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I - BASIC TEXTS

**COUNCIL DECISION**

of 19 March 1979

adjusting Decision 76/568/EEC on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community (\*)

(79/310/EEC).

(OJ No L 72/79)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community<sup>(1)</sup>, as last amended by Decision 78/465/EEC<sup>(2)</sup>, and in particular Article 56 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Decision 76/568/EEC provides for its adjustment where an overseas country or territory which has become independent accedes to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé, hereinafter referred to as the 'Convention';

Whereas the Solomon Islands, Tuvalu and Dominica, which appear in the list set out in Annex I to Decision 76/568/EEC, having become independent, have applied to accede to the Convention; whereas the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers has approved these applications; whereas these States, having deposited their instruments of accession, thus acceded to the Convention on 27 September 1978, 17 January 1979 and 26 February 1979;

Whereas the various lists contained in Decision 76/568/EEC and the amounts specified in Article 30 thereof should therefore be adjusted in the light also of the amendments made by the Agreement of 28 March 1977<sup>(3)</sup> to the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid<sup>(4)</sup> signed on 11 July 1975 as a result of former accessions to the Convention,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

The following shall be deleted from Articles 23 (5) and 26 and from the list in Annex I to Decision 76/568/EEC: 'Dominica', 'Solomon Islands' and 'Tuvalu'.

(1) OJ No L 176, 1. 7. 1976, p. 8.  
(2) OJ No L 147, 3. 6. 1978, p. 39.  
(3) OJ No L 287, 13. 10. 1978, p. 22.  
(4) OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1976, p. 168.

(\*) See also Council Decision 79/309/EEC, on p. 24, and Decisions 78/827 and 78/976, on pp. 8 and 9.

*Article 2*

Article 30 of Decision 76/568/EEC, shall be replaced by the following:

*Article 30*

The following provisions shall apply with effect from 26 February 1979:

1. The overall amount of Community aid shall be reduced to 101-733 million European units of account.

2. This amount shall comprise:

(a) 91-733 million European units of account from the European Development Fund (1975), hereinafter referred to as the 'Fund' allocated as follows:

(i) for the purposes set out in Article 28, 71-733 million European units of account consisting of:

- 31-692 million European units of account in the form of grants,
- 23-915 million European units of account in the form of special loans,
- 4-000 million European units of account in the form of risk capital,
- 12-126 million European units of account in the form of a reserve;

(ii) 20 million European units of account, likewise from the Fund, in the form of transfers to the countries and territories for the stabilization of export earnings;

3. For the purposes set out in Article 28, up to 10 million European units of account in the form of loans from the Bank, made from its own resources on the terms and conditions provided for in its Statute and supplemented, as a general rule, by a 3% interest rate subsidy, under the conditions laid down in Article 4 of Annex V.

The total cost of the interest rate subsidies shall be charged against the amount of the grants provided for in 2 (a) (i).

3. Following the accession of the Solomon Islands, Tuvalu and Dominica to the Convention, the amounts provided for in the form of grants, special loans and a reserve, initially allocated in three equal parts among the French overseas territories and departments and the Netherlands and United Kingdom overseas countries and territories, shall be reduced in accordance with Decision 79/309/EEC.

4. (a) Of the portion allocated to the French overseas territories and departments :

— 7.70 million European units of account shall be allocated to the French overseas departments,

— 620 000 European units of account shall remain allocated as financial aid to the least favoured overseas countries and territories, irrespective of the zones within which they fall ;

(b) The sums allocated to the French overseas territories shall amount to 12.10 million European units of account, consisting of :

— 10.10 million European units of account taken from the portion allocated to the French overseas territories and departments,

— 2.00 million European units of account pursuant to Decision 76/569/EEC.

*Article 3*

This Decision shall be published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

Done at Brussels, 19 March 1979.

*For the Council*

*The President*

R. MONORY



COUNCIL DECISION  
OF 29 OCTOBER 1979

extending the list in Article 23(5)  
of Decision 76/568/EEC,  
on the association of the overseas countries and territories  
with the European Economic Community (\*)

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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic  
Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976  
on the association of the overseas countries and territories  
with the European Economic Community <sup>(1)</sup>, as last amended by  
Decision 79/310/EEC <sup>(2)</sup>, and in particular Article 23(6)  
thereof,

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 176, 1.7.1976, p. 8  
<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 72, 23.3.1979, p. 33

(\*) See also Council Decision 79/719, on p. 120.

Whereas radical and lasting changes that have occurred in the economic situation of the Gilbert Islands and the Anglo-French Condominium of the New Hebrides justify the inclusion of those countries and territories in the list at Article 23(5) of the said Decision,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

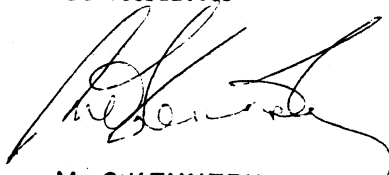
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With effect from 1 January 1979, the Gilbert Islands and the Anglo-French Condominium of the New Hebrides shall be added to the countries and territories listed in Article 23(5) of Decision 76/568/EEC.

