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COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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Brussels, 17 December 1973

PROPOSAL FOR A

COUNCIL REGULATION

extending the period for transitional measures for
agricultural products in the new Member States

(submitted to the Council by the Commission)

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Article 63 (1) of the Act of Accession provides that the time limit for transitional measures to facilitate the passage from existing arrangements in the new Member States to those resulting from the application of the Common Organization of the Markets shall not extend beyond 31 January 1974. In general, the Member States were able to apply the common organization of the markets within the time limit. However, in some market sectors, difficulties have arisen in a few cases which may necessitate a transitional period expiring later than 31 January 1974.

These cases concern problems of technical adaptation, in the cereals sector as regards the manufacturing process from maize eligible for a production refund; in the milk sector as regards the dairy processing of skimmed milk fow which an aid is to be granted; in the hops sector the payment through producer groups of aids to be used for changing to different varieties of hops and for the re-organisation of hop gardens, and possibly in the sugar sector in connection with the manufacturing of products used in the chemical industry eligible for a production refund to be granted for white sugar.

In order to make it possible for extended time limits to be adopted in these cases, the Council is requested to extend the time limit for the operation of Article 63 (1) of the Act to 31 January 1975 in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 63 (2) of the Act.

No additional expenditures will arise in the E.A.G.G.F. from the extension of the time limit nor from the extension of the special measures foreseen in this note.

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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES:

Having regard to the Treaty⁽¹⁾ concerning the Accession of new Member States to the European Economic Community and to the European Atomic Energy Community, signed at Brussels on 22 January 1972, and in particular Article 63(2) of the Act⁽²⁾ annexed thereto, hereinafter called the "Act";

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission;

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament;

Whereas in Article 63(2) of the Act a transitional period up to 31 January 1974 is provided in order to take into account the difficulties which the new Member States may experience in applying the common organization of the markets;

Whereas it has been shown, that these difficulties can not be overcome in some market sectors within the given time limit; whereas it is therefore appropriate to take advantage of the possibility provided by the Act for the extension of this time limit for one year,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Sole Article

The time limit for transitional measures provided in Article 63(1) of the Act is hereby extended up to 31 January 1975.

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

Done at Brussels,

For the Commission
The President

(1) OJ No L 73, 27.3.1972, p.5

(2) OJ No L 73, 27.3.1972, p.14