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INTRODUCTION

1. This report is submitted to the European Parliament following its Resolution of 16 December on the Community's anti-dumping activities¹. Although the report concentrates mainly on the Community's anti-dumping and anti-subsidy activities during 1983, for the purposes of comparison, details are also included of the number of investigations and reviews initiated and concluded in 1981 and 1982. During this period the Community's basic legislation on anti-dumping and anti-subsidization was Council Regulation (EEC) No 3017/79², for EEC products, and Commission Recommendation No 3018/79/ECSC³ for ECSC products. These instruments have since been amended and consolidated in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2176/84⁴ and Commission Decision No 2177/84/ECSC⁵. The legislation is in accord with the GATT codes on Anti-Dumping and Subsidies and Countervailing Duties to which the Community is a Party⁶.

¹OJ No C 11, 18.01.1982, p. 37.
²OJ No L 399, 31.12.1979, p. 1.
³OJ No L 399, 31.12.1979, p. 15.
⁴OJ No L 201, 30.07.1984, p. 1.
⁵OJ No L 201, 30.07.1984, p. 17.
⁶OJ No L 71, 17.03.1980, pp. 72 and 90.

T A B L E 1

Anti-dumping and anti-subsidy investigations in the
period 1 January 1981 to 31 December 1983

	1981	1982	1983
Investigations in progress at the beginning of the period	29	46	53
Investigations initiated during the period	48	58	38
Investigations in progress during the period	77	104	91
Investigations concluded by:			
- imposition of definitive duty	10	7	20
- acceptance of price undertaking	7	35	27
- determination of no dumping	7	3	-
- determination of no subsidization	-	-	-
- determination of no injury	6	6	8
- other reasons	1	-	3
Total investigations concluded during the period	31	51	58
Investigations in progress at the end of the period	46	53	33
Provisional duties imposed during the period	10	18	22

ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY INVESTIGATIONS

2. A summary of the Community's anti-dumping and anti-subsidy investigations initiated and concluded in the years 1981 to 1983 is given in Table 1 above. Details of the individual actions taken in 1983 are provided in the annexes to this report. As mentioned in its first annual report to the Parliament on the Community's anti-dumping and anti-subsidy activities¹, the Commission aims to achieve as great a degree of transparency as possible in its procedures. It is the practice, therefore, to publish full details of the dumping, or subsidization and injury alleged in the complaint leading to the investigations. These are given in the notices of initiation which are published in the Official Journal. In addition, the Decisions, Regulations and Recommendations which conclude the investigations and apply anti-dumping or countervailing measures, where appropriate, set out the issues of fact and law which were considered to be material in the investigation and give reasons for the action taken. These instruments are also published in the Official Journal.

3. Table 1 shows that 38 investigations were initiated in 1983. Although this represents a decrease compared with the number of investigations initiated in 1981 and 1982, the Community's activity in this area remained relatively high, the number initiated in 1983 being more than 50 percent higher than in 1980. Details of the investigations initiated in 1983 are given in Annex A.

4. Table 1 also shows that 58 investigations were concluded in 1983. This represents a marked increase compared with the number of investigations concluded in 1981 and 1982 and was the highest rate achieved in any normal year, the number of investigations concluded in 1980 being due to exceptional factors which were outlined in the Commission's first annual report to the Parliament.

¹COM(83)519 final/2.

IMPOSITION OF PROVISIONAL DUTIES

5. Once a preliminary determination has been made that dumping or subsidization has caused injury to a Community industry it is the Commission's practice to impose provisional duties unless the exporter offers a satisfactory price undertaking. This approach is in line with the terms of the Parliament's Resolution on the Community's anti-dumping activities and has led over the years to a steady increase in the number of provisional duties imposed. Thus, 22 provisional duties were imposed in 1983 compared with 18 in 1982, 10 in 1981 and only 7 in 1980. Details of the provisional duties imposed in 1983 are given in Annex B.

IMPOSITION OF DEFINITIVE DUTIES

6. In contrast to the trend between 1980 and 1982, when there was little variation in the number of definitive duties imposed, there was a marked increase in the number of investigations terminated by the imposition of definitive duties in 1983, the number of duties being imposed in the year being 20 compared with 7 in 1982 and 10 in 1981. The Commission, however, has not changed its attitude towards the acceptance of price undertakings as a possible alternative to the imposition of definitive duties, and the increase in the number of duties imposed in 1983 was due more to extraneous factors, such as the administrative inconvenience and impracticability of monitoring undertakings, than to a change in the Community's policy on the application of anti-dumping and countervailing measures. Details of the investigations concluded by the imposition of definitive duties in 1983 are given in Annex C.

