



COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 of 22 October 2007 establishing a common organisation of agricultural markets and on specific provisions for certain agricultural products¹ (Single CMO Regulation), and in particular Article 103h(f) in conjunction with Article 4 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Article 16(2) of Commission Regulation (EC) No 288/2009 of 7 April 2009 laying down detailed rules for applying Council Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 as regards Community aid for supplying fruit and vegetables, processed fruit and vegetables and banana products to children in educational establishments, in the framework of a School Fruit Scheme², provides that for the period from 1 August 2009 to 31 July 2010 the Member States wishing to participate in the School Fruit Scheme must notify their strategy by 31 May 2009 at the latest.
- (2) In order to maximise the full potential of available funds, the Community aid earmarked for Member States that did not notify the Commission of their intention to participate in this Community School Fruit Scheme or that requested only part of their initial allocation should be reallocated between those Member States that notified the Commission of their intention to use more than their initial allocation of Community aid.
- (3) Bulgaria, Denmark, Germany, Italy, Malta, Portugal and Slovenia notified the Commission of their intention to participate in the Community School Fruit Scheme and also notified their intention to use more than their initial allocation of Community aid. Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Estonia, France, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Lithuania, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Spain and the United Kingdom also notified the Commission of their intention to participate in this scheme but did not request a higher amount than their initial allocation.
- (4) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for the Common Organisation of Agricultural Markets,

¹ OJ L 299, 16.11.2007, p. 1.

² OJ L 94, 8.4.2009, p. 38.

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

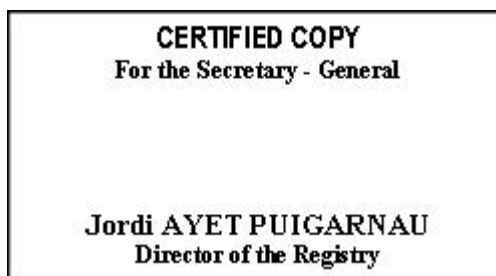
The definitive allocation of Community aid per Member State participating in the School Fruit Scheme is established for the period from 1 August 2009 to 31 July 2010 in the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 22.7.2009.

For the Commission
Mariann FISCHER BOEL
Member of the Commission



ANNEX

Definitive allocation of Community aid per Member State

Member State	Co-financing rate (%)	EUR
Belgium	50	1 782 500
Bulgaria	75	2 118 620
Czech Republic	73	1 988 100
Denmark	50	1 755 124
Germany	52	20 820 441
Estonia	75	282 400
Greece	59	1 861 300
Spain	59	5 915 837
France	51	11 778 700
Ireland	50	500 000
Italy	58	15 206 370
Cyprus	50	175 000
Latvia	75	-
Lithuania	75	304 100
Luxembourg	50	175 000
Hungary	69	2 077 900
Malta	75	226 084
Netherlands	50	1 250 000
Austria	50	1 000 000
Poland	75	9 222 800
Portugal	68	3 331 572
Romania	75	4 994 100
Slovenia	75	614 353
Slovakia	73	1 276 500
Finland	50	-
Sweden	50	-

United Kingdom	51	1 343 200
EU 27	58	90 000 000