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Geschehen zu Luxemburg am  
Done at Luxembourg,  
Fait à Luxembourg, le 29. X. 1979  
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Gedaan te Luxemburg,

På Rådets vegne  
Im Namen des Rates  
For the Council  
Par le Conseil  
Per il Consiglio  
Voor de Raad

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Le président  
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II - IMPLEMENTING ACTS

COUNCIL DECISION

of 10 October 1978

on the provisional application to Tuvalu after its independence of the arrangements provided for in Decision 76/568/EEC (\*)

(78/827/EEC)  
(OJ No L 287/78)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN  
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community (1), as last amended by Decision 78/465/EEC (2), and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 55 (2) thereof,

Whereas, pursuant to the abovementioned provision of Decision 76/568/EEC the arrangements provided for therein may continue to apply provisionally, under conditions laid down by the Council, to countries and territories which become independent;

Whereas Tuvalu, which appears in Annex I relating to the list of countries and territories referred to by that Decision, achieved independence on 1 October 1978;

Whereas it should be decided to continue to apply provisionally the arrangements provided for in the abovementioned Decision to that State, and to lay down the conditions for such application, without prejudice to subsequent recourse to the first subparagraph of Article 55 (2) and to Article 56 thereof;

Whereas the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé is open, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 89 thereof, to the accession of a country or territory to which Part Four of the Treaty applies and which has become independent; whereas such accession can take place only following a request by the State concerned and with the approval of the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers;

Whereas Tuvalu has submitted a request for accession to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé;

Whereas the period of provisional application of Decision 76/568/EEC to that State should be limited;

Whereas, in order to avoid any break in continuity in the financing of decisions in favour of Tuvalu between its accession to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé and the entry into force of the decision adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund which the Council is to take pursuant to

Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid signed on 11 July 1975, Tuvalu should be permitted to continue to benefit until the date of the entry into force of that decision from the provisions of Decision 76/568/EEC relating to financial and technical cooperation,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

The arrangements laid down by Decision 76/568/EEC shall remain provisionally applicable to Tuvalu until the latter accedes to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé but until 30 September 1979 at the latest.

However, Tuvalu shall continue to benefit from the provisions of the said Decision relating to financial and technical cooperation until the date of entry into force of the decision adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund which the Council is to take pursuant to Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid signed on 11 July 1975.

*Article 2*

Questions relating to the application of Decision 76/568/EEC to Tuvalu after it has become independent shall be dealt with as necessary by direct contact between the competent authorities of that State and of the Community.

*Article 3*

This Decision shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall apply from 1 October 1978.

Done at Luxembourg, 10 October 1978.

*For the Council*

*The President*

R. OFFERGELD

(1) OJ No L 176, 1. 7. 1976, p. 8.

(2) OJ No L 147, 3. 6. 1978, p. 39.

(\*) See also Council Decisions 79/310 and 79/309, on pp. 2 and 24 respectively, and Council Regulation No 527/79, on p. 15.

**COUNCIL DECISION**

**of 20 November 1978**

**on the provisional application to Dominica after its independence of the arrangements provided for in Decision 76/568/EEC on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community (\*)**

(78/1976/EEC)

(OJ No L 331/78)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN  
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community (1), as last amended by Decision 78/465/EEC (2), and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 55 (2) thereof,

Whereas, pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 55 (2) of Decision 76/568/EEC, the arrangements provided for therein may continue to apply provisionally, under conditions laid down by the Council, to countries and territories which achieve independence;

Whereas Dominica, which appears in Annex I relating to the list of countries and territories referred to by that Decision, achieved independence on 3 November 1978;

Whereas it should be decided to continue to apply provisionally the arrangements provided for in the abovementioned Decision to that State and to lay down the conditions for such application, without prejudice to subsequent recourse to the first subparagraph of Article 55 (2) and to Article 56 thereof;

(1) OJ No L 176, 1. 7. 1976, p. 8.

(2) OJ No L 147, 3. 6. 1978, p. 39.

(\*) See also Council Decisions 79/310 and 79/309, on pp. 2 and 24 respectively, and Council Regulation No 527/79, on p. 15.

Whereas the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé is open, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 89 thereof, to the accession of a country or territory to which part four of the Treaty applies and which has become independent; whereas such accession can take place only following a request by the State concerned and with the approval of the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers;

Whereas Dominica has submitted a request for accession to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé;

Whereas the period of provisional application of Decision 76/568/EEC to that State should be limited;

Whereas, in order to avoid any break in continuity in the financing of decisions in favour of Dominica between its accession to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé and the entry into force of the decision adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund which the Council is to take pursuant to Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid signed on 11 July 1975, Dominica should be permitted to continue to benefit until the date of the entry into force of that Decision from the provisions of Decision 76/568/EEC relating to financial and technical cooperation,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS :

*Article 1*

The arrangements laid down by Decision 76/568/EEC shall remain provisionally applicable to Dominica until the latter accedes to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé but until 2 November 1979 at the latest.

Dominica shall, moreover, continue to benefit from the provisions of the said Decision relating to financial and technical cooperation until the date of entry into force of the decision adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund which the Council is to take pursuant to Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid signed on 11 July 1975.

*Article 2*

Questions relating to the application of Decision 76/568/EEC to Dominica after it has achieved in-

dependence shall be dealt with as necessary by direct contact between the competent authorities of that State and of the Community.