ACCEPTANCE OF PRICE UNDERTAKINGS

7. Table 1 shows that 27 investigations were concluded by the acceptance of price undertakings in 1983. Although this represents a marked decrease in the number of price undertakings accepted, compared with the previous year, they still accounted for 57 percent of the measures applied in 1983. It remains the Commission's practice, however, to accept them only after making a formal determination that dumping or subsidization has caused injury to a Community industry. Details of the investigations terminated by the acceptance of price undertakings in 1983 are given in Annex D.

INVESTIGATIONS CONCLUDED WITHOUT THE APPLICATION OF PROTECTIVE MEASURES

8. Table 1 also gives the number of investigations which were concluded without the application of anti-dumping or countervailing measures. Under the Community's earlier legislation investigations were sometimes concluded because of changes in the market situation when the exporter raised his prices over a considerable period of time to levels which eliminated the margins of dumping without giving a formal price undertaking. It is no longer the Commission's practice to conclude an investigation on these grounds and now they are only concluded without protective measures being applied when it has been established that the imports were not dumped or subsidized during the period under investigation, or that they had not caused or threatened to cause material injury to a Community industry, or for other reasons when it is not in the Community's interest to continue the investigation or to apply protective measures.

9. 11 investigations were terminated without the application of anti-dumping or countervailing measures in 1983, compared with 9 in 1982 and 14 in 1981. Of these, 8 were terminated following a determination of no injury and 3 were terminated for other reasons. Details of the investigations terminated following a determination of no injury in 1983 are given in Annex E and details of the investigations terminated during the year for other reasons are given in Annex F. The latter concerned video tape recorders from Japan, which was terminated by the withdrawal of the complaint by the Community industry, and iron and steel products from Spain and South Africa which were terminated in view of the steel arrangements concluded with these countries which involve quantitative limitations on their exports to the Community.

BREAKDOWN OF INVESTIGATIONS BY COUNTRY OF EXPORT AND BY PRODUCT

10. A breakdown by country of export of the number of investigations initiated in the years 1981 to 1983 is given in Annex G. The 38 investigations initiated in 1983 concerned exports from 21 countries, though for 13 countries only one investigation was initiated during the period. The highest number of investigations initiated in respect of exports from individual countries in the year concerned Spain (5 investigations) and Japan (4). On the other hand, only one investigation concerned imports from the USA, compared with 7 in 1982, and there was also a decline in the number of investigations concerning imports from the GDR (2) and Czechoslovakia (3).

11. The investigations initiated in 1981 to 1983 are also broken down in Annex H by product sector. There was a marked decline in the number of investigations initiated in 1983 concerning exports of chemical and allied products compared with previous years, the number being less than half of those initiated in 1982. There was also a substantial fall in investigations concerning iron and steel products (4 in 1983 compared with 15 in 1982). There were increases, however, in the number of investigations concerning imports from the mechanical engineering sector, as well as in the number concerning other products including horticultural glass, ceramic tiles, sanitary fittings, soya bean oil cake and shovels.

LENGTH OF INVESTIGATIONS

12. Although the Commission is constantly aware of the need to respond quickly to complaints of dumping or subsidization, it has been found that there are factors which still continue to reduce the scope for making substantial reductions in the time required to complete the investigations. Some of these factors were referred to in the Commission's first annual report to the Parliament when it was pointed out that extra time is required to complete investigations in the Community because of the particular features of the Community's decision-making process in the anti-dumping and anti-subsidy field and the need to produce regulations and decisions in all Community languages before they enter into effect. These factors arise in addition to the pressures which are also experienced by the investigating authorities of other importing countries when attempting to obtain and verify data from all the interested parties within a reasonable time period in addition to investigating and deciding upon matters raised by the parties when making representations.
13. In 1983 the average length of investigations within the Community was also influenced by the number of exceptionally complicated cases for which Community legislation, in conformity with the GATT Codes, recognizes the need to extend the duration of the investigation for more than the maximum period of one year provided for in normal cases. During 1983 the number of investigations brought to a final conclusion after more than a year, because of special circumstances,

was higher than usual. The average time taken to complete the normal investigations in 1983 was only 7.8 months, however, and this average is well within the average times taken to conclude normal investigations by the Community's major trading partners. Furthermore, protective measures were applied more quickly, where necessary, and the average time taken to impose provisional duties in the investigations concluded in 1983 was 5.7 months compared with 6.5 months in 1982. Given the procedures prescribed by the GATT Codes for the conduct of anti-dumping and anti-subsidy investigations and the imposition of provisional duties, it is difficult to envisage the possibility of making further reductions in these time periods.

