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COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

COM(79) 626 final

Brussels, 9 November 1979

Proposal for a
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

fixing the guide prices for the fishery products listed in
Annex I (A) and (C) to Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 for the
1980 fishing year

Proposal for a
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

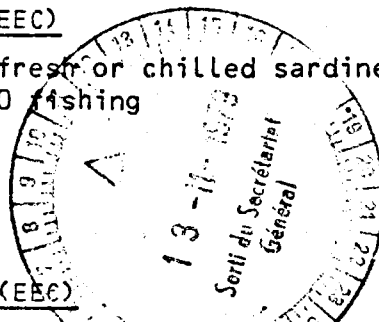
fixing the guide prices for fishery products listed in
Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 for the 1980 fishing
year

Proposal for a
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

fixing the intervention prices for fresh or chilled sardines
and anchovies for the 1980 fishing
year

Proposal for a
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

fixing the Community producer price for tunny intended for
the canning industry for the 1980 fishing year



(submitted by the Commission to the Council)

COM(79) 626 final

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

The present regulation is intended to fix guidance prices for products listed in annex I, A and C of Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 on the common organization of the market in the fishery products sector for 1980. Article 9 of this regulation allows for the fixing of a guide price for each of the products which is established for each fishing season on the basis of the average price on the wholesale market or representative port during the three fishing seasons preceding the fixing of the price for a significant proportion of the Community output for a product of defined market characteristics.

The starting point in the price fixing procedure for 1980 has been the comparison of the mean of the prices set out below established during the period 1977/1979 (1979: six months) and that of the period 1976/1978, the latter having been the base for fixing the guide price for 1979.

The guide price proposed for 1980 takes into account the very volatile and sensitive market situation for fishery products. While landing prices stayed generally at a relatively high level at the beginning of the year, there has been a marked tendency for a lowering of prices in recent months, a tendency which exceeded the normal seasonal fall. The effects of the guide prices for 1980 on the level of withdrawal prices and the desired relationship of these prices with regard to the lowest prices on the Community market have been correspondingly taken into account with regard to this tendency.

Given this situation, it is proposed that the guide prices for herring, Mediterranean sardines and mackerel for 1979 be retained for 1980 and to allow for a certain small increase in guide price from 1 - 6%, according to species, for most of the other products.

At the same time, taking account of the development of the market for the Atlantic sardine, a reduction of 4% in the guide price is proposed. With regard to the anchovy, it is necessary to allow for a reduction of the guide price of 7.5% following a further diminution of 1979 market prices accompanied by substantial withdrawals.

In order to avoid certain anomalies which occurred on the 1979 market, it is necessary to take measures to adjust certain marketing norms, in particular those for redfish and anchovy. The Commission will shortly submit a proposal modifying its November 1976 proposals by virtue of Article 149 of the Treaty. These modified norms should enter into force at the same time as the guide prices.

REGULATION (EEC) OF THE COUNCIL

of

fixing the guide prices for the fishery products listed in Annex I (A) and (C) to Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 for the 1980 fishing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 (1) of 19 January 1976 on the common organization of the market in fishery products, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2903/78 (2), and in particular Article 9 (4) thereof;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission;

Whereas Article 9 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 provides that a guide price shall be fixed each year for each of the products listed in Annex I (A) and (C) to that Regulation at a level which will help to stabilize market prices without leading to the formation of structural surpluses within the Community;

Whereas the guide prices for the said products were fixed for the 1979 fishing year by Regulation (EEC) No 2904/79 (3);

Whereas the application of the criteria defined in Article 9 of Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 and set out above involves, for the 1980 fishing year, for some products an increase, and for other products a decrease in prices by comparison with those valid for the current fishing year; whereas in the absence of certain information concerning price trends for each fishery product with given commercial specifications, consideration should be given to the relationship between the average weighted market prices recorded when the guide prices were fixed for the previous fishing year for these products, and the average weighted market prices now current;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

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(1) O.J. No L 20, 28.1.1976, p. 1.

(2) O.J. No L 347, 12.12.1978, p. 1.

(3) O.J. No L 347, 12.12.1978, p. 2.

Article 1

The guide prices applicable until 31 December 1980 for the products listed in Annex I (A) and (C) to Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 and the products to which they relate are hereby fixed in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1980.

