

SUMMARY
OF THE 165th MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE for the COMMON ORGANISATION of
the AGRICULTURAL MARKETS - Sector Animal Products

on Thursday 18 February 2010

President: Herman Versteijlen, Director C for all the agenda points except for the Market Measures points and *Jean-Jacques Jaffrelot for the Market measures points.*

All delegations were present, except Malta, absent and represented by the UK

0. Presentation of points under AOB (all sector requests)

1. MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS

1.1. Market situation Milk and Milk Products

1.2. proposed measures on which an opinion may be requested

- 1.2.1. draft Regulation fixing the maximum export refund for skimmed milk powder for the 30th individual invitation to tender provided for in the framework of the standing invitation to tender provided for in Regulation (EC) No 619/2008;*

The Commission proposed to reject the offers.

Type of product	Refunds asked (€/100kg)		Total Offered Quantity (tonnes)	Accepted	
	min.	max.		Refund (€/100kg)	Quantity (t)
Skimmed Milk Powder	10.00	20.00	5 100	rejected	rejected

Vote : Absence of opinion (in favour: 191 (16 MS), against: 51 (3 MS), abstention: 103 (8 MS:), absent and not represented: 0 (0 MS)

- 1.2.2. draft Regulation fixing the maximum export refund for butter to certain third countries for the 30th individual invitation to tender provided for in the framework of the standing invitation to tender provided for in Regulation (EC) No 619/2008;*

The Commission proposed to reject the offers.

Type of product	Refunds asked (€/100kg)		Total Offered Quantity (tonnes)	Accepted	
	min.	max.		Refund (€/100kg)	Quantity (t)
Butter 82%	20.00	30.00	800	rejected	rejected

Vote : Absence of opinion (in favour: 191 (16 MS), against: 80 (4 MS), abstention: 74 (7 MS:), absent and not represented: 0 (0 MS)

- 1.2.3. draft Regulation fixing the export refunds on milk and milk products;*

The Commission proposed to fix the standing refunds at unchanged levels.

Vote : Absence of opinion (in favour: 175 (14 MS), against: 91 (6 MS), abstention: 79 (7 MS:), absent and not represented: 0 (0 MS)

1.2.4. *draft Regulation fixing the rates of refunds applicable to certain milk products exported in the form of goods not covered by Annex I to the Treaty ;*

The Commission proposed to fix the standing refunds at unchanged levels.

Vote : Absence of opinion (in favour: 187 (15 MS), against: 91 (6 MS), abstention: 67 (6 MS:), absent and not represented: 0 (0 MS)

1.2.5. **draft Commission Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1484/1995 laying down detailed rules for implementing the system of additional import duties and fixing representative prices in the poultry meat and egg sectors for egg albumin, and Regulation (EC) No 504/2007 for additional import duties in the milk and milk products sector**

The Commission wants to harmonise the calculation method of the security on the additional duties for all sectors. It is proposed to align the calculation method applicable for dairy (Regulation 504/2007) and for eggs and poultry (Regulation 1484/95) to the calculation method applied for sugar (Regulation 951/2006), i.e.

the importer has to lodge the security equal to the difference between the amount of additional import duty calculated on the basis of the representative price applicable to the product in question and the amount of additional import duty calculated on the basis of the cif import price of the consignment in question.

Vote : Favourable opinion (in favour: 258 (24 MS), against: 29 (1 MS), abstention: 58 (2 MS:), absent and not represented: 0 (0 MS)

1.2.6. **Exchange of views on a draft Commission Regulation on the implementation of Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 in particular with regard to price communication between the Member States and the Commission in the milk and milk products sector;**

A revision of Regulation (EC) n° 562/2005 is necessary, as a result of the regulations (CE) n° 1301/2006 (horizontal provisions on the import quotas), (CE) n° 826/2008 (horizontal provisions private storage) and (CE) n° 72/2009 (Health Check measures), which took over or suppressed a number of the communications of the sector Regulation. In addition, the communications of the prices are revised with a view to obtaining more rapid and reliable information. Finally it is proposed, in the hope of simplification, to suppress certain communications which are no longer essential for the management of the market.

