Agricultural products: measures for the benefit of French overseas departments (amend. Regul. 3763/91/EEC)

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Following the political agreement reached on 2 October 1995, the Council unanimously adopted (the German delegation abstaining) the Regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 3763/91 introducing specific measures in respect of certain agricultural products for the benefit of the French Overseas Departments (FOD). The aim of the programme is to adapt certain Poseidom measures (programme of options specific to the remote and insular nature of the French Overseas Departments introduced in 1989), which was made necessary by the outcome of the Commission progress report for 1992-1993 on the measures undertaken to implement the POSEIDOM programme and Regulation (EEC) No 3763/91. The amendments involve extending the period of applicability of the measures for meeting the needs of the department of French Guiana as regards compound feedingstuffs, increasing the volume of rice production in French Guiana, extending the period in which the specific supply arrangements relating to bovine animals for fattening and consumption in the FOD apply, improving the conditions under which the local FOD market is supplied with fresh milk products and aid for marketing fruit and vegetables for the exclusive supply of the FOD market.