*Article 3*

This Decision shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall apply from 3 November 1978.

Done at Brussels, 20 November 1978.

*For the Council*

*The President*

K. von DOHNANYI

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## COUNCIL DECISION

of 5 March 1979

on the provisional application to St Lucia after its independence of the arrangements provided for in Decision 76/568/EEC on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community

(79/280/EEC)  
(OJ No L 66/79)

### THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community<sup>(1)</sup>, as last amended by Decision 78/465/EEC<sup>(2)</sup>, and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 55 (2) thereof,

Whereas, pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 55 (2) of Decision 76/568/EEC, the arrangements provided for therein may continue to apply provisionally, under conditions laid down by the Council, to countries and territories which achieve independence;

Whereas St Lucia which appears in Annex I relating to the list of countries and territories referred to by that Decision, achieved independence on 22 February 1979;

Whereas it should be decided to continue to apply provisionally the arrangements provided for in the abovementioned Decision to that State and to lay down the conditions for such application, without prejudice to subsequent recourse to the first subparagraph of Article 55 (2) and to Article 56 thereof;

Whereas the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé is open, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 89 thereof, to the accession of a country or territory to which Part Four of the Treaty applies and which has become independent; whereas such accession can take place only following a request by the State concerned and with the approval of the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers;

Whereas St Lucia has submitted a request for accession to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé;

Whereas the period of provisional application of Decision 76/568/EEC to that State should be limited;

Whereas, in order to avoid any break in continuity in the financing of decisions in favour of St Lucia between its accession to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé and the entry into force of the decision adjusting the amounts made available to the European

Development Fund which the Council is to take pursuant to Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid signed on 11 July 1975, St Lucia should be permitted to continue to benefit until the date of the entry into force of that decision from the provisions of Decision 76/568/EEC relating to financial and technical cooperation,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

#### Article 1

The arrangements laid down by Decision 76/568/EEC shall remain provisionally applicable to St Lucia until the latter accedes to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé but until 21 February 1980 at the latest.

St Lucia shall, moreover, continue to benefit from the provisions of the said Decision relating to financial and technical cooperation until the date of entry into force of the decision adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund which the Council is to take pursuant to Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid.

#### Article 2

Questions relating to the application of Decision 76/568/EEC to St Lucia after it has achieved independence shall be dealt with as necessary by direct contact between the competent authorities of that State and of the Community.

#### Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on the day of its signature.

It shall apply from 22 February 1979

Done at Brussels, 5 March 1979

For the Council

The\*President

I. FRANÇOIS-PONCET

(1) OJ No L 176, 1. 7. 1976, p. 8.

(2) OJ No L 147, 3. 6. 1978, p. 39.



**COUNCIL DECISION**

of 1 August 1979

on the provisional application to the Republic of Kiribati (formerly the Gilbert Islands) of the arrangements provided for in Decision 76/568/EEC (\*)

(79/719/EEC)

(OJ No L 208/79)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community (1), as last amended by Decision 79/310/EEC (2), and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 55 (2) thereof,

Whereas, pursuant to the abovementioned provision of Decision 76/568/EEC the arrangements provided for therein may continue to apply provisionally, under conditions laid down by the Council, to countries and territories which become independent;

Whereas the Gilbert Islands, which appear in Annex I relating to the list of the countries and territories referred to by that Decision, achieved independence on 12 July 1979 as the Republic of Kiribati;

Whereas it should be decided to continue to apply provisionally the arrangements provided for in the abovementioned Decision to that State and to lay down the conditions for such application, without prejudice to subsequent recourse to the first subparagraph of Article 55 (2) and to Article 56 thereof;

Whereas the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé is open, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 89 thereof, to the accession of a country or territory to which Part Four of the Treaty applies and which has become independent; whereas such accession can

take place only following a request by the State concerned and with the approval of the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers;

Whereas the Gilbert Islands have submitted a request for accession to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé as the Republic of Kiribati;

Whereas the period of provisional application of Decision 76/568/EEC with regard to that State should be limited;

Whereas, in order to avoid any break in continuity in the financing decisions in favour of the Republic of Kiribati between its accession to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé and the entry into force of the Decision adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund which the Council is to take pursuant to Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid signed on 11 July 1975, the Republic of Kiribati should be permitted to continue to benefit, until the date of the entry into force of that Decision, from the provisions of Decision 76/568/EEC relating to financial and technical cooperation,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

The arrangements laid down by Decision 76/568/EEC shall remain provisionally applicable to the Republic of Kiribati until the latter accedes to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé, but until 1 March 1980 at the latest.

(1) OJ No L 176, 1. 7. 1976, p. 8.

(2) OJ No L 72, 23. 3. 1979, p. 33.

(\*) See also the Council Directive of 29 October 1979, on p. 4.

However, the Republic of Kiribati shall continue to benefit from the provisions of the said Decision relating to financial and technical cooperation until the date of entry into force of the decision adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund which the Council is to take pursuant to Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid signed on 11 July 1975.

*Article 2*

Questions relating to the application of Decision 76/568/EEC to the Republic of Kiribati shall be dealt with as necessary by direct contact between the competent authorities of that State and of the Community.

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*Article 3*

This Decision shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall apply from 12 July 1979

Done at Brussels, 1 August 1979.

