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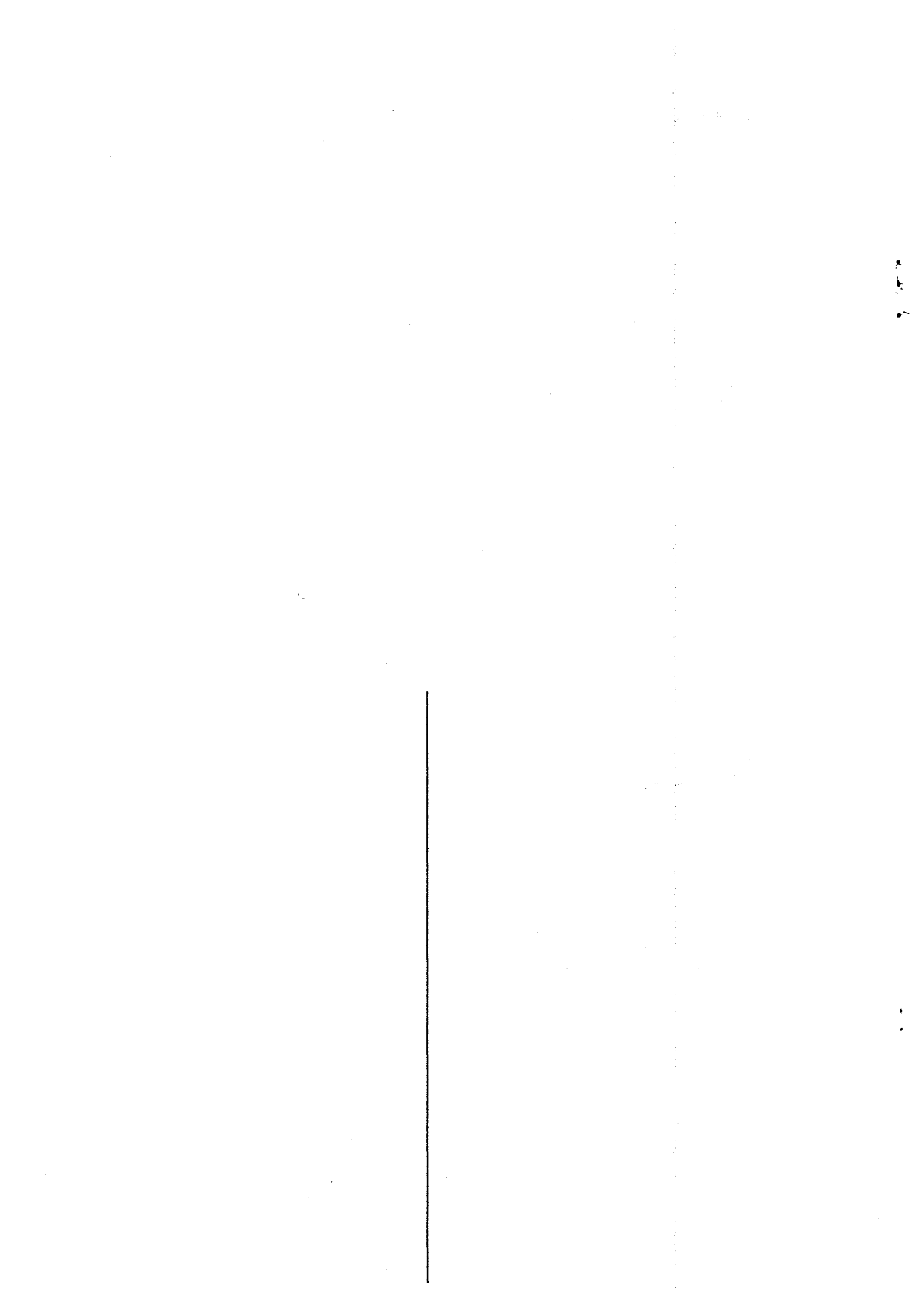
Brussels, 4 February 1983

Proposal for a
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

fixing the basic and buying-in prices for apples for June 1983

(submitted to the Council by the Commission)

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EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

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Subject: Draft Council Regulation fixing the basic and buying-in prices for apples for June 1983

The attached proposal fixes the buying-in price for apples for June 1983.