REVIEWS

14. Community legislation provides for the review, where warranted, of the Regulations and Decisions imposing anti-dumping or countervailing duties and the Decisions to accept price undertakings. The reviews are generally held at the request of an interested party, though they may also be held on the Commission's own initiative or at the request of a Member State. The number of reviews opened, in progress and terminated in the years 1981 to 1983 is given in Table 2 below, together with the number of provisional duties imposed where price undertakings had been violated or had proved to be unacceptable.

15. It will be seen from Table 2 that there was a marked reduction in the number of reviews opened in 1983, only 10 reviews being opened in the year compared with 24 in 1982 and 17 in 1981. The reduction in 1983 was contrary to expectations in view of the increase in the number of anti-dumping and countervailing measures in force in recent years and it remains to be seen whether or not this only reflects a temporary fall in the number of reviews requested by interested parties. Details of the reviews opened in 1983 are given in Annex I.

T A B L E 2

Reviews of anti-dumping and anti-subsidy measures in
the period 1 January 1981 to 31 December 1983

	1981	1982	1983
Reviews in progress at the beginning of the period	1	16	24
Reviews opened during the period	17	24	10
Reviews in progress during the period	18	40	34
Reviews terminated by:			
- imposition of definitive duty in lieu of price undertaking	-	1	8
- amendment of definitive duty	-	-	11
- acceptance of price undertaking in lieu of definitive duty	-	-	2
- amendment of price undertaking	-	13	8
- repeal of price undertaking	-	-	3
- repeal of national anti-dumping duty	1	-	-
- no change of the measures in force	1	2	-
Total reviews terminated during the period	2	16	32
Reviews in progress at the end of the period	16	24	2
Provisional duties imposed during the reviews	1	13	3

16. Table 2 also shows the number of reviews terminated in the years 1981 to 1983 and gives a breakdown according to the outcome as well as giving the number of provisional duties imposed during the reviews. 32 reviews were completed in 1983, the highest number in any year and consequently, only 2 reviews were still in progress at the end of the period. As a result of the reviews carried out in the year 8 price undertakings were replaced by definitive duties and 11 definitive duties were amended. In addition, 2 definitive duties were replaced by price undertakings, 8 price undertakings were amended and 3 price undertakings were repealed. 3 provisional duties were imposed during reviews carried out in 1983 and details of these are given in Annex J, while details of the reviews terminated during the year according to outcome are given in Annexes K to O.

CASES BEFORE THE COURT OF JUSTICE

17. A list of the anti-dumping and countervailing cases before the Court of Justice in 1983 is given in Annex P. No judgements were made by the Court during the year and three new cases were brought before it. In the cases brought in 1981 and 1982 the Court had been asked to decide on the admissibility of two appeals by complainants. These concerned the right to the opening of a countervailing proceeding (Fediol) and the right to challenge a regulation imposing an anti-dumping duty which the complainant considered to be too low (Timex). In addition, the Court had been asked to decide on the admissibility of an appeal regarding the imposition of provisional duty and the admissibility of an action by exporters on whose products anti-dumping duties had been imposed (joint case Allied and Kaiser). In the Fediol case the Court ruled that a Federation of the Community industry concerned could challenge before the Court a Commission decision to reject a complaint¹.

¹Case 191/82. Judgement dated 4.10.83.

18. The first case brought before the Court in 1983 concerned the Community's use of the evidence available when the exporters do not co-operate in the investigation (Allied and Kaiser) and the second concerned the meaning of a major proportion when defining the Community industry (Zorka; later withdrawn). The third case was brought by a Russian trading organisation (Raznoimport) to suspend the operation of a regulation imposing a provisional duty on imports of unwrought nickel. The President of the Court made an interim decision in the case in July 1983¹ but the case was later withdrawn.

¹1983 ECR p. 2573.