*For the Council*

*The President*

M. O'KENNEDY

**COUNCIL DECISION**  
of 18 December 1979

on the provisional application to Saint Vincent and the Grenadines (formerly Saint Vincent) of the arrangements provided for in Decision 76/568/EEC on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community

(80/14/EEC)

(OJ No L 7/80)

**THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,**

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community (1), as last amended by Decision 79/310/EEC (2), and in particular the second subparagraph of Article 55 (2) thereof,

Whereas, pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 55 (2) of Decision 76/568/EEC, the arrangements provided for therein may continue to apply provisionally, under conditions laid down by the Council, to countries and territories which become independent;

Whereas Saint Vincent, which appears in Annex I relating to the list of the countries and territories referred to by that Decision, achieved independence on 27 October 1979 as Saint Vincent and the Grenadines;

Whereas it should be decided to continue to apply provisionally the arrangements provided for in the abovementioned Decision to that State and to lay down the conditions for such application, without prejudice to subsequent recourse to the first subparagraph of Article 55 (2) and to Article 56 thereof,

Whereas the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé is open, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 89 thereof, to the accession of a country or territory to which Part Four of the Treaty applies and which has become independent; whereas such accession can take place only following a request by the State concerned and with the approval of the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers;

Whereas Saint Vincent has submitted a request for accession to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé as Saint Vincent and the Grenadines;

Whereas the period of provisional application of Decision 76/568/EEC to that State should not continue beyond the expiry of that Decision;

Whereas, in order to avoid any break in continuity in the financing decisions in favour of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines between its accession to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé and the entry into force of the

Decision adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund which the Council is to take pursuant to Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid signed on 11 July 1975, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines should be permitted to continue to benefit, until the date of the entry into force of that Decision, from the provisions of Decision 76/568/EEC relating to financial and technical cooperation,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

The arrangements laid down by Decision 76/568/EEC shall remain provisionally applicable to Saint Vincent and the Grenadines until the latter accedes to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé but in any event not beyond the expiry of that Decision.

However, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines shall continue to benefit from the provisions of the said Decision relating to financial and technical cooperation until the date of entry into force of the Decision adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund which the Council is to take pursuant to Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid signed on 11 July 1975.

*Article 2*

Questions relating to the application of Decision 76/568/EEC to Saint Vincent and the Grenadines shall be dealt with as necessary by direct contact between the competent authorities of that State and of the Community.

*Article 3*

This Decision shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

Done at Brussels, 18 December 1979.

*For the Council*

*The President*

B. LENIHAN

(1) OJ No L 176, 1. 7. 1976, p. 8.

(2) OJ No L 72, 23. 3. 1979, p. 33.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 527/79  
of 19 March 1979

amending the list of countries and territories in Regulation (EEC) No 706/76 on the arrangements applicable to agricultural products and certain goods resulting from the processing of agricultural products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the overseas countries and territories (\*)

(OJ No L 71/79)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN  
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 43 and 113 thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1059/69 of 28 May 1969 laying down trade arrangements applicable to certain goods resulting from the processing of agricultural products (1), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3058/75 (2), and in particular Article 12 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (3),

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 706/76 (4) laid down the arrangements applicable to agricultural products and certain goods resulting from the processing of agricultural products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the overseas countries and territories;

Whereas the Solomon Islands, Tuvalu and Dominica, which appear in the list of countries and territories set

out in Annex I to that Regulation, have become independent;

Whereas these States acceded to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé (5) on 27 September 1978 (6), 17 January 1979 (7) and 26 February 1979 (8) respectively and should consequently be counted among the ACP States referred to in Article 1 of Regulation (EEC) No 706/76; whereas, the list in Annex I to that Regulation should therefore be amended,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

In Annex I to Regulation (EEC) No 706/76, the words 'Dominica', 'Solomon Islands' and 'Tuvalu' shall be deleted.

*Article 2*

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 19 March 1979.

*For the Council*

*The President*

R. MONORY

(1) OJ No L 141, 12. 6. 1969, p. 1.

(2) OJ No L 306, 26. 11. 1975, p. 3.

(3) OJ No C 6, 8. 1. 1979, p. 58.

(4) OJ No L 85, 31. 3. 1976, p. 2.

(5) OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1976, p. 2.

(6) OJ No L 297, 24. 10. 1978, p. 11.

(7) OJ No L 30, 6. 2. 1979, p. 7.

(8) OJ No L 55, 6. 3. 1979, p. 8.

