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Proposal for a
REGULATION (EEC) OF THE COUNCIL

amending Regulation (EEC) No 765/68 laying down general rules
for the production refund on sugar used in the chemical industry

(submitted to the Council by the Commission)

Explanatory Note

Regulation (EEC) No 765/68 of the Council laying down general rules for the production refund on sugar used in the chemical industry has established the system of production refunds applicable until 30 June 1975 on sugar used in the manufacture of certain chemical products and in particular this regulation has fixed the sugar price for the industries, which produce the products listed in its Annex I, at 13,30 units of account per 100 kilogrammes, taking in account that the supply price for maize has been fixed at 6,80 u.a. per 100 kilogrammes for the calculation of the production refund in the cereals sector. In effect the point in question was to avoid that the use of cereals will be abandoned because these products can have their origin either from sugar or from starchy materials.

However, as the supply price for maize has been fixed at 8,20 u.a. per 100 kilogrammes counting from 1 August 1974 the sugar price for the chemical industry should be revised to 16,00 u.a. counting from the same date. This new amount for the sugar has been established precisely in terms of this increase of the supply price for maize.

Besides it is convenient within the framework of Regulation (EEC) No 765/68 to find a final solution for several products produced in certain Member States and for which the Community has provided interim measures including these products in the corresponding Annexes to the abovementioned Regulation so implying an extension of the system laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 765/68 for these products to the whole Community.

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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation No 1009/67/EEC¹ of 18 December 1967 on the common organization of the market in sugar, at last amended by Regulation (EEC) No...../74², and in particular Article 9 paragraph 7 thereof;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission;

Whereas Article 5 paragraph 1 of Council Regulation No 765/68/EEC³ of 18 June 1968 laying down general rules for the production refund on sugar used in the chemical industry, at last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2723/71⁴, has fixed the production refund, applicable until 30 June 1975 on sugar used in the manufacture of certain chemical products with double origins i.e. they can be based either on sugar or on starchy basic materials, in an amount equal to the intervention price of the processing area reduced by 13,30 units of account per 100 kilogrammes; whereas this amount of 13,30 units of account has been calculated taking into account, that abandonment of the use of cereals shall be avoided;

Whereas, at the same time the amount of 13,30 units of account was fixed, the maize supply price for the calculation of the production refund for the cereals sector was fixed at 6,80 units of account per 100 kilogrammes; whereas, pursuant to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1132/74 of 29 April 1974⁵ on production refunds in the cereals and rice sectors, this maize supply price will be raised from 1 August 1974 to 8,20 units of account per 100 kilogrammes; whereas consequently this amount of 13,30 units of account shall be revised from the same date in terms of this increase;

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- 1) OJ No 308, 18.12.1967, p.1
 - 2) OJ No L
 - 3) OJ No L 143, 25.6.1968, p.1
 - 4) OJ No L 282, 23.12.1971, p.2
 - 5) OJ No L 128, 10.5.1974, p.24

Whereas, in certain new Member States, the chemical industry before their accession to the European Communities has used sugar in significant quantity for the manufacture of several chemical products not included in the lists which appear in the Annexes to Regulation (EEC) No 765/68, a manufacture, which has benefitted from special national rules in these Member States; whereas the Community has already provided interim measures for these Member States to allow the application to most of these products of the rules provided for by this Regulation;

Whereas it seems appropriate that this question finds a final solution within the framework of Regulation (EEC) No 765/68, consisting of the inclusion of the products in question in the corresponding Annexes to this Regulation and consequently for these products an extension to the whole Community of the rules laid down in this Regulation;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In Article 5 paragraph 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 765/68 the amount of " 13,30 units of account" shall be replaced by the amount of " 16,00 units of account".

Article 2

The products appearing in the Annex to this Regulation shall be included as the case may be in the Annexes I or III to Regulation (EEC) No 765/68.

Article 3

1. This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.
2. Article 1 is to apply from 1 August 1974.

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

Done at Brussels,

For the Council

ANNEX

I. List of products included in Annex I to Regulation (EEC) No 765/68

CCT Heading No	Description of goods
ex 29.14 A XI	Sodium heptonate
ex 29.15 A V	Itaconic acid, its salts and esters
ex 38.12 A	Water soluble textile size

II. List of products included in Annex III to Regulation (EEC) No 765/68

CCT Heading No	Description of goods
ex 29.22 D I	Tetrathyl-para-aminotriphenylcarbinol
ex 29.38 B II	Vitamin B ₁₂
29.40	Enzymes
ex 29.14 C	Oxytetracycline-Cephalosporine-Griseofulvine
ex 38.06 B	Dextrans