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ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY INVESTIGATIONS INITIATED DURING
THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Date of opening</u>
Unwrought nickel	USSR	OJ C 31, 05.02.83, p. 3
Unwrought aluminium	Egypt	OJ C 31, 05.02.83, p. 4
Unwrought aluminium	USSR	OJ C 31, 05.02.83, p. 4
Unwrought aluminium	Yugoslavia	OJ C 31, 05.02.83, p. 4
Iron or steel U or I sections	South Africa	OJ C 37, 10.02.83, p. 5
Dicumyl peroxide	Japan	OJ C 46, 17.02.83, p. 21
Sanitary fixtures	CSSR	OJ C 87, 29.03.83, p. 4
Sanitary fixtures	Hungary	OJ C 87, 29.03.83, p. 4
Caravans for camping	Yugoslavia	OJ C 89, 31.03.83, p. 3
Lithium hydroxide	China	OJ C 98, 12.04.83, p. 2
Synthetic fibre hand knitting yarn	Turkey	OJ C 102, 15.04.83, p. 2
Iron or steel angles, shapes and sections	Romania	OJ C 109, 23.04.83, p. 2
Choline chloride	GDR	OJ C 109, 23.04.83, p. 3
Choline chloride	Romania	OJ C 109, 23.04.83, p. 3
Tube and pipe fittings, of malleable cast iron*	Spain	OJ C 142, 31.05.83, p. 3
Exterior panel doors	Taiwan	OJ C 152, 10.06.83, p. 7
Vinyl acetate monomer	Canada	OJ C 180, 07.07.83, p. 3
Ball bearings	Japan	OJ C 188, 14.07.83, p. 8
Ball bearings	Singapore	OJ C 188, 14.07.83, p. 8
Horticultural glass	CSSR	OJ C 194, 21.07.83, p. 4
Horticultural glass	GDR	OJ C 194, 21.07.83, p. 4
Horticultural glass	Poland	OJ C 194, 21.07.83, p. 4
Horticultural glass	Romania	OJ C 194, 21.07.83, p. 4
Horticultural glass	USSR	OJ C 194, 21.07.83, p. 4
Unwrought aluminium	Norway	OJ C 206, 02.08.83, p. 2
Unwrought aluminium	Suriname	OJ C 206, 02.08.83, p. 2
Electronic scales	Japan	OJ C 236, 03.09.83, p. 5
Pentaerythritol	Spain	OJ C 244, 13.09.83, p. 2

* anti-subsidy investigation

ANNEX A

ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY INVESTIGATIONS INITIATED DURING
THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Date of opening</u>
Artificial corundum	China	OJ C 261, 30.09.83, p. 2
Artificial corundum	CSSR	OJ C 261, 30.09.83, p. 2
Artificial corundum	Spain	OJ C 261, 30.09.83, p. 2
Artificial corundum	Yugoslavia	OJ C 261, 30.09.83, p. 2
Propan-1-ol (N-propyl alcohol)	USA	OJ C 275, 14.10.83, p. 3
Ceramic tiles	Spain	OJ C 282, 19.10.83, p. 4
Soya bean oil cake*	Argentina	OJ C 283, 20.10.83, p. 5
Sensitized paper for colour photographs	Japan	OJ C 292, 28.10.83, p. 2
Concrete reinforcing bars	Spain	OJ C 299, 05.11.83, p. 4
Shovels	Brazil	OJ C 348, 23.12.83, p. 5