1.3. Any Other Business Milk and Milk products

2. BEEF AND VEAL

2.1. Market situation Beef and Veal

Evolution of the market prices, slaughters, consumption and trade between Member States and third countries (Communication and interpretation of national and community market indicators).

2.2. proposed measures on which an opinion may be requested

2.2.1. *draft Commission Regulation fixing the refunds in the beef sector;*

The Commission made no proposal.

2.3. Any Other Business Beef and Veal

3. POULTRY MEAT AND EGGS

3.1. Market situation Poultry meat and Eggs

Evolution of the market prices, slaughters, consumption and trade between Member States and third countries (Communication and interpretation of national and community market indicators).

3.2. Proposed measures on which an opinion may be requested

3.2.1. *draft Commission Regulation fixing the export refunds for the poultry meat sector.*

The Commission made no proposal.

3.2.2. *draft Commission Regulation fixing the export refunds for the egg sector.*

The Commission made no proposal.

3.2.3. *draft Commission Regulation fixing the rates for refunds applicable to eggs and eggs yolks exported as goods not listed in Annex I of the Treaty.*

The Commission made no proposal.

3.2.4. *draft Commission Regulation fixing the representative prices in the egg, albumins and poultry meat sector.*

Vote : Unanimously favourable opinion (in favour: 345 (27 MS), against: 0 (0 MS), abstention: 0 (0 MS:), absent and not represented: 0 (0 MS).

3.3. Any Other Business Poultry meat and Eggs.

4. PIG MEAT

4.1. Market situation Pig meat

Evolution of the market prices, slaughters, consumption and trade between Member States and third countries (Communication and interpretation of national and community market indicators).

4.2. Proposed measures on which an opinion may be requested)

4.2.1. *draft Commission Regulation fixing the export refunds in the pig meat sector.*

The Commission made no proposal.

4.3. Any Other Business Pig meat

(signed)

Mr. Jean-Jaques Jaffrelot
Director D

(signed)

Mr Herman Versteijlen
Director C

N.B. The measures on which the Committee expressed an opinion are the subject of a suitable procedure for the formal adoption by the Commission

The attendance list to be attached to the summary

Management Committee for the Common Organisation of the Agricultural Markets n° 165

Date: 18/2/2010

Member state	Ministry or Agency	Number of people
BE	Ministerie v d Vlaamse Gemeenschap-dep. Landbouw	1
	Ministère de la Région wallonne	2
BG	Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry	2
CZ	Ministry of Agriculture of the Czech Republic	1
	State agricultural and intervention fund	2
DK	Danish Food Industry Agency	1
DE	Ministère de l'Agriculture(BMVEL)	1
	BLE	1
EE	Ministry of Agriculture of Estonia	2
IE	Dept Agriculture and Food	2
EL	Permanent Representation	1
ES	Ministerio de Agricultura Pesca y Alimentacion	2
	Generalitat de Catalunya	1
FR	Permanent Representation	2
IT	Ministero delle Politiche Agricole e Forestali	3
CY	Ministry of Agriculture	1
LV	Ministry of Agriculture of Latvia	
	Permanent Representation	1
LT	Ministry of Agriculture of Lithuania	1
	Permanent Representation	1
LU	Ministère de l'Agriculture	1
HU	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	2
MT	Ministry of Rural Development and Environment	Repres.by UK
NL	Ministerie van Landbouw	2
	Productschap Zuivel	1
	Productschap Vlees en Eieren	1
AT	Ministère de l'Agriculture (BMLFUW)	2
	Agrarmarkt Austria	1
PL	Ministry of Agriculture	2
	Agriculture Market Agency of Poland	
PT	Ministère de l'Agriculture – GPPAA	2
RO	Ministry of Agriculture	
	Permanent Representation	1
SI	Ministry of Agriculture of Slovenia	1
SK	Ministry of Agriculture of Slovakia	2
FI	Ministry of Agriculture	2
SV	Jordbruksdepartementet	
	Statens Jordbruksverket	1
UK	DEFRA	1