(\*) See also Council Decisions 79/310, 79/309, 78/827 and 78/976 on pp. 2, 24, 8 and 9 respectively.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 2459/78

of 16 October 1978

opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for fresh or chilled tomatoes falling within subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and in the overseas countries and territories (1978/79) (\*)

(OJ No L 296/78)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 43 and 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament<sup>(1)</sup>,

Whereas Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 430/78<sup>(2)</sup> provides for the opening by the Community of a Community tariff quota of 1 000 tonnes of fresh or chilled tomatoes falling within subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and in the overseas countries and territories; whereas the quota period runs from 15 November 1978 to 15 April 1979; whereas the customs duty applicable to the quota is set at 4.4 %, with a minimum charge of two units of account per 100 kilograms net weight; whereas the Community tariff quota in question should therefore be opened;

Whereas it is necessary in particular to ensure to all Community importers equal and uninterrupted access to the abovementioned quota and uninterrupted application of the rate laid down for that quota to all imports of the products in question into all Member States until the quota has been used up; whereas having regard to the above principles the Community nature of the quota can be respected by allocating the tariff quota among the Member States; whereas, to reflect most accurately the actual development of the market in the products in question, such allocation should be in proportion to the requirements of the Member States, assessed by reference both to the statistics relating to imports of the said products from the countries in question over a representative reference period and to the economic outlook for the quota period concerned;

Whereas in this case, however, neither Community nor national statistics for the products in question are

<sup>(1)</sup> Opinion delivered on 13 October 1978 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 59, 1. 3. 1978, p. 48.

(\*) See also Council Regulation No 2430/79, on p. 19,

available and no reliable estimates of future imports can be made; whereas, in these circumstances, the quota volume should be allocated in initial shares, which take into account demand for these products on the markets of the various Member States;

Whereas, to take into account import trends for the products concerned in the various Member States, the quota amount should be divided into two instalments, the first being allocated among the Member States and the second held as a reserve intended to cover at a later date the requirements of Member States who have used up their initial share; whereas, in order to guarantee some degree of security to importers in each Member State, the first instalment of the Community quotas should be fixed at a level which could, in the present circumstances, be 60 % of the quota volume;

Whereas the initial shares of the Member States may not be used up at the same rate; whereas, in order to take this into account and to avoid disruption, any Member State which has used up almost the whole of its initial share should draw a supplementary share from the reserve; whereas this should be done by each Member State each time one of its supplementary shares is almost used up, and so on as many times as the reserve allows; whereas the initial and supplementary shares should be valid until the end of the quota period; whereas this form of administration requires close collaboration between the Member States and the Commission, and the Commission must be in a position to follow the extent to which the quota volume has been used up and inform the Member States thereof;

Whereas, if at a given date in the quota period a Member State has a considerable quantity of its initial share left over, it is essential that it should return a significant proportion thereof to the reserve, to prevent a part of the Community quota remaining unused in one Member State when it could be used in others;

Whereas, since the Kingdom of Belgium, the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg are united within and jointly represented by the Benelux Economic Union, all transactions concerning the administration of shares allocated to that economic union may be carried out by any one of its members,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

*Article 1*

1. For the period 15 November 1978 to 15 April 1979 a Community tariff quota of 1 000 tonnes shall be opened in the Community for fresh or chilled tomatoes falling within subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and in the overseas countries and territories.

2. Within this tariff quota the Common Customs Tariff duty applicable to the products shall be suspended at 4.4 % with a minimum charge of two units of account per 100 kilograms net weight.

*Article 2*

1. A first instalment of 600 tonnes of the Community tariff quota referred to in Article 1 shall be allocated among the Member States ; the shares which, subject to Article 5, shall be valid until 15 April 1979, shall be as follows (in tonnes) :

|                  |     |
|------------------|-----|
| Benelux :        | 50  |
| Denmark :        | 30  |
| Germany :        | 50  |
| France :         | 380 |
| Ireland :        | 30  |
| Italy :          | 30  |
| United Kingdom : | 30  |

2. A second instalment of 400 tonnes shall constitute the reserve.

*Article 3*

1. If 90 % or more of any Member State's initial share as laid down in Article 2 (1), or 90 % of that share less the amount returned into the reserve, where Article 5 has been applied, has been exhausted, that Member State shall without delay, by notifying the Commission, draw a second share in the quota equal to 15 % of its initial share, rounded up to the next unit, where appropriate, to the extent that the amount in the reserve allows.

2. If, after its initial share has been exhausted, 90 % or more of the second share drawn by a

Member State has been used, that Member State shall, in accordance with the conditions laid down in paragraph 1, draw a third share, equal to 7.5 % of its initial share.

3. If, after its second share has been exhausted, 90 % or more of the third share drawn by a Member State has been used, that Member State shall, in accordance with the same conditions, draw a fourth share equal to the third.

This process shall be applied until the reserve is exhausted.

4. By way of derogation from paragraphs 1, 2 and 3, Member States may draw smaller shares than those fixed in those paragraphs if there is reason to believe that those shares might not be used up. They shall inform the Commission of their reasons for applying this paragraph.

*Article 4*

Additional shares drawn pursuant to Article 3 shall be valid until 15 April 1979.

*Article 5*

The Member States shall, not later than 1 March 1979, return to the reserve the unused portion of their initial shares which, on 15 February 1979, is in excess of 20 % of the initial amount. They may return a greater portion if there are grounds for believing that such portion may not be used in full.

The Member States shall, not later than 1 March 1979, notify the Commission of the total imports of the products concerned effected under the Community quota up to 15 February 1979 inclusive, and, where appropriate, the proportion of their initial shares that they are returning to the reserve.

*Article 6*

The Commission shall keep account of the shares opened by the Member States in accordance with Articles 2 and 3 and shall inform each of them of the extent to which the reserve has been used as soon as it receives the notifications.

The Commission shall, not later than 5 March 1979, notify the Member States of the state of the reserve after the return of shares pursuant to Article 5.