* anti-subsidy investigation

PROVISIONAL DUTIES IMPOSED DURING ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY
INVESTIGATIONS IN THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Regulation number</u>	<u>Date of publication</u>
4,4' isopropylidene-diphenol (bisphenol)	USA	Reg (EEC) No 163/83	OJ L 23, 26.01.83, p. 9
Hexamethylene-tetramine	GDR	Reg (EEC) No 348/83	OJ L 40, 12.03.83, p. 24
Hexamethylene-tetramine	USSR	Reg (EEC) No 348/83	OJ L 40, 12.03.83, p. 24
Sheets and plates of iron or steel	Brazil	Rec No 376/83/ECSC	OJ L 45, 17.02.83, p. 14
Steel coils for re-rolling	Argentina	Dec No 702/83/ECSC	OJ L 82, 29.06.83, p. 9
Steel coils for re-rolling	Brazil	Dec No 702/83/ECSC	OJ L 82, 29.06.83, p. 9
Steel coils for re-rolling	Canada	Dec No 702/83/ECSC	OJ L 82, 29.06.83, p. 9
Steel coils for re-rolling	Venezuela	Dec No 702/83/ECSC	OJ L 82, 29.06.83, p. 9
Barium chloride	China	Reg (EEC) No 985/83	OJ L 110, 27.04.83, p. 11
Barium chloride	GDR	Reg (EEC) No 985/83	OJ L 110, 27.04.83, p. 11
Copper sulphate	CSSR	Reg (EEC) No 1479/83	OJ L 151, 09.06.83, p. 24
Copper sulphate	USSR	Reg (EEC) No 1479/83	OJ L 151, 09.06.83, p. 24
Outboard motors	Japan	Reg (EEC) No 1500/83	OJ L 152, 10.06.83, p. 18
Unwrought nickel	USSR	Reg (EEC) No 1613/83	OJ L 159, 17.06.83, p. 43
Glass textile fibre	CSSR	Reg (EEC) No 1631/83	OJ L 160, 18.06.83, p. 18
Glass textile fibre	GDR	Reg (EEC) No 1631/83	OJ L 160, 18.06.83, p. 18
Glass textile fibre	Japan	Reg (EEC) No 1631/83	OJ L 160, 18.06.83, p. 18
Dicumyl peroxide	Japan	Reg (EEC) No 2079/83	OJ L 203, 27.07.83, p. 13
Concrete reinforcing bars	Spain	Dec No 3113/83/ECSC	OJ L 303, 05.11.83, p. 13
Tube and pipe fittings* of malleable cast iron	Spain	Reg (EEC) No 3271/83	OJ L 322, 19.11.83, p. 13
Choline chloride	GDR	Reg (EEC) No 3578/83	OJ L 356, 20.12.83, p. 12
Choline chloride	Romania	Reg (EEC) No 3578/83	OJ L 356, 20.12.83, p. 12

* countervailing duty

INVESTIGATIONS CONCLUDED BY THE IMPOSITION OF DEFINITIVE DUTIES
DURING THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Regulation number</u>	<u>Date of publication</u>
Broad flanged beams*	Spain	Rec No 259/83/ECSC	OJ L 30, 01.02.83, p. 61
Sheets and plates of iron or steel**	Brazil	Rec No 375/83/ECSC	OJ L 45, 17.02.83, p. 11
Copper sulphate	Yugoslavia	Reg (EEC) No 486/83	OJ L 55, 02.03.83, p. 4
Sodium carbonate	USA	Reg (EEC) No 550/83	OJ L 64, 10.03.83, p. 23
Sheets and plates of iron or steel	Brazil	Rec No 1230/83/ECSC	OJ L 131, 20.05.83, p. 13
Hexamethylene-tetramine	GDR	Reg (EEC) No 1472/83	OJ L 151, 09.06.83, p. 9
Hexamethylene-tetramine	USSR	Reg (EEC) No 1472/83	OJ L 151, 09.06.83, p. 9
4,4' isopropylidene-diphenol (bisphenol)	USA	Reg (EEC) No 2024/83	OJ L 199, 22.07.83, p. 4
Sheets and plates of iron or steel**	Brazil	Rec No 2129/83/ECSC	OJ L 205, 29.07.83, p. 29
Steel coils for re-rolling	Argentina	Dec No 2182/83/ECSC	OJ L 210, 02.08.83, p. 5
Steel coils for re-rolling	Brazil	Dec No 2182/83/ECSC	OJ L 210, 02.08.83, p. 5
Steel coils for re-rolling	Canada	Dec No 2182/83/ECSC	OJ L 210, 02.08.83, p. 5
Steel coils for re-rolling	Venezuela	Dec No 2182/83/ECSC	OJ L 210, 02.08.83, p. 5
Barium chloride	China	Reg (EEC) No 2370/83	OJ L 228, 20.08.83, p. 28
Barium chloride	GDR	Reg (EEC) No 2370/83	OJ L 228, 20.08.83, p. 28
Copper sulphate	CSSR	Reg (EEC) No 2786/83	OJ L 274, 07.10.83, p. 1
Copper sulphate	USSR	Reg (EEC) No 2786/83	OJ L 274, 07.10.83, p. 1
Outboard motors	Japan	Reg (EEC) No 2809/83	OJ L 275, 08.10.83, p. 1
Glass textile fibres	CSSR	Reg (EEC) No 3540/83	OJ L 354, 16.12.83, p. 15
Glass textile fibres	GDR	Reg (EEC) No 3540/83	OJ L 354, 16.12.83, p. 15

