

Conversion rates to be used for calculating monetary compensatory amounts for sales of alcohol by invitation to tender and for complying with the minimum import price for certain processed cherries and dried grapes

(Applying from 17 July 1989)

(89/C 177/03)

(Application of Regulations (EEC) Nos 2089/85, 3225/88 and 3877/88)

Currency	= ECU ...	ECU 1 = ... national currency
1 Bfr	0,0207096	48,2869
1 Dkr	0,111981	8,93007
1 DM	0,427144	2,34113
1 FF	0,127359	7,85183
1 £ Irl	1,14430	0,873900
1 Fl	0,379097	2,63785
1 £	1,31222	0,762070
100 Lit	0,0595699	16,7870 ⁽¹⁾
100 Dr	0,498350	2,00662 ⁽¹⁾
100 Pta	0,684369	1,46120 ⁽¹⁾
100 Esc	0,515504	1,93985 ⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ ECU 1 = 100 × ... national currency.

'Scientific apparatus' Decision — Authorization of relief from import duties

(89/C 177/04)

(Legal basis: Regulations (EEC) No 918/83 ⁽¹⁾ and (EEC) No 2290/83 ⁽²⁾)

File: XXI/B/3 — 003/89

On 28 December 1988 the Federal Republic of Germany sent the Commission a request for the admission free of import duties of an apparatus known as 'Spectra Physics — Argon Ion Laser, Model 2016-04'.

This apparatus, which was ordered on 28 June 1988, is intended for measuring the luminescence quantum efficiency of transition metal complexes via the thermo optical effect.

By virtue of its Decision of 6 July 1989, the Commission has decided that this apparatus may be imported free of import duties.

Reasoning:

- scientific apparatus,
- absence of apparatus of equivalent scientific value in the Community at date of order.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 105, 23. 4. 1983, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 220, 11. 8. 1983, p. 20.

Commission communication pursuant to Article 115 of the EEC Treaty

(89/C 177/05)

The Commission, by Decision C(89) 1286 of 10 July 1989 pursuant to Article 115 of the EEC Treaty, has rejected an application by the French Republic for authorization not to apply Community treatment to imports of bed linen, other than knitted or crocheted, of category 20, originating in Pakistan and in free circulation in the other Member States.