

(y) "Prices Review Committee" means the Committee established under Article 31;

(z) (i) "Purchase" means a purchase for import of wheat exported or to be exported from an exporting country or from other than an exporting country, as the case may be, or the quantity of such wheat so purchased, as the context requires;

(ii) "Sale" means a sale for export of wheat imported or to be imported by an importing country or by other than an importing country, as the case may be, or the quantity of such wheat so sold, as the context requires;

(iii) Where reference is made in this Convention to a purchase or sale, it shall be understood to refer not only to purchases or sales concluded between the Governments concerned but also to purchases or sales concluded between private traders and to purchases or sales concluded between a private trader and the Government concerned. In this definition "Government" shall be deemed to include the Government of any territory in respect of which the rights and obligations of any Government ratifying, accepting, approving or acceding to this Convention apply under Article 42;

(aa) "Sub-Committee on Prices" means the Sub-Committee established under Article 31;

(bb) "Territory" in relation to an exporting or importing country includes any territory in respect of which the rights and obligations under this Convention of the Government of that country apply under Article 42;

(cc) "Wheat" includes wheat grain of any description, class, type, grade or quality and, except in Article 6 or where the context otherwise requires, wheat flour.

(2) All calculations of the wheat equivalent of purchases of wheat flour shall be made on the basis of the rate of extraction indicated by the contract between the buyer and the seller. If no such rate is indicated, seventy-two units by weight of wheat flour shall, for the purpose of such calculations, be deemed to be equivalent to one hundred units by weight of wheat grain unless the Council decides otherwise.

ARTICLE 3

Commercial purchases and special transactions

(1) A commercial purchase for the purposes of this Convention is a purchase as defined in Article 2 which conforms to the usual commercial practices in international trade and which does not include those transactions referred to in paragraph (2) of this Article.

(2) A special transaction for the purposes of this Convention is one which, whether or not within the price range, includes features introduced by the Government of a country concerned which do not conform with usual commercial practices. Special transactions include the following:

(a) Sales on credit in which, as a result of government intervention, the interest rate, period of payment, or other related terms do not conform with the commercial rates, periods or terms prevailing in the world market;