* suspended by Dec No 1064/83/ECSC, OJ L 116, 30.04.83, p. 91

** countervailing duty imposed and immediately suspended by the same regulation

INVESTIGATIONS CONCLUDED BY THE ACCEPTANCE OF PRICE UNDERTAKINGS
DURING THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Decision</u>	<u>Date of publication</u>
Photographic enlargers	Poland	Reg (EEC) No 53/83	OJ L 9, 12.01.83, p. 5
Photographic enlargers	USSR	Reg (EEC) No 53/83	OJ L 9, 12.01.83, p. 5
Polyvinyl chloride	CSSR	Reg (EEC) No 152/83	OJ L 18, 22.01.83, p. 26
Hexamethylene-tetramine	CSSR	Reg (EEC) No 348/83	OJ L 40, 12.02.83, p. 24
Hexamethylene-tetramine	Romania	Reg (EEC) No 348/83	OJ L 40, 12.02.83, p. 24
Fibre building board	Brazil	83/75/EEC	OJ L 47, 19.02.83, p. 30
Ferro-silicon	Iceland	83/93/EEC	OJ L 57, 04.03.83, p. 20
Ferro-silicon	Norway	83/93/EEC	OJ L 57, 04.03.83, p. 20
Ferro-silicon	Sweden	83/93/EEC	OJ L 57, 04.03.83, p. 20
Ferro-silicon	Venezuela	83/93/EEC	OJ L 57, 04.03.83, p. 20
Ferro-silicon	Yugoslavia	83/93/EEC	OJ L 57, 04.03.83, p. 20
Cellulose ester resins	USA	83/192/EEC	OJ L 106, 23.04.83, p. 24
Low density polyethylene	CSSR	83/248/EEC	OJ L 138, 27.05.83, p. 65
Low density polyethylene	GDR	83/248/EEC	OJ L 138, 27.05.83, p. 65
Low density polyethylene	Poland	83/248/EEC	OJ L 138, 27.05.83, p. 65
Low density polyethylene	USSR	83/248/EEC	OJ L 138, 27.05.83, p. 65
Ferro-chromium	Turkey	83/306/EEC	OJ L 161, 21.06.83, p. 15
Ferro-chromium	Zimbabwe	83/306/EEC	OJ L 161, 21.06.83, p. 15
Canned pears	Australia	83/360/EEC	OJ L 196, 20.07.83, p. 22
Canned pears	China	83/360/EEC	OJ L 196, 20.07.83, p. 22
Canned pears	South Africa	83/360/EEC	OJ L 196, 20.07.83, p. 22
Caravans for camping	Yugoslavia	83/428/EEC	OJ L 240, 30.08.83, p. 12
Lithium hydroxide	China	83/522/EEC	OJ L 294, 26.10.83, p. 29
Sanitary fixtures	CSSR	83/559/EEC	OJ L 325, 22.11.83, p. 18
Sanitary fixtures	Hungary	83/559/EEC	OJ L 325, 22.11.83, p. 18
Dicumyl peroxide	Japan	83/561/EEC	OJ L 329, 25.11.83, p. 19
Glass textile fibres	Japan	83/625/EEC	OJ L 352, 15.12.83, p. 47

INVESTIGATIONS CONCLUDED ON A FINDING OF NO INJURY
DURING THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Decision</u>	<u>Date of termination</u>
Codeine	CSSR	83/9/EEC	OJ L 16, 20.01.83, p. 30
Codeine	Hungary	83/9/EEC	OJ L 16, 20.01.83, p. 30
Codeine	Poland	83/9/EEC	OJ L 16, 20.01.83, p. 30
Codeine	Yugoslavia	83/9/EEC	OJ L 16, 20.01.83, p. 30
Acrylonitrile	USA	83/162/EEC	OJ L 101, 20.04.83, p. 29
Unwrought aluminium	Egypt	83/305/EEC	OJ L 161, 21.06.83, p. 13
Xanthan gum	USA	83/493/EEC	OJ L 268, 30.09.83, p. 60
Unwrought nickel	USSR	Reg (EEC) No 2907/83	OJ L 286, 19.10.83, p. 29