Basic and buying-in prices for apples other than cider apples have already been fixed for the marketing year from 1 August 1982 to 31 May 1983 under Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No 1035/72 on the common organisation of the market in fruit and vegetables, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1738/82⁽¹⁾.

Stocks of apples in the Community this year are noticeably higher than during the 1979/80 and 1980/81 marketing years, when basic and buying-in prices were fixed for June.

Thus, large quantities of apples are likely to be withdrawn from the market before the end of May 1983. To deal with this situation, basic and buying-in prices should be fixed for June 1983.

(1) OJ No L 190, 1.7.1982, p.7.

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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

PROPOSAL FOR
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

fixing the basic and buying-in prices for apples for June 1983

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No
1035/72 of 18 May 1972 on the common organization
of the market in fruit and vegetables⁽¹⁾, as last
amended by Council Regulation (EEC) No
1738/82⁽²⁾, and in particular Articles 16 and 35
thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, under Article 16 of Regulation (EEC) No
1035/72, basic and buying-in prices were fixed for
apples other than cider apples for the marketing year
1 August 1982 to 31 May 1983;

Whereas, at present, stocks of apples are considerably
larger than in the 1979/80 and 1980/81 marketing
years, when basic and buying-in prices were fixed
for June;
whereas, consequently, considerable quantities of
apples are likely to be withdrawn from the market
before the end of May 1983; whereas, in order to

remedy this situation, a basic price and a buying-in
price should similarly be fixed for June,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. For June 1983, the basic and buying-in prices
for apples other than cider apples, expressed in ECU
per 100 kilograms net, shall be as follows:

— basic price: 30,86
— buying-in price 15,68

2. The prices specified in paragraph 1 relate to
apples of the Golden Delicious variety, quality Class I,
size 70 mm or more, packaged.

Article 2

The prices quoted in Article 1 (1) shall not include
the cost of packaging.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 June 1983

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

Done at 4 June 1981.

For the Council
The President

(1) OJ No L 118, 20. 5. 1972, p. 1.

(2) OJ No L 190, 28. 7. 1982, p. 7.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Date : 17 January 1983

1. BUDGET HEADING : Item B 1501

APPROBIATIONS : 153 mill. ECU
1983

2. TITLE : Proposal for a Council Regulation fixing basic and buying-in prices for apples for June 1983

3. LEGAL BASIS : Articles 16 and 35 of Council Reg. 1035/72

4. AIMS OF PROJECT : Extends the price fixed for May into June to avoid massive withdrawals of apples at the end of May by enabling producers to market their production up to the end of June under normal conditions.

5. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS	PERIOD OF 12 MONTHS	CURRENT FINANCIAL YEAR (1983)	FOLLOWING FINANCIAL YEAR ()
5.0 EXPENDITURE			
- CHARGED TO THE EC BUDGET (REFUNDS/INTERVENTIONS)	-	(1)	-
- NATIONAL ADMINISTRATION			
- OTHER			
5.1 RECEIPTS			
- OWN RESOURCES OF THE EC (LEVIES/CUSTOMS DUTIES)			
- NATIONAL			
5.0.1 ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE			
5.1.1 ESTIMATED RECEIPTS			

5.2 METHOD OF CALCULATION

No figure can be put on the reduction of expenditure by preventing market withdrawals. However, it is worth noting that each tonne not withdrawn saves about 100 ECU.

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

YES/NO
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6.1 ~~CAN THE PROJECT BE FINANCED BY TRANSFER BETWEEN CHAPTERS OF THE CURRENT BUDGET?~~

YES/NO
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6.2 ~~IS A SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET BE NECESSARY?~~

YES/NO

6.3 ~~WILL FUTURE BUDGET APPROBIATIONS BE NECESSARY?~~

YES/NO

OBSERVATIONS : (1) Extending the intervention period is bound to help reduce withdrawals in May, saving expenditure by the EAGGF, since some of the stocks will be marketing normally instead of being withdrawn.

