

*Article 5*

1. Member States shall, not later than 1 October 1984, return to the reserve the unused portion of their initial share which, on 15 September 1984, is in excess of 20 % of the initial volume. They may return a greater portion if there are grounds for believing that it may not be used in full.

Member States shall, not later than 1 October 1984, notify the Commission of the total quantities of the product in question imported up to and including 15 September 1984 and charged against the Community tariff quotas and of any portion of their initial shares returned to the reserve.

2. However, with regard to the quotas referred to in Article 1 (1) and (2), any return to the reserve by the United Kingdom may be effected only up to the limit of the quantities necessary to satisfy the real needs of other Member States that cannot be met either by their initial shares or by the corresponding reserve that might be replenished pursuant to paragraph 1.

*Article 6*

The Commission shall keep an account of the volume of the shares opened by the Member States pursuant to Articles 2 and 3 and shall, as soon as the information reaches it, inform each State of the extent to which the reserve has been used up.

It shall, not later than 5 October 1984, inform the Member States of the amount still in reserve, following any return of shares pursuant to Article 5.

It shall ensure that the drawing which exhausts one of the reserves does not exceed the balance available, and to this end shall notify the amount of that balance to the Member State making the last drawing.

*Article 7*

1. The Member States shall take all appropriate measures to ensure that additional shares drawn pursuant to Article 3 are opened in such a way that importations may be charged without interruption against their accumulated shares of the Community quota.

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

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2. The Member States shall take all appropriate measures to ensure that the products referred to in Article 1 (1) and (2) fulfil the conditions mentioned in the aforesaid Article for admission to benefit from the tariff quotas. In such case use of the product for the particular end-use specified shall be verified in accordance with the relevant Community provisions.

3. The Member States shall ensure that importers of the products in question have free access to the shares allocated to them.

4. The Member States shall charge imports of the products in question against their shares as and when the product is entered with the customs authorities for free circulation.

5. The extent to which a Member State has used up its share shall be determined on the basis of the imports charged in accordance with paragraph 4.

*Article 8*

Admission to benefit from the tariff quotas may not be subjected by a Member State to a customs security, intended solely to ensure that the shares laid down in this Regulation are not exceeded, unless the effective use of the shares that have been attributed to it has exceeded 90 % of such shares.

*Article 9*

The Member States shall, not later than the 15th day of the months of April and July, communicate to the Commission statement of charges effected on their shares during the first and second quarters, respectively.

At the request of the Commission, they shall communicate statement of charges for shorter periods and these statements must be forwarded within 10 days from the end of each period.

*Article 10*

The Member States and the Commission shall cooperate closely to ensure that this Regulation is complied with.

*Article 11*

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1984.

*For the Council*

*The President*

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