The Commission shall ensure that any drawing which uses up the reserve is limited to the balance available and, for this purpose, shall specify the amount thereof to the Member State which makes the final drawing.

*Article 7*

1. The Member States shall take all measures necessary to ensure that supplementary shares drawn pursuant to Article 3 are opened in such a way that changes may be made without interruption against their accumulative shares of the Community quota.
2. Member States shall ensure that importers of the said products established in their territory have free access to the shares allocated to them.
3. The Member States shall charge imports of the said goods against their shares as and when the goods are entered with customs authorities for home use.
4. The extent to which a Member State has used up its share shall be determined on the basis of the imports charged in accordance with paragraph 3.

*Article 8*

At the request of the Commission, Member States shall inform it of imports actually charged against their shares.

*Article 9*

The Member States and the Commission shall cooperate closely in order to ensure that this Regulation is observed.

*Article 10*

The rules of origin applicable to the products imported under this Regulation shall be, respectively, those of Protocol 1 annexed to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé concerning the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and the methods of administrative cooperation, and those of Annex II to Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community (1).

*Article 11*

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Luxembourg, 16 October 1978.

*For the Council*

*The President*

K. von DOHNANYI

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**COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 2430/79**  
of 29 October 1979

**opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for fresh or chilled tomatoes falling within subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and in the overseas countries and territories (1979/80) (\*)**

(OJ No L 277/79)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 43 and 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament<sup>(1)</sup>,

Whereas Article 1 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 430/78<sup>(2)</sup> provides for the opening by the Community of a Community tariff quota of 1 000 tonnes of fresh or chilled tomatoes falling within subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and in the overseas countries and territories; whereas the quota period runs from 15 November to 15 April; whereas the customs duty applicable to the quota is set at 4.4 %, with a minimum charge of two units of account per 100 kilograms net weight; whereas this Regulation is valid only until 29 February 1980; whereas, therefore, the *pro rata temporis* clause is applicable for the fixing of the quota volume for the period 15 November 1979 to 29 February 1980; whereas a Community tariff quota of 700 tonnes should therefore be opened for the period in question;

Whereas it is necessary in particular to ensure to all Community importers equal and uninterrupted access to the abovementioned quota, and uninterrupted application of the rates laid down for that quota to all imports of the products concerned into all Member States until the quota has been used up; whereas, however, since the tariff quota involved is of a rela-

tively low volume and the period of application is very short, it seems possible to allocate the whole quota volume to the Community reserve and to provide for the possibility of those Member States in which needs might arise drawing appropriate quantities from that reserve; whereas the shares thus drawn from the reserve must be valid until the end of the quota period; whereas this method of management requires close cooperation between the Member States and the Commission and the latter must in particular be able to monitor the rate at which the quota is used up and inform the Member States thereof;

Whereas, since the Kingdom of Belgium, the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg are united in and represented by the Benelux Economic Union, any operation relating to the administration of the shares allocated to that economic union may be carried out by any one of its members,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

1. For the period 15 November 1979 to 29 February 1980, a Community tariff quota of 700 tonnes shall be opened in the Community for fresh or chilled tomatoes falling within subheading ex 07.01 M I of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States and in the overseas countries and territories.

Within this tariff quota the Common Customs Tariff duty applicable to the products shall be suspended at 4.4 % with a minimum charge of two units of account per 100 kilograms net weight.

<sup>(1)</sup> Opinion delivered on 26 October 1979 (not yet published in the Official Journal).  
<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 59, I. 3. 1978, p. 48.

(\*) See also Council Regulation No 2359/78, p. 16.



2. The volume of the tariff quota referred to in paragraph 1 shall constitute a reserve.

3. If the need should arise for the products in question in a Member State, the latter shall draw an appropriate share from the reserve, providing that the size of the reserve so permits.

4. The shares drawn pursuant to paragraph 3 shall be valid until 29 February 1980.

#### *Article 2*

1. The Member States shall take all measures necessary to ensure that shares drawn pursuant to Article 1 are opened in such a way that changes may be made without interruption against their accumulated shares of the Community quota.

2. Member States shall ensure that importers of the said products established in their territory have free access to the shares allocated to them.

3. The Member States shall charge imports of the said goods against their shares as and when the goods are entered with customs authorities for home use.

4. The extent to which a Member State has used up its share shall be determined on the basis of the imports charged in accordance with paragraph 3.

#### *Article 3*

At the request of the Commission, Member States shall inform it of imports actually charged against their shares.

#### *Article 4*

The Member States and the Commission shall cooperate closely in order to ensure that this Regulation is complied with.

#### *Article 5*

The rules of origin applicable to the products imported under this Regulation shall be, respectively, those of Protocol 1 annexed to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé concerning the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and the methods of administrative cooperation, and those of Annex II to Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community (1).

#### *Article 6*

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Luxembourg, 29 October 1979.

*For the Council*

*The President*

M. O'KENNEDY

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(1) OJ No L 176, 1. 7. 1976, p. 8.

