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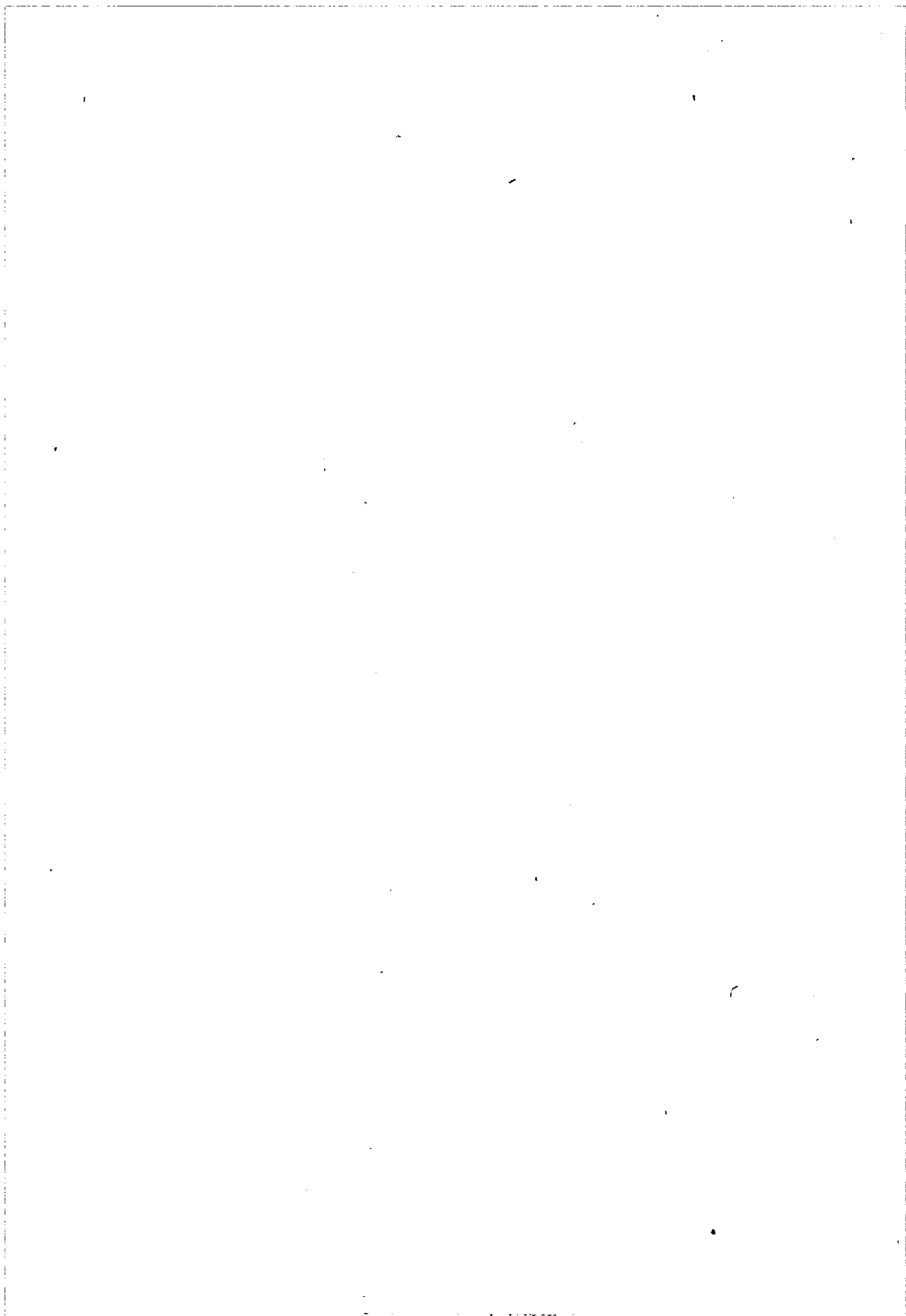
Proposal for a

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

amending Regulation (EEC) No 2452/76 on the transfer to the Italian intervention agency of butter held by the intervention agencies of other Member States

(submitted to the Council by the Commission)

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

1. In Council Regulation (EEC) No 2452/76 of 5 October 1976 on the transfer to the Italian intervention agency of butter held by the intervention agencies of the other Member States ⁽¹⁾, the Council set the quantity of butter at 10 000 metric tons. It must be placed on the Italian market before 1 July 1977.

2. As a result of certain technical, as well as other difficulties, the transfer was delayed and it will not therefore be possible for the Italian intervention agency to dispose of the butter within the time limit set.

For this reason it is proposed to extend the time limit to 1 December 1977.

(1) OJ No L 279, 9.10.1976, p. 1

COUNCIL REGULATION

amending Regulation (EEC) No 2452/76 on the transfer to the Italian intervention agency of butter held by the intervention agencies of other Member States

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,
Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 of 27 June 1968 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 559/76 (2), and in particular Article 6(6) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 2452/76 of 5 October 1976 on the transfer to the Italian intervention agency of butter held by the intervention agency of other Member States (3), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 539/77 (4), laid down that a quantity of 10 000 tonnes of butter was to be made available to the said intervention agency for placing on the Italian market before 1 July 1977;

Whereas the marketing of the butter requires a longer time than that laid down; and whereas it is therefore necessary to extend the date originally fixed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In Article 1(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2452/76 the date "1 July 1977" is hereby replaced by "1 December 1977".

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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 Brussels,

For the Council

(1) OJ No L 148, 28.6.1968, p. 13

(2) OJ No L 67, 15.3.1976, p. 9

(3) OJ No L 279, 9.10.1976, p. 1

(4) OJ No L 70, 14.3.1977, p. 1