INVESTIGATIONS CONCLUDED FOR OTHER REASONS
DURING THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Decision</u>	<u>Date of termination</u>
Video tape recorders	Japan	83/126/EEC	OJ L 86, 31.03.83, p. 23
Broad-flanged beams *	Spain	Dec No 1064/83/ECSC	OJ L 116, 30.04.83, p. 91
Iron or steel U or I sections	South Africa	83/334/ECSC	OJ L 181, 06.07.83, p. 26

* anti-subsidy investigation

ANNEX G

INVESTIGATIONS INITIATED BY COUNTRY OF EXPORT DURING
THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY 1981 TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

	<u>1981</u>	<u>1982</u>	<u>1983</u>
Argentina	-	1	1
Australia	-	1	-
Austria	-	1	-
Brazil	1	6	1
Bulgaria	1	-	-
Canada	1	1	1
China	2	4	2
Czechoslovakia	8	5	3
Egypt	-	-	1
GDR	6	6	2
Hungary	5	1	1
Iceland	-	1	-
Israel	-	1	-
Japan	1	3	4
Korea Republic	1	-	-
Korea North	-	1	-
Norway	-	1	1
Poland	6	1	1
Romania	4	3	3
Singapore	-	-	1
South Africa	-	1	1
Spain	1	3	5
Suriname	-	-	1
Sweden	-	1	-
Taiwan	-	-	1
Turkey	-	1	1
USA	6	7	1
USSR	3	3	3
Venezuela	-	2	-
Yugoslavia	2	2	3
Zimbabwe	-	1	-
TOTAL	<u>48</u> =====	<u>58</u> =====	<u>38</u> =====

ANNEX H

INVESTIGATIONS INITIATED BY PRODUCT DURING THE PERIOD
1 JANUARY 1981 TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>1981</u>	<u>1982</u>	<u>1983</u>
Chemical and allied	23	25	12
Textiles and allied	1	0	1
Wood and paper	4	1	1
Mechanical engineering	18	2	4
Iron and steel (EEC and ECSC)	1	15	4
Other metals	0	6	6
Other	1	9	10
TOTAL	<u>48</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>38</u>
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ANNEX I

REVIEWS OF ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY MEASURES OPENED DURING
THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Date of opening</u>
Lithium hydroxide	USA	OJ C 98, 12.04.83, p. 2
Lithium hydroxide	USSR	OJ C 98, 12.04.83, p. 2
Saccharin	China	OJ C 119, 04.05.83, p. 3
Saccharin	Korea	OJ C 119, 04.05.83, p. 3
Saccharin	USA	OJ C 119, 04.05.83, p. 3
Louvre doors	Taiwan	OJ L 187, 13.07.83, p. 3
Hardboard	CSSR	OJ L 241, 31.08.83, p. 9
Hardboard	Poland	OJ L 241, 31.08.83, p. 9
Hardboard	Sweden	OJ L 241, 31.08.83, p. 9
Copper sulphate	Yugoslavia	OJ C 301, 08.11.83, p. 2

PROVISIONAL DUTIES IMPOSED DURING REVIEWS OF ANTI-DUMPING
AND ANTI-SUBSIDY MEASURES OPENED IN THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Regulation number</u>	<u>Date of publication</u>
Hardboard	CSSR	Reg (EEC) No 2444/83	OJ L 241, 31.08.83, p. 9
Hardboard	Poland	Reg (EEC) No 2444/83	OJ L 241, 31.08.83, p. 9
Hardboard	Sweden	Reg (EEC) No 2444/83	OJ L 241, 31.08.83, p. 9

ANNEX K

REVIEWS OF ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY MEASURES TERMINATED BY
THE IMPOSITION OF DEFINITIVE DUTIES DURING THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Regulation number</u>	<u>Date of termination</u>
Chemical fertilizer	USA	Reg (EEC) No 101/83	OJ L 15, 19.01.83, p. 1
Sodium carbonate	Bulgaria	Reg (EEC) No 273/83	OJ L 32, 03.02.83, p. 1
Sodium carbonate	GDR	Reg (EEC) No 273/83	OJ L 32, 03.02.83, p. 1
Sodium carbonate	Poland	Reg (EEC) No 273/83	OJ L 32, 03.02.83, p. 1
Sodium carbonate	Romania	Reg (EEC) No 273/83	OJ L 32, 03.02.83, p. 1
Sodium carbonate	USSR	Reg (EEC) No 273/83	OJ L 32, 03.02.83, p. 1
Hardboard	CSSR	Reg (EEC) No 3648/83	OJ L 361, 24.12.83, p. 6
Hardboard	Poland	Reg (EEC) No 3648/83	OJ L 361, 24.12.83, p. 6

