from Article 5 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 216/69, the price shall be paid as and when the goods are removed from store, in proportion to the quantities removed and not later than the day preceding each removal.

2. The price shall be paid in the national currency of the Member State in which the intervention agency holding the products is located.

3. By way of derogation from Article 2 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 216/69, the minimum sale quantity shall be  $\blacktriangleright M8$  2 tonnes  $\blacktriangleleft$ .

#### Article 7

Where, by reason of *force majeure*, the purchaser is unable to comply with the time limit set for taking delivery, the intervention agency shall take such action as it considers necessary having regard to the circumstances invoked.

The intervention agency shall notify the Commission of each case of *force majeure* and of the measures taken in respect thereof.

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## Article 9

In addition to the entries laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 3002/92, Section 104 of T 5 control copies must be completed with one or more of the following:

Destinados a la transformación [Reglamento (CEE) nº 2182/77]

Til forarbejdning (forordning (EØF) nr. 2182/77)

Zur Verarbeitung bestimmt (Verordnung (EWG) Nr. 2182/77)

Προοριζόμενα για μεταποίηση [κανονισμός (ΕΟΚ) αριθ. 2182/77]

For processing (Regulation (EEC) No 2182/77)

Destinées à la transformation [règlement (CEE) nº 2182/77]

Destinate alla trasformazione [regolamento (CEE) n. 2182/77]

Bestemd om te worden verwerkt (Verordening (EEG) nr. 2182/77)

Destinadas a transformação [Regulamento (CEE) nº 2182/77];

Section 106 of T 5 control copies must be completed with the date of conclusion of the contract of sale and:

- in the case of meat intended for the manufacture of preserved food: system A,
- in the case of meat intended for the manufacture of other products: system B.

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#### Article 10

This Regulation shall enter into force on 10 October 1977.

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

## ANNEX

Coefficients used to determine the quantity of boned ►<u>M1</u> ← meat contained in a certain quantity of preserved meat

	Products	Coefficients
I.	Preserved food, other than homogenized, containing the following percentages of meat of bovine animals:	
	1. 80 % or more of meat, excluding offal and fat	1.50
	2. 60 % or more but less than 80 % of meat, excluding offal and fat	1.10
	3. 40 % or more but less than 60 % of meat, excluding offal and fat	0.90
	4. 20 % or more but less than 40 % of meat, excluding offal and fat	0.30
Π.	The coefficient applicable in respect of homogenized preserved meat shall be equal to the quantity, expressed in kilograms, of boned $\blacktriangleright \underline{M1}$ — $\blacksquare$ meat used in the manufacture of one kilogram of preserved meat	