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The following information concerning new guidelines for Swedish agricultural policy introduced with effect from 1 September 1967 modify the latest Swedish basic notification on subsidies contained in L/2601/Add.4 and replaces the section on Production subsidies.

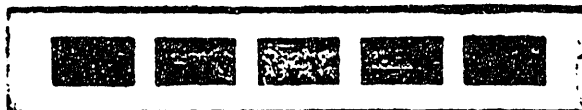
Production subsidies. According to the agricultural policy introduced in 1967 the special support to small farms and to the dairy field will be gradually abolished.

The acreage subsidy, which was available to farms in the size group between 2 and 10 hectares, and the delivery supplement for milk, which was paid to all producers for quantities up to 30,000 kgs. delivered per farm and year, have been abolished as from 1 September 1967. During a transitional period certain other measures are applied.

The general milk price subsidy, which previously amounted to SKr 0.03 per kg., was decreased by one third on 1 September 1967 and by another one third on 1 July 1968. Total State expenditure for this subsidy amounted to SKr 55 million for the fiscal year 1967-68.

Certain budgetary means have been granted to facilitate the policy change within the dairy sector. For the fiscal year 1967-68 these means amounted to SKr 64.5 million.

An extra price supplement for milk delivered in the northern regions remains unchanged.



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