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

Done at Brussels,

For the Council

ANNEX

Species	Commercial specifications (1)			Guide price (ECU/Metric ton)
	Freshness category	Size	Presentation	
1. Herrings	Extra, A	1	whole fish	313
2. Sardines "Clupea pilchardus Walbaum" :				
(a) Atlantic	Extra	2	whole fish	511
(b) Mediterranean	Extra	2	whole fish	370
3. Redfish (Sebastes marinus)	A	2	whole fish	629
4. Cod	A	2	gutted fish with head	} 756
	or A	3	gutted fish with head	
5. Saithe	A	2	gutted fish with head	} 445
	or A	3	gutted fish with head	
6. Haddock	A	2	gutted fish with head	} 593
	or A	3	gutted fish with head	
7. Whiting	A	2	gutted fish with head	} 585
	or A	3	gutted fish with head	
8. Mackerel	Extra	1	whole fish	} 267
	or A	2	whole fish	
9. Anchovies	Extra	2	whole fish	475
10. Plaice	A	2	gutted fish with head	} 715 from 1.1.1980 to 31.3.1980
	or A	3	gutted fish with head	
11. Hake	A	2	gutted fish with head	1.689
12. Shrimps of the genus Crangon sp.p.	A	1	simply boiled in water	1.246

(1) The freshness categories, sizes and presentation are defined to Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 100/76

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Under Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 on the common organization of the market in fishery products, a guide price is to be fixed for each of the products listed in Annex II to the Regulation. It is to be fixed for a product with given commercial characteristics and based on the average of prices recorded on representative wholesale markets or in representative ports during the three fishing years immediately preceding the fixing of the price for a significant proportion of the Community output.

Examination of the development of prices for the products in question shows that for certain products the guide price should be increase and for the others it should be maintained for the 1980 fishing year.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

fixing the guide prices for fishery products listed
in Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 for the
1980 fishing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 of 19 January 1976 on
the common organization of the market in fishery products (1), as last amended
by Regulation (EEC) No 2903/78 (2), and in particular Article 14(5) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Article 14(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 provides that a guide
price shall be fixed annually for each of the products or groups of products
listed in Annex II to that Regulation;

Whereas the guide prices for the said products were fixed for the 1979
fishing year by Regulation (EEC) No 2905/78 (3);

Whereas, given the data available at present concerning prices for the products
in question, it is necessary to increase these prices for certain products
and to maintain them for others for the 1980 fishing year

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

(1) OJ No L 20, 28.1.1976, p. 1

(2) OJ No L 347, 12.12.1978, p. 1.

(3) OJ No L 347, 12.12.1978, p. 4.

Article 1

The guide prices applicable until 31 December 1980 for products listed in Annex II to Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 and the products to which they relate are hereby fixed in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1980.

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

Done at Brussels,

For the Council

ANNEX

Group of products	Commercial specifications	Guide price ECU/tonne
Sardines	Frozen, in lots or in original packages containing the same products	381
Sea-bream of the species <i>Dentex dentex</i> and <i>Pagellus</i>	Frozen, in lots or in original packages containing the same products	949
Squid (<i>Loligo</i> spp)	Frozen, in original packages containing the same products	1.851
Squid (<i>Ommastrephes sagittatus</i> , <i>Todarodes sagittatus</i> , <i>Illex</i> spp)	Frozen, in original packages containing the same products	875
Cuttlefish of the species <i>Sepia officinalis</i> , <i>Rossia macrosoma</i> and <i>Sepiola rondeletti</i>	Frozen, in original packages containing the same products	1.286
Octopus	Frozen, in original packages containing the same products	949

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Under Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 on the common organization in fishery products, the intervention price for fresh or chilled sardines and anchovies is fixed and this intervention price can be fixed at a level of between 35 and 45% of the guide price according to the production characteristics and the character of the particular market for each product.

The present regulation is intended to fix the intervention price in conformity with the dispositions of Regulation (EEC) No 100/76.

The present proposal reflects the Council declaration relating to the level of these prices. The Council invites the Commission to take into consideration, at the submission of the proposal relating to intervention prices, the importance which is attached to the need for these prices to be near the upper limit of the bracket shown in Article 9, paragraph 3" (of R/2129/70 (AGRI 691) of 20 October 1970).

PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

fixing the intervention prices for fresh or chilled sardines and anchovies for the 1980 fishing year

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 of 19 January 1976 on the common organisation of the market in fishery products (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2903/78 (2), and in particular Article 9 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Article 9 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 provides that intervention prices should be fixed for fresh or chilled sardines and anchovies at a level which will help to stabilize market prices without leading to the formation of structural surpluses in the Community;

Whereas Article 9 (3) of the same Regulation provides that the intervention price should be fixed at a level between 35% and 45% of the guide price depending on the production and marketing characteristics peculiar to each product;

Whereas the guide prices for fishery products listed in Annex I (A) and (C) to Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 have been fixed for the 1980 fishing year by Regulation (EEC) No 179 (3);

(1) OJ No L 20, 28.1.1976, p. 1.