REVIEWS OF ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY MEASURES TERMINATED
BY THE AMENDMENT OF DEFINITIVE DUTIES
DURING THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Regulation number</u>	<u>Date of termination</u>
Polyester yarn	USA	Reg (EEC) No 407/83	OJ L 50, 23.02.83, p. 1
Acrylic fibre	USA	Reg (EEC) No 485/83	OJ L 55, 02.03.83, p. 1
Kraftliner	USA	Reg (EEC) No 551/83	OJ L 64, 10.03.83, p. 25
Paraxylene	Puerto Rico	Reg (EEC) No 905/83	OJ L 101, 20.04.83, p. 1
Paraxylene	USA	Reg (EEC) No 905/83	OJ L 101, 20.04.83, p. 1
Paraxylene	Virgin Islands	Reg (EEC) No 905/83	OJ L 101, 20.04.83, p. 1
Orthoxylene	Puerto Rico	Reg (EEC) No 906/83	OJ L 101, 20.04.83, p. 4
Orthoxylene	USA	Reg (EEC) No 906/83	OJ L 101, 20.04.83, p. 4
Seamless steel tubes*	Spain	Reg (EEC) No 1027/83	OJ L 116, 30.04.83, p. 7
Lithium hydroxide	USA	Reg (EEC) No 2978/83	OJ L 294, 26.10.83, p. 3
Lithium hydroxide	USSR	Reg (EEC) No 2978/83	OJ L 294, 26.10.83, p. 3

* countervailing duty

ANNEX M

REVIEWS OF ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY MEASURES TERMINATED
BY THE ACCEPTANCE OF A PRICE UNDERTAKING IN LIEU OF
DEFINITIVE DUTY DURING THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Decision</u>	<u>Date of termination</u>
Fibre building board	Romania	83/76/EEC	OJ L 49, 22.02.83, p. 6
Hardboard	Sweden	83/649/EEC	OJ L 361, 24.12.83, p. 47

ANNEX N

REVIEWS OF ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY MEASURES TERMINATED
BY THE AMENDMENT OF PRICE UNDERTAKINGS DURING
THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Decision</u>	<u>Date of termination</u>
Kraftliner	Austria	Reg (EEC) No 551/83	OJ L 64, 10.03.83, p. 25
Kraftliner	Canada	Reg (EEC) No 551/83	OJ L 64, 10.03.83, p. 25
Kraftliner	Finland	Reg (EEC) No 551/83	OJ L 64, 10.03.83, p. 25
Kraftliner	Portugal	Reg (EEC) No 551/83	OJ L 64, 10.03.83, p. 25
Kraftliner	Sweden	Reg (EEC) No 551/83	OJ L 64, 10.03.83, p. 25
Kraftliner	USSR	Reg (EEC) No 551/83	OJ L 64, 10.03.83, p. 25
Ferro-chromium	South Africa	83/306/EEC	OJ L 161, 21.06.83, p. 15
Ferro-chromium	Sweden	83/306/EEC	OJ L 161, 21.06.83, p. 15

ANNEX 0

REVIEWS OF ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY MEASURES
TERMINATED BY THE REPEAL OF PRICE UNDERTAKINGS DURING
THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 1983

<u>Product</u>	<u>Country of origin</u>	<u>Decision</u>	<u>Date of termination</u>
Saccharin	China	83/626/EEC	OJ L 352, 15.12.83, p. 49
Saccharin	Korea	83/626/EEC	OJ L 352, 15.12.83, p. 49
Saccharin	USA	83/626/EEC	OJ L 352, 15.12.83, p. 49

ANTI-DUMPING AND ANTI-SUBSIDY CASES BEFORE THE
EUROPEAN COURT OF JUSTICE IN 1983

- Case No 191/82 - FEDIOL v. Commission
Case No 239/82 - Allied Corporation/Demufert/Transcontinental v. Commission*
Case No 264/82 - Timex Corporation v. Council and Commission
Case No 275/82 - Kaiser Aluminium and Chemical Corporation v. Commission*
Case No 53/83 - Allied Corporation/Demufert/Transcontinental and Kaiser
Aluminium and Chemical Corporation v. Council
Case No 87/83 - Zorka Sabac v. Council
Case No 120/83 - Raznoimport v. Commission

*These two cases were combined by the Court.