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1254/79

of 25 June 1979

opening, allocating and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for rum, arrack and tafia, falling within subheading 22.09 C I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the overseas countries and territories associated with the European Economic Community (1979/80)

(OJ No L 160/79)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 136 thereof,

Having regard to Council Decision 76/198/EEC of 9 February 1976 on import arrangements for rum, arrack and tafia, falling within subheading 22.09 C I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the overseas countries and territories associated with the European Economic Community (1),

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas Decision 76/198/EEC stipulates that rum, arrack and tafia shall be imported into the Community free of customs duties within the limits of a Community tariff quota; whereas the annual size of the quota for the period 1 July to 30 June is to be fixed on the basis of a basic annual quantity, calculated in hectolitres of pure alcohol, to which a rate of growth of 13% is to be applied, equal to the amount of imports during the best of the last three years for which statistics are available; whereas this rate may be modified in the light of certain criteria;

Whereas Community statistics for the years 1976 to 1978 show that the highest volume of imports into the Community of the products in question originating in the said countries and territories occurred in 1978, namely 70 349 hectolitres of pure alcohol; whereas in the light of consumption and production within the Community and of the development of trade both within the Community and between the Community, the said countries and territories and the ACP States, the rate of growth for the quota period in question should be 13%;

Whereas, because Decision 76/198/EEC is due to expire on 29 February 1980, a *pro rata temporis* reduction to eight-twelfths should be introduced;

Whereas the size of the quota for the period 1 July 1979 to 29 February 1980 should therefore be fixed at 52 996 hectolitres of pure alcohol;

Whereas, owing to the special character of the products in question and their sensitivity on Commu-

nity markets, exceptional provision should be made for a method of use based on a single division among Member States;

Whereas, taking into account actual trends on the markets for the products in question, the needs of the Member States and the economic prospects for the period under consideration, the initial percentage shares in the quota volume could be as follows:

|                |         |
|----------------|---------|
| Benelux        | 5.25 %  |
| Denmark        | 0.01 %  |
| Germany        | 94.54 % |
| France         | 0.01 %  |
| Ireland        | 0.05 %  |
| Italy          | 0.01 %  |
| United Kingdom | 0.13 %  |

Whereas the development of imports into the Community of these products should be recorded and imports should accordingly be monitored;

Whereas since the Kingdom of Belgium the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg are united and represented by the Benelux Economic Union, all transactions concerning the administration of shares allocated to that economic union may be carried out by any one of its members,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. From 1 July 1979 until 29 February 1980, rum, arrack and tafia, falling within subheading 22.09 C I of the Common Customs Tariff and originating in the countries and territories referred to in Article 1 of Decision 76/198/EEC shall be imported free of customs duty into the Community within the limits of a Community tariff quota of 52 996 hectolitres of pure alcohol.

2. The rules of origin applicable to the products referred to in paragraph 1 shall be those mentioned in Article 5 of Decision 76/198/EEC.

(1) OJ No L 37, 12. 2. 1976, p. 24.

*Article 2*

The Community tariff quota referred to in Article 1 shall be allocated among the Member States as follows :

|                | <i>(hectolitres of<br/>pure alcohol)</i> |
|----------------|--|
| Benelux        | 2 783                                    |
| Denmark        | 5  |
| Germany        | 50 100                                   |
| France         | 5  |
| Ireland        | 27                                       |
| Italy          | 5  |
| United Kingdom | 71                                       |

*Article 3*

1. Member States shall manage the shares allocated to them in accordance with their own arrangements.
2. The extent to which the Member States have used up their shares shall be determined on the basis of the imports of the products in question, originating in the said countries and territories, entered for home use.

*Article 4*

1. In accordance with Article 6 of Decision 76/198/EEC, the Community shall monitor imports

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Luxembourg, 25 June 1979.

of the products in question originating in the said countries and territories.

2. Member states shall forward to the Commission not later than the 15th day of each month statements of imports of the products in question effected during the preceding month. Only products submitted to the customs authorities under cover of a declaration that they are to be made available for home use and accompanied by a movement certificate conforming to the rules referred to in Article 1 (2) shall be taken into consideration for this purpose.

3. The Commission shall regularly inform the Member States of the extent to which the tariff quota has been used up.

4. Where necessary, consultations may be held at the request of a Member State or on the initiative of the Commission.

*Article 5*

The Commission shall take all necessary measures, in close cooperation with the Member States, to ensure the implementation of this Regulation.

*Article 6*

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 July 1979.

*For the Council*  
*The President*  
J. LE THEULE

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**COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 2299/79**

**of 15 October 1979**

**fixing the guaranteed prices applicable for cane sugar originating in the overseas countries and territories (OCT) for 1979/80**

(OJ No L 264/79)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 136 thereof,

Having regard to the recommendation from the Commission,

Whereas, in accordance with the terms of Annex XXI to the Final Act of the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé<sup>(1)</sup>, the Community guarantees, for cane sugar originating in the overseas countries and territories mentioned in the said Annex, the same treatment as provided for in Protocol 3 on ACP sugar annexed to the said Convention;

Whereas Council Decision 76/568/EEC of 29 June 1976 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community<sup>(2)</sup>, embodies the application of this principle; whereas in accordance with Article 4 (4) of Annex IV to that Decision the guaranteed prices are fixed annually;

Whereas the guaranteed prices valid for 1979/80 for cane sugar originating in the ACP States have been fixed by Agreements in the form of exchanges of

letters with the relevant ACP States; whereas it is now necessary for the Council to fix the same guaranteed prices for cane sugar originating in the overseas countries and territories concerned,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

For the period 1 July 1979 to 30 June 1980, the guaranteed prices referred to in Article 4 (4) of Annex IV to Decision 76/568/EEC shall be as follows:

- (a) for raw sugar, 34.13 ECU per 100 kilograms;
- (b) for white sugar, 42.30 ECU per 100 kilograms.