(2) OJ No L 347, 12.12.1978, p. 1.

(3) OJ No L

Whereas given the present state of information on the market situation for the products in question and the absence of any experience in relation to purchases on the open market of these products, the intervention prices should be fixed at a level such as to ensure maximum support of the market,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The intervention prices applicable until 31 December 1980 for fresh or chilled sardines and anchovies and the products to which they relate are hereby fixed as follows:

Species	Commercial specifications (1)			Intervention price (ECU/tonne)
	Freshness category	Size	Presentation	
1. Sardines				
a) Atlantic	Extra	2	whole fish	230
b) Mediterranean	Extra	2	whole fish	167
2. Anchovies	Extra	2	whole fish	214

(1) The freshness categories, sizes and presentation are defined pursuant to Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 100/76.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1980.

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

Done at Brussels,

For the Council

The President

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Under Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 on the common organization of the market in fishery products, a community production price for tunny intended for canning is fixed, and this price can be fixed for a product defined by its market characteristics on the base of the mean of the wholesale market prices or in the representative ports during the three fishing seasons preceding the fixing of this price and for a significant part of the Community production.

It is proposed to make a slight increase in price for the 1980 fishing year.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

fixing the Community producer price for tunny intended for the canning industry for the 1980 fishing year.

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 of 19 January 1976 on the common organization of the market in fishery products (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2903/78 (2), and in particular Article 16 (5) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Article 16 (4) of Regulation (EEC) No 100/76 provides that a Community producer price shall be fixed for tunny intended for the canning industry;

Whereas the Community producer price for tunny intended for the canning industry was fixed for the 1979 fishing year by Regulation (EEC) No 2907/78 (3);

Whereas, on the basis of the criteria defined in Article 16(4) of Regulation (EEC) No 100/76, the price for the 1980 fishing year should be increased slightly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

(1) OJ No L 20, 28.1.1976, p. 1.

(2) OJ No L 347, 12.12.1978, p. 1.

(3) OJ No L 347, 12.12.1978, p. 7.

Article 1

The Community producer price applicable until 31 December 1980 for tunny, for the canning industry and the product to which it relates are hereby fixed as follows :

Product	Commercial specifications	Community producer price (in ECU/tonne)
Yellow-finned tunny	Whole, not weighing more than 10 kg each	915

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1980.

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

Done at Brussels,

For the Council

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Date : 30.10.1979

1. BUDGET HEADING : Art. 881

APPROBIATIONS :

2. TITLE : Four proposals for Council Regulations fixing the guide price for fishery products (Annex I (A and C); Annex II), production price (tunny) and intervention prices for sardines and anchovies for the fishing season 1980.

3. LEGAL BASIS : Articles 9, 14 and 16 of Reg. (EEC) No 100/76 of the Council

4. AIMS OF PROJECT :

Annual fixing of prices in the fisheries sector.

5. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS	PERIOD OF 12 MONTHS	CURRENT FINANCIAL YEAR ()	FOLLOWING FINANCIAL YEAR (80)
5.0 EXPENDITURE			
- CHARGED TO THE EC BUDGET (REFUNDS/INTERVENTIONS)			
- NATIONAL ADMINISTRATION	1)	-	1)
- OTHER			
5.1 RECEIPTS			
- OWN RESOURCES OF THE EC (LEVIES/CUSTOMS DUTIES)			
- NATIONAL			
5.0.1 ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE	Measure limited to 1980 season		
5.1.1 ESTIMATED RECEIPTS	1.1 - 31.12.1980		

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

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

YES/NO

6.2 IS A SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET BE NECESSARY ?

YES/NO

6.3 WILL FUTURE BUDGET APPROBIATIONS BE NECESSARY ?

YES/NO

OBSERVATIONS : 1) Concerning the fixing of prices, the incidence of expenses is indirect. The expenses concerned -withdrawal or purchasing measures and compensation- are strongly dependant on the development of the market situation and consequently, the quantities landed. The credits were of a level of 20 Meua in 1979. The 1980 credits allowed for in Article 881 of the Budget proposal of 22 Meua are therefore of a sufficient order.