These prices shall refer to sugar of standard quality as defined in Community rules, unpacked, cif European ports of the Community.

*Article 2*

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall apply with effect from 1 July 1979.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Luxembourg, 15 October 1979.

*For the Council*

*The President*

J. GIBBONS

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1976, p. 1.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 176, 1. 7. 1976, p. 8.

COUNCIL DECISION

of 19 March 1979

adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund (1975) for the ACP States and for the overseas countries and territories and the French overseas departments (\*)

(79/309/EEC)

(OJ No L 72/79)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the Internal Agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid<sup>(1)</sup>, signed at Brussels on 11 July 1975, hereinafter referred to as the 'Internal Agreement', and in particular Article 1 (4) thereof, amended by the Agreement of 28 March 1977<sup>(2)</sup>,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the Solomon Islands, Tuvalu and Dominica, former overseas countries and territories associated with the Community under Decision 76/568/EEC<sup>(3)</sup>, have become independent and have requested to accede to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé, hereinafter referred to as the 'Convention', pursuant to Article 89 thereof; whereas the ACP-EEC Council of Ministers has approved these requests; whereas these States deposited their instruments of accession with the General Secretariat of the Council on 27 September 1978, 17 January 1979 and 26 February 1979 respectively, and thus acceded to the Convention on these dates;

Whereas, therefore, in accordance with Article 1 (4) of the Internal Agreement, the amounts provided for the overseas countries and territories and the French overseas departments in Article 1 (3a) (b) of the said

Internal Agreement should be reduced and those provided for the ACP States in (a) of that paragraph correspondingly increased;

Whereas this adjustment must be made on the basis of the amounts specified in Decision 78/465/EEC<sup>(4)</sup> which last adjusted the amounts made available to the European Development Fund following the accession of former associated overseas countries and territories to the Commission,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

Article 1 (3a) and (3b) of the Internal Agreement shall be replaced by the following:

'3a. From 26 February 1979 the amount of 3 159.50 million European units of account referred to in paragraph 2a shall be allocated as follows:

(a) 3 067.767 million European units of account for the ACP States, consisting of:

- 3 000 million European units of account from the appropriation initially provided for in paragraph 3 (a) for the original ACP States,
- 9.50 million European units of account from the amount provided for in paragraph 2a,

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 25, 30. 1. 1976, p. 168.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 287, 13. 10. 1978, p. 22.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ No L 176, 1. 7. 1976, p. 8.

<sup>(4)</sup> OJ No L 147, 3. 6. 1978, p. 39.

(\*) See also Council Decisions 79/310, 78/827 and 78/976, on pp. 2, 8 and 9 respectively.

- 13 million European units of account from the amount appearing in Article 30 (4) (a), first indent, as introduced by the Council Decision 77/155/EEC of 14 February 1977 adjusting Decision 76/568/EEC on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community (1);
  - 45-267 million European units of account from the amount transferred from the appropriation for the OCT to that for the ACP under Decisions 77/156/EEC (2) and 78/464/EEC (3), adjusting the amounts made available to the European Development Fund (1975) for the ACP States on the one hand and for the overseas countries and territories and the French overseas departments on the other, following the accession of the Republic of Surinam, the Republic of Seychelles, the Comoro State, the Republic of Jibuti, the Solomon Islands, Tuvalu and Dominica to the Convention;
- (b) 91-733 million European units of account for the overseas countries and territories and the French overseas departments from the amounts originally laid down in paragraph 3 (b) and (c), taking into account the reduction made under the Decision referred to in the fourth indent of (a).

- 3b. (a) The amount stated in paragraph 3a (a) for the ACP States shall be allocated as follows:

- 2 145-182 million European units of account in the form of grants,
- 445-585 million European units of account in the form of special loans,
- 97-00 million European units of account in the form of risk capital,

380-00 million European units of account in the form of transfers pursuant to Title II of the Convention.

- (b) The amount stated in paragraph 3a (b) for the overseas countries, territories and departments shall be allocated as follows:

- 31-692 million European units of account in the form of grants,
- 23-915 million European units of account in the form of special loans,
- 4-00 million European units of account in the form of risk capital,
- 12-126 million European units of account in the form of a reserve,
- 20-00 million European units of account in the form of transfers for the countries and territories, pursuant to those provisions of the Decision which concern the system for stabilizing export earnings.

(1) OJ No L 46, 18. 2. 1977, p. 15.  
(2) OJ No L 46, 18. 2. 1977, p. 17.  
(3) OJ No L 197, 3. 6. 1978, p. 37.

*Article 2*

This Decision shall be published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

Done at Brussels, 19 March 1979.

*For the Council*  
*The President*  
R. MONROY

GENERAL SECRETARIAT  
OF THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES