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PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

CONCERNING THE CONCLUSION OF THE ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY AND THE REPUBLIC OF AUSTRIA CONSEQUENT ON THE ACCESSION OF THE HELLENIC REPUBLIC TO THE COMMUNITY

(presented by the Commission to the Council)

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#### Explanatory memorandum

- 1. By a decision of 11 February 1980 the Council and the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States meeting within the Council authorized the Commission to open negotiations with the EFTA countries and the other "preferential" countries with a view to adapting the Free Trade Agreements.
- 2. The negotiations with Switzerland, Finland, Norway, Sweden and Iceland were completed in March 1980. The Commission forwarded the results of these negotiations to the Council on 13 June 1980 (doc. COM(80) 317 final) and proposed their adoption. The additional protocols with Switzerland and Liechtenstein were signed on 17 July 1980, the signature of the additional protocols with Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden are in the final stages of preparation.
- 3. Only the negotiations with Austria could not be completed at the same time. The remaining difficulties have however now been settled and the negotiations were concluded on ... 30 October 1980... The heads of delegations initialled the draft texts on ... 31 October 1980... after indicating that they correctly embodied the results of the negotiations.
- 4. As far as tariff treatment, indicative tariff ceilings, processed agricultural products, quantitative restrictions, measures having equivalent effect and origin rules are concerned, the arrangements concluded with Austria in the EEC sector correspond to the arrangements concluded with the other EFTA States (see explanations in doc. COM(80) 317 final). As with Norway and Sweden an exchange of letters has been agreed upon with Austria concerning the applicability of the safeguard measures contained in the Free Trade Agreement, if difficulties are caused during the transitional period by increased imports into Austria of sensitive products from Greece and vice-versa. This exchange of letters is annexed to this communication. It does not constitute an integral part of the additional protocol with Austria.

- 5. The content of the ECSC-Protocol is also identical with the additional protocols agreed upon with Finland, Norway and Sweden. However, with regard to the transitional measures on the Greek market concerning the application of the price rules, the rules which Austria will apply by analogy to Article 129 of the Act of Accession have not been incorporated in the protocol itself (Article 8) but in an exchange of letter which will be annexed to the additional protocol and which will form an integral part of it. (In the case of the other EFTA countries mentioned above, these rules were agreed in Article 2, paragraph 2.)
- 6. During the negotiations certain difficulties on interpretations arose, which caused them to last so long. In the end, despite divergent opinions, Austria accepted the same transitional measures as those agreed upon with the other EFTA countries. The differences of opinion remain however, and they will be explained in an exchange of "notes verbales" between the Commission and the Austrian Mission to the European Communities. The Council will be informed on this in the usual way.
- 7. The Commission considers that, in terms of its negotiating directives,
  the draft texts are acceptable to the Community. Accordingly it recommends to the Council and the Representatives of the Governments of the
  Member States meeting within the Council:
  - i) pending the adoption of the additional protocols, to take the necessary decisions regarding their signature;
  - ii) as regards the EEC protocol, to adopt the draft regulation annexed thereto.

#### PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION

concerning the conclusion of the Additional Protocol
to the Agreement between the European Economic Community
and the Republic of Austria consequent on
the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

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

Having regard to the recommendation from the Commission,

Whereas it is necessary to approve the Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria (1) signed in Brussels on 22 July 1972, to take account of the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

## Article 1

The Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

The text of the Protocol is annexed to this Regulation.

#### Article 2

The President of the Council shall give the notification provided for in Article 3 of the Additional Protocol.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 300, 31.12.1972, p. 2

# Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of 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,

For the Council

The President

Additional Protocol to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community

#### THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY

of the one part, and the Republic of Austria of the other part,

CONSIDERING the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the European Communities on 1 January 1981

HAVING REGARD to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria signed at Brussels on 22 July 1972 and hereinafter called the "Agreement",

HAVE DECIDED to determine by common accord the adjustments and transitional measures to the Agreement consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the European Economic Community

and TO CONCLUDE THIS PROTOCOL :

#### TITLE I

#### Adjustments

#### Article 1

The text of the Agreement shall be drawn up in Greek and that text shall be authentic in the same way as the original texts. The Joint Committee shall approve the Greek text.

- 1. The Hellenic Republic shall apply the provisions laid down in the table contained in Article 1 (3) of Protocol No 1 to the Agreement to all products covered by Chapters 48 and 49 of the Common Customs Tariff originating in Austria and not listed in Annex I.
- 2. Austria shall apply the provisions of Article 4 (1) of Protocol No 1 to the Agreement to all products covered by this paragraph and coming from Greece.

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- Community, in conformity with the provisions of Protocol No. 1 to the Agreement, applies as from 1 January 1981 to imports of goods originating in Austria shall consist of:
  - the volumes of the indicative ceilings resulting from the application of the rules laid down in Protocol No 1 to the Agreement, and
  - in addition for 1981 the volumes listed in Annex III; for each subsequent year these volumes shall be increased by 5 %.
- 2. When the volumes for imports into Greece laid down in Annex III have been reached for the goods concerned, the Hellenic Republic may reimpose the customs duties which it applies at that time to third countries until the end of the calendar year.

#### TITLE II

#### Transitional' Measures

#### Article 4

For the products listed in Annex I, the Hellenic Republic shall progressively abolish customs duties on imports of products originating in Austria in accordance with the following timetable:

- on 1 January 1981, each duty shall be reduced to 90 % of the basic duty;
- on 1 January 1982, each duty shall be reduced to 80 % of the basic duty;
- the four other reductions of 20 % each shall be made on :
  - 1 January 1983,
  - 1 January 1984,
  - 1 January 1985,
  - 1 January 1986.

- 1. For the products listed in Annex I, the basic duty to which the successive reductions provided for in Article 4 are to be applied shall, for each product, be the duty actually applied by the Hellenic Republic in respect of Austria on 1 July 1980.
- 2. However, in respect of matches falling within heading No. 36.06 of the Common Customs Tariff, the basic duty shall be 17.2 % ad valorem.

#### Artiols 6

- l. For the products listed in Annex I, the Hellenic Republic shall progressively abolish charges having equivalent effect to customs duties on imports of products originating in Austria in accordance with the following timetables
  - m on 1 January 1981, each charge shall be reduced to 90 % of the basic rates
  - on 1 January 1982, each charge shall be reduced to 80 % of the basic rate;
  - the four other reductions of 20 % each shall be made on a
    - 1 January 1983,
    - 1 January 1984,
    - 1 January 1985,
    - 1 January 1986.
- 2. The basic rate to which the successive reductions provided for in paragraph 1 are to be applied shall, for each product, be the rate applied by the Hellenic Republic on 31 December 1980 in respect of the Community as at present constituted.
- 3. Any charge having equivalent effect to a customs duty on imports, introduced as from 1 January 1979 in trade between Greece and Austria, shall be abolished on 1 January 1981.

#### Article 7

If the Hellenic Republic suspends or reduces duties or charges having equivalent effect on products imported from the Community as at present constituted more quickly than under the established timetable, the Hellenic Republic shall also suspend or reduce, by the same percentage, those duties or charges having equivalent effect on products originating in Austria.

- 1. The variable component which the Hellenic Republic may apply in accordance with the provisions of Article 1 of Protocol No 2 to the Agreement to the products listed in Table I of that Protocol, originating in Austria, shall be adjusted by the compensatory amount applied in trade between the Community as at present constituted and Greece.
- 2. For the products which are listed both in Table I of Protocol No 2 to the Agreement and in Annex I to this Protocol, the Hellenic Republic shall abolish, in accordance with the timetable laid down in Article 4, the difference between:
  - the fixed component of the duty to be applied by the Hellenic Republic upon accession, and
  - the duty (other than the variable component) shown in the last column of Table I of Protocol No. 2.

### Artiole 9

- 1. The Hellenic Republic may retain quantitative restrictions until 31 December 1985 on products listed in Annex II,
- 2. The restrictions referred to in paragraph 1 shall take the form of global quotas which shall also be opened towards imports originating in Finland, Iceland, Norway, Sweden and Switzerland.

  The global quotas for 1981 are listed in Annex II.
- 3. The minimum rate of progressive increase for the quotas referred to in paragraph 2 shall be 25 % at the beginning of each year for quotas expressed in European units of account (EUA), and 20 % at the beginning of each year for quotas expressed in terms of volume. Such increases shall be added to each quota and the next increase calculated on the basis of the total thus obtained.

Where a quota is expressed in terms of both volume and value, the quota relating to volume shall be raised by at least 20 % a year and the quota relating to value by at least 25 % a year, the succeeding quotas to be calculated each year on the basis of the preceding quota plus the increase.

However, with regard to motor cosches and buses and other vehicles falling within subheading ex 87.02 A I of the Common Customs Tariff, the volume quote shall be raised by 15 % a year and the quote relating to the value by 20 % a year.

4. Where it is found that imports into Greece of a product listed in Annex II have for two consecutive years been less than 90 % of the quota, the Hellenic Republic shall liberalize imports of that product originating in Austria and in the countries listed in Paregraph 2, if the product in question is at that time liberalized towards the Genmunity as at present constituted.

- 5. If the Hellenic Republic liberalizes imports of a product listed in Annex II coming from the Community as at present constituted or increases a quota beyond the minimum rate applicable to the Community as at present constituted, the Hellenic Republic shall also liberalize imports of that product originating in Austria or increase the global quota proportionally.
- 6. Regarding licences for imports of products listed in Annex II and originating in Austria, the Hellenic Republic shall apply the same administrative rules and practices as applied to such imports originating in the Community as at present constituted, with the exception of the quota for fertilisers falling within heading Nos 31.02, 31.03 and subheadings 31.05 A I, II and IV of the Common Customs Tariff,
  - where the Hellenic Republic may apply the rules and practices relevant to exclusive marketing rights.

#### Article 10

1. Import deposits and cash payments in force in Greece on 31 December 1980 with regard to imports of products originating in Austria shall be progressively eliminated over a period of three years from 1 January 1981.

The rate of import deposits and cash payments shall be reduced in accordance with the following timetable:

- 1 January 1981 : 25 %.
- 1 January 1982 : 25 %.
- 1 January 1983 : 25 %,
- 1 January 1984 : 25 %.
- 2. If, in respect of the Community as at present constituted, the Hellenic Republic reduces the rate of import deposits or cash payments more quickly than under the timetable set out in paragraph 1, the Hellenic Republic shall make the same reduction with regard to imports of products originating in Austria.

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#### TITLE III

## General and Final Provisions

#### Article 11

The Joint Committee shall make any amendments which may be necessary to the origin' rules consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the European Communities.

#### Article 12

The Annexes to this Protocol form an integral part thereof. This Protocol forms an integral part of the Agreement.

#### Article 13

This Protocol shall be approved by the Contracting Parties in accordance with their own procedures. It shall enter into force on 1st January 1981, provided that the Contracting Parties have notified each other before that date that the procedures necessary to this end have been completed. After this date the Protocol shall enter into force on the first day of the second month following such notification.

#### Article 14

This Protocol is drawn up in duplicate, in the Danish, Dutch, English, French, German, Greek and Italian languages, each of these texts being equally authentic.

# List referred to in Article 4

Brussels Nomenclature heading No (NCCC)	Description
Chapter 15	
ex 15.10	Products obtained from pinewood, with a fatty acid content of 90% or more by weight
Chapter 17	
17.04	Sugar confectionery, not containing cocoa
Chapter 18	
18.06	Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa
Chapter 19	
ex 19.02	Malt-extract
19.03	Macaroni, spaghetti and similar products
19.05	Prepared foods obtained by swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products (puffed rice, corn flakes and similar products)
ex 19.07	Bread, ships biscuits and other ordinary bakers wares, not containing added sugar, honey, eggs, fats, cheese or fruit
19.08	Pastry, biscuits, cakes and other fine bakers wares, whether or not containing cocoa in any proportion
Chapter 21	
ex 21.02	Roasted coffee substitutes other than roasted chicory; extracts, essences and concentrates of roasted coffee substitutes other than of roasted chicory
ex 21.04	Sauces; mixed condiments and mixed seasonings other than fluid mange chutney
ex 21.06	Baker's yeast and inactive natural yeasts
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Chapter 22	
ex 22.02	Lemonade, flavoured spa waters and un-lavoured aerated waters and other non-alcoholic beverages, not including fruit and vegetable juices falling within heading %0 20.07 whether
	- not containing milk or milkfats but containing sugar (sucrose or invert sugar)
	or
·	- containing milk or milkfats
22.03	Beer made from malt
22.06	Vermouths, and other wines of fresh grapes flavoured with aromatic extracts
ex 22.09	Spirituous beverages, containing eggs or egg yolks and/or sugar (sucrose or invert sugar)
Chapter 25	
25.20	Gypsum; anhydrite; calcined gypsum, and plasters with a basis of calcium sulphate, whether or not coloured, but not including plasters specially prepared for use in dentistry.
25.22	Quicklime, slaked lime and hydraulic lime, other than calcium oxide and hydroxide
25.23	Portland cement, ciment fondu, slag cement, supersulphate cement and similar hydraulic cements, whether or not coloured or in the form of clinker
ex 25.30	Crude natural boric acid containing not more than 85% of H <sub>2</sub> BO <sub>2</sub> calculated on the dry weight
ex 25.32	Earth colours, whether or not calcined or mixed together; santorin, pozzo- lana, trass and similar earths, used in making hydraulic cements, whether or not powdered
27.05 bis	
	Coal gas, water gas, producer gas and similar gases
27.06	Tar distilled from coal, from lignite or from peat, and other mineral tars, including partially distilled tars and blends of pitch with creosote oils or with other coal tar distillation products
27.08	Pitch and pitch coke, obtained from coal tar or from other mineral tars
ex 27.10	Mineral oils and greases for lubricating purposes
ex 27.11	Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons, excluding propane of a purity not less than 99 % for use other than as a power or heating fuel

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27.12	Petroleum jelly
<b>27.13</b> .	Paraffin wax, micro-crystalline wax, slack wax, ozokerite, lignite wax, peat wax and other mineral waxes, whether or not coloured
27.14	Petroleum bitumen, petroleum coke and other residues of petroleum oils or of oils obtained from bituminous minerals
27.15	Bitumen and asphalt, natural; bituminous shale, asphaltic rock and tar sands
27.16	Bituminous mixtures based on natural asphalt, on natural bitumen, on petroleum bitumen, on mineral tar or on mineral tar pitch (for example, bituminous mastics, cut-backs)
Chapter 28	•
ex 28.01	Chlorine
ex 28.04	Hydrogen, oxygen (including ozone) and nitrogen
ex 28.06	Hydrochloric acid
28,08	Sulphuric acid; oleum
28.09	Nitric acid; sulphonitric acids
28.10	Phosphorus pentoxide and phosphoric acids (meta-, ortho- and pyro-)
28.12	Boric oxide and boric acid
28.13	Other inorganic acids and oxygen compounds of non-metals (excluding water)
28.15	Sulphides or non-metals; phosphorus trisulphide
28.16	Ammonia, anhydrous or in aqueous solution
28.17	Sodium hydroxide (caustic soda); potassium hydroxide (caustic potash); peroxides of sodium or potassium
ex 28.19	Zinc oxide
ex 28.20	Artificial corundum
28.22	Manganese oxides
ex 28.23	Iron oxides, including earth colours containing 70 % or more by weight of combined iron evaluated as Fe <sub>5</sub> O <sub>3</sub>
ex 28.27	Red lead and litharge
28.29	Fluorides; fluorosilicates, fluoroborates and other complex fluorine salts
ex 28.30	Magnesium chloride, calcium chloride
ex 28.31	Hypochlorites; commercial calcium hypochlorite; chlorites
28.35	Sulphides; polysulphides
. 28.36	Dithionites, including those stabilized with organic substances; sulphoxylates
28.37	Sulphites and thiosulphates .
ex 28.38	Sodium, barium, iron, zinc, magnesium and aluminium sulphates; alums
ex 28.40	Phosphites, hypophosphites and phosphates, excluding bibasic lead phosphate

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ex 28.42	Carbonates, including commercial ammonium carbonate containing ammonium carbamate, excluding lead hydrocarbonate (white lead)
ex 28.44	Mercury fulminate
ex 28.45	Sodium silicate and potassium silicate, including commercial grades
ex 28.46	Refined borax
ex 28.48	Arsenites and arsenates
28.54	Hydrogen perioxide (including solid hydrogen peroxide)
ex 28.56	Silicon, boron and calcium carbides
ex 28.58	Distilled and conductivity water and water of similar purity
Chapter 29	
ex 29.01	Hydrocarbons for use as power or heating fuels; naphthal ene and anthracene
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ex 29.04	Amyl alcohols .
29.06	Phenois and phenoi-alcohols
ex 29.08	Dipentyl ether (diamyl ether), diethyl ether, anethole
ex 29.14	Palmitic, stearic and oleic acids and their water soluble salts; anhydrides
ex 29.16	Tartaric, citric and gallic acids; calcium tartrate
ex 29.21	Nicroglycerine
ex 29.42	Nicotine sulphate
29.43	Sugars, chemically pure, other than sucrose, glucose and lactose; sugar ethers and sugar esters, and their salts, other than products of heading Nos 29.39, 29.41 and 29.42
Chapter 30	
ex 30.02	Antisera
ex 30.03	Medicaments (including veterinary medicaments), excluding the following products:
	- Anti-asthmatic cigarettes
	— Quinine, cinchonine, quinidine and their salts, whether or not in the form of proprietary products
•	- Morphine, cocaine and other narconics, whether or not in the form of proprietary products
	- Antibiotics and preparations based on antibiotics
	- Vitamins and preparations based on vitamins
	— Sulphonamides, hormones and preparations based on hormones
30.04	Wadding, gauze, bandages and similar articles (for example, dressings, adhesive plasters, poultices), impregnated or coated with pharmaceutical substances or put up in retail packings for medical or surgical purposes, other than goods specified in Note 3 to this Chapter

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Chapter 31	
ex 31.03	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, phosphatic, excluding:
	- Basic-slag
,	Disintegrated (calcined) calcium phosphates (thermo phosphates and fused phosphates) and calcined natural aluminium calcium phosphates
	- Calcium hydrogen phosphate containing not less than 0.2 % of fluorine
31.05	Other fertilizers; goods of the present Chapter in taliets, lozenges and similar prepared forms or in packings of a gross weight not exceeding 10 kg
Chapter 32	
ex 32.01	Tanning extracts of vegetable origin; tannins (rannic acids), including water-extracted gall-nut tannin
ex 32.04	Colouring matter of vegetable origin (including dyewood extract and other vegetable dyeing extracts, but excluding indigo, henna and chlorophyll) or of animal origin, excluding cochineal extract and kermes
ex 32.05	Synthetic organic dyestuffs (including pigment dyestuffs and excluding artificial indigo); synthetic organic products of a kind used a luminophores; products of the kind known as optical bleaching agents, substantive to the fibre
32.06	Colour lakes
ex 32.07	Other colouring matter, excluding:  (a) inorganic pigments or pigments of mineral origin, whether or not containing other substances facilitating dyeing, based on cadmium salts,  (b) chrome colours and Prussian blue; inorganic products of a kind used as luminophores
32.08	Prepared pigments, prepared opacifiers and prepared colours, vitrifiable enamels and glazes, liquid lustres and similar products, of the kind used in the ceramic, enamelling and glass industries; engobes (slips); glass frit and other glass, in the form of powder, granules or flakes
32.09	Varnishes and lacquers; distempers: prepared water pigments of the kind used for finishing leather; paints and enamels; pigments dispersed in linseed oil, white spirit, spirits of turpentine, or other media of a kind used in the manufacture of paints or enamels; stamping foils; dyes or other colouring matter in forms or packings of a kind sold by retail; solutions as defined by Note 4 to this Chapter
32.11	Prepared driers
32.12	Glaziers' putty; grafting putty; painters' fillings; non-refractory surfacing preparations; stopping, sealing and similar mastics, including resin mastics and cements
32.13	Writing ink, printing ink and other inks
Chapter 33	
ex 33.01	Essential oils (terpeneless or not); concretes and absolutes, excluding essences of roses, rosemary, eucalyptus, sandalwood and cedar; resinoids; concentrates of essential oils in fats, in fixed oils, or in waxes or the like, obtained by cold absorption or by maceration

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ex 33.06	Eau de Cologne and other toilet waters; cosmetics and products for the can of the skin, hair and nails; toothpowders and toothpastes, products for oral hygiene; room deodorisers, prepared, whether or not perfumed
Chapter 34	Soap, organic surface-active agents, washing preparations, lubricating preparations, artificial waxes, prepared waxes, polishing and scouring preparations, candles and similar articles, modelling pastes and 'dental waxes'
Chapter 35	Albuminoidal substances, excluding ovalbumin and lactalbumin; glues, enzymes
Chapter 36	Explosives; pyrotechnic products; matches; pyrophoric alloys; certain combustible preparations
Chapter 37	
37.03	Sensitized paper; paperboard and cloth, unexposed or exposed but not developed
Chapter 38	
, 38.03	Activated carbon; activated natural mineral products; animal black, including spent animal black
<b>38.09</b>	Wood tar; wood tar oils (other than the composite solvents and thinners falling within heading No 38.18); wood creosote; wood naphtha; acetone oil; vegetable pitch of all kinds; brewers' pitch and similar compounds based on rosin or on vegetable pitch; foundry core binders based on natural resinous products
ex 38.11	Disinfectants, insecticides, rat poisons, pesticides and similar products, put up in the form of articles such as suiphur-treated bands, wicks and candles, fly-papers, sticks coated with hexacillorodyclohexane (BHC) and the like; preparations consisting of an active product (such as DDT) mixed with other materials and put up in aerosol containers ready for use
38.18	Composite solvents and thinners for varnishes and similar products
ex 38.19	Preparations known as 'liquids for hydraulic transmission' (in particular for hydraulic brakes) containing less than 70 % by weight of petroleum oils or of oils obtained from bituminous minerals
Chapter 39	
ex 39.02	Polyvinyl chloride
ex 39.01	
ex 39.02	Polystyrene in all its forms; other plastic materials, cellulose ethers and esters, artificial resins, excluding:
ex 39.03	(a) those in the form of granules, flakes, powders, waste and scrap to be
ex 39.04 ex 39.05	used as raw materials for the manufacture of the products mentioned in this Chapter
ex 39.06	(b) ion exchangers
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Brussels Nomenclature heading No (NCCC)	Description
ex 39.07	Articles of materials of the kinds described in heading Nos 39.01 to 39.06, excluding fans and hand screens, non-mechanical, frames and handles therefor and parts of such frames and handles, and spools, reels and similar supports for photographic and cinematographic film or for tapes, films and the like falling within heading No 92.12
Chapter 40	Rubber, synthetic rubber, factice, and articles thereof, excluding heading Nos 40.01, 40.02, 40.03 and 40.04, latex (ex 40.06), solutions and dispersions (ex 40.06), protective clothing for surgeons and radiologists and divers suits (ex 40.13), and bulk forms or blocks, scrap, waste and powder of hardened rubber (ebonite and vulcanite) (ex 40.15)
Chapter 41	Raw hides and skins (other than furskins) and leather, excluding parchment-dressed leather and articles falling within heading Nos 41.01 and 41.09
Chapter 42	Articles of leather; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk worm gut)
Chapter 43	Furskins and artificial fur; manufactures thereof
Chapter 44	Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal, excluding heading No 44.07, articles of fibre building board (ex 44.21, ex 44.23, ex 44.27, ex 44.28), spools, reels and similar supports for photographic and cinematographic film or for tapes, films and the like falling within heading No 92.12 (ex 44.26) and wood paving blocks (ex 44.28)
Chapter 45	
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45.03	Articles of natural cork
45.04 •	Agglomerated cork (being cork agglomerated with or without a binding substance) and articles of agglomerated cork
Chapter 46	Manufacture of straw, of esparto and of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork, excluding plaits and similar products of plaiting materials, for all uses, whether or not assembled into strips (ex 46.02)
Chapter 48	
ex 48.01	Paper and paperboard (including cellulose wadding), in rolls or sheets, excluding the following products;
``	<ul> <li>Ordinary newsprint made from chemical and mechanical pulp, weighing not more than 60 g/m<sup>3</sup></li> </ul>
	— Magazine paper
	Cigarette paper Tissue paper
,	- Filter paper
,	— Cellulose wadding     — Hand-made paper and paperboard
48.03	Parchment or greaseproof paper and paperboard, and imitations thereof, and glazed transparent paper, in rolls or sheets
48.04	Composite paper or paperboard (made by sticking flat layers together with an adhesive), not surface-coated or impregnated, whether or not internally reinforced, in rolls or sheets
ex 48.05	Paper and paperboard, corrugated (with or without flat surface sheets) embossed in rolls or sheets

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ex 48.07	Paper and paperboard, impregnated, coated, surface-coloured, surface-decorated or printed (not constituting printed matter within Chapter 49) in roils or sheets, excluding squared paper, gold paper or silver paper and imitations thereof, transfer paper, indicator paper and unsensitized photographic paper
ex 48.13	Carbon paper
EX 70.13	Carbon paper
48.14	Writing blocks, envelopes, letter cards, plain postcards, correspondence cards; boxes, pouches, wallets and writing compendiums, of paper or paperboard, containing only an assortment of paper stationery
ex 48.15	Other paper or paperboard, cut to size or shape, excluding cigarette paper, tapes for teletype machines, perforated tapes for monotype machines and calculating machines, filter papers and filter boards (including those for cigarette filter tips) and gummed strip
48.16	Boxes, bags and other packing containers, of paper or paperboard; box files, letter trays, storage boxes and similar articles, of paper or paperboard, of a kind commonly used in offices, shops and the like
48.18	Registers, exercise books, note books, memorandum blocks, order books, receipt books, diaries, blotting pads, binders (loose-leaf or other), file covers and other stationery of paper or paperboard; Sample and other albums and book covers, of paper or paperboard
48.19	Paper or paperboard labels, whether or not printed or gummed
ex 48.21	Lamp shades; tablecloths and serviences, handkerchiefs and towels; dishes, plates, cups, table-mats, bottle-mats, glass-nats
Chapter 49	a .
ex 49.01	Printed books, booklets, brochures and leaflets in the Greek language
ex 49.03	Children's picture books and painting books, printed wholly or partly in the Greek language
ex 49.07	Stamps not intended for public service
49.09	Picture postcards, Christmas and other picture greeting cards, printed by any process, with or without trimmings
ex 49.10	Calendars of any kind, of paper or paperboard, including calendar blocks, but excluding calendars intended for publicity purposes, in other languages than Greek
ex 49.11	Other printed matter, including printed pictures and photographs, but excluding the following articles:
	- Theatrical and photographic studio scenery
	- Printed matter for publicity purposes (including travel publicity), printed in other languages than Greek
Chapter 50	Silk'and waste silk
Chapter 51	Man-made fibres (continuous)
Chapter 52	Metallized textiles

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Chapter 53	Wool and other animal hair, excluding raw, bleached and undyed products of heading Nos 53.01, 53.02, 53.03 and 53.04
Chapter 54	Flax and ramie, excluding heading No 54.01
Chapter 55	Cotton
Chapter 56	Man-made fibres (discontinuous)
Chapter 57	Other vegetable textile materials, excluding No 57.01; paper yarn and woven fabrics of paper yarn
Chapter 58	Carpets, mats, matting and tapestries; pile and chenille fabrics; narrow fabrics; trimmings; tulle and other net fabrics; lace; embroidery
Chapter 59	Wadding and felt; twine, cordage, ropes and cables; special fabrics; impregnated and coated fabrics; textile articles of a kind suitable for industrial use
Chapter 60	Knitted and crocheted goods
Chapter 61	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories of textile fabric, other than knitted or crocheted goods
Chapter 62	Other made up textile articles, excluding fans and hand screens (ex 62.05)
Chapter 63	Old clothing and other textile articles; rags
Chapter 64	Footwear, gaiters and the like, parts of such articles
Chapter 65	Headgear and parts thereof
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Chapter 66	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
66.01	Umbrellas and sunshades (including walking-stick umbrellas, umbrella tents, and garden and similar umbrellas)
Chapter 67	
<b>ex 67.01</b>	Feather dusters
<b>67.</b> 02	Artificial flowers, foliage or fruit and parts thereof; articles made of artificial flowers, foliage or fruit
Chapter 68	
68.04	Hand polishing stones, whetstones, oilstones, hones and the like, and mill- stones, grindstones, grinding wheels and the like (including grinding, sharpen- ing, polishing, truting and cutting wheels, heads, discs and points), of natural
•	stone (agglomerated or not), of agglomerated natural or artificial abrasives, or of pottery, with or without cores, shanks, sockets, axles and the like of other materials, but without frameworks; segments and other finished parts of such stones and wheels, of natural stone (agglomerated or not), of agglomerated natural or artificial abrasives, or of pottery
68.06	Natural or artificial abrasive powder or grain, on a base of woven fabric, of paper, or paperboard or of other materials, whether or not cut to shape or sewn or otherwise made up

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68.09	Panels, boards, tiles, blocks and similar articles of vegetable fibre, of wood fibre, of straw, of wood shavings or of wood waste (including sawdust), agglomerated with cement, plaster or with other mineral binding substances
68.10	Articles of plastering material
68.11	Articles of cement (including slag cement), of concrete or of artificial stone (including granulated marble agglomerated with cement), reinforced or not
68.12	Articles of asbestos-cement, of cellulose fibre-cement or the like
68.14	Friction material (segments, discs, washers, strips, sheets, plates, rolls and the like) of a kind suitable for brakes, for clutches or the like, with a basis of asbestos, other mineral substances or of cellulose, whether or not combined with textile or other materials
Chapter 69	Ceramic products, excluding heading Nos 63.01, 69.02, other than bricks with a basis of magnesite and of magnesito-chromits, 69.03, 69.04 and 59.05, utensils and apparatus fir laboratory and industrial use containers for the transport of acids and other chemical products and articles of a kind is eding the base of neading Nos 69.00, 69.13 and 69.14
Chapter 70	4
70.04	Unworked cast or rolled glass (including flashed or wired glass) whether figured or not, in rectangles
70.05	Unworked drawn or blown glass (including flashed glass) in rectangles
ex 70.06	Cast, rolled, drawn or blown glass (including flashed or wired glass) in rectangles, surface ground or polished, but not further worked, excluding non-wired glass for mirrors
ex 70.07	Cast, rolled, drawn or blown glass (including flashed or wired glass) cut to shape other than rectangular shape, or bent or otherwise worked (for example, edge worked or engraved), whether or not surface ground or polished; leaded lights and the like
70.08	Safety glass consisting of toughened or laminated glass, shaped or not
70.09	Glass mirrors (including rear-view mirrors), unframed, framed or backed
70.10	Carboys, bottles, jars, pots, tubular convainers and similar containers, of glass, of a kind commonly used for the conveyance or packing of goods; stoppers and other closures, of glass
ex 70.13	Glassware (other than articles falling within heading No 70.19) of a kind commonly used for table, kitchen, toilet or office purposes, for indoor decoration, or for similar uses, excluding fire-resisting glassware of a kind commonly used for table or kitchen purposes, with a low coefficient of expansion, similar to Pyrex or Durex
70.14	Illuminating glassware, signalling glassware and optical elements of glass, not optically worked not of optical glass
ex 70.15	Glass of a kind used for sun glasses (but excluding glass suitable for corrective lenses), curved, bent, hollowed and the like
ex 70.16	Multi-cellular glass in blocks, slabs, plates, paneis and similar forms

Brussels Nomenclature beading No (NCCC)	Description
ex 70.17	Laboratory, hygienic and pharmaceutical glassware, whether or not graduated or calibrated, excluding glassware for chemical laboratories; glass ampoules
ex 70.21	Other articles of glass, excluding articles for industry
Chapter 71	
ex 71.12	Articles of jewellery, of silver (including silvergilt or platinum-plated silver), or rolled precious metal on base metal
71.13	Articles of goldsmiths' or silversmiths' wares and parts thereof, of precious metal or rolled precious metal, other than goods falling within heading No 71.12
ex 71.14	Other articles of precious metal or rolled precious metal, excluding articles and utensils for workshops and laboratories
71.16	Imitation jewellery
Chapter 73	Iron and steel and articles thereof, excluding:
•	(a) Products within the jurisdiction of the European Coal and Steel Community, falling within heading Nos 73.01, 73.02, 73.03, 73.05, 73.06, 73.07, 73.08, 73.09, 73.10, 73.11, 73.12, 73.13, 73.15 and 73.16
	(b) Products falling within heading Nos 73.02, 73.05, 73.07 and 73.16 which are not within the jurisdiction of the European Coal and Steel Community
	(c) Heading Nos 73.04, 73.17, 73.19, 73.30, 73.33 and 73.34 and springs and leaves for springs, of iron or steel, for railway coaches, of heading No 73.35
Chapter 74	Copper and articles thereof, excluding copper alloys containing more than 10% by weight of nickel and articles falling within heading Nos 74.01, 74.02, 74.06 and 74.11
Chapter 76	Aluminium and articles thereof, excluding heading Nos 76.01 and 76.05 and spools, reels and similar supports for photographic and cinematographic film or for tapes, films and the like falling within heading No 92.12 (ex 76.16)
Chapter 78	Lead and articles thereof
Chapter 79	Zinc and articles thereof, excluding heading Nos 79.01, 79.02 and 79.03
Chapter 82	
ex 82.01	Hand tools, the following: spades, shovels, picks, hoes, forks and rakes; axes, bill hooks and similar hewing tools; hay knives, grass shears, timber wedges and other tools of a kind used in agriculture, horticulture or forestry
<b>82.02</b>	Saws (non-mechanical) and blades for hand or machine saws (including toothless saw blades)
ex 82.04	Portable forges; grinding wheels with frameworks (hand or pedal operated); articles for domestic use
82.09	Knives with cutting blades, serrated or not (including pruning knives), other than knives falling within heading No 82.06, and blades therefor

Brussels Nomenclature beading No (NCCC)	Description
ex 82.11	Safety razor blades and blanks thereof
ex 82.13	Other articles of cutlery (for example secateurs, hair clippers, butchers' cleavers, paper knives), excluding hand-operated clippers and parts thereof
82.14	Spoons, forks, fish-eaters, butter-knives, ladles, and similar kitchen or table- ware
82.15	Handles of base metal for articles falling within heading Nos 82.09, 82.13 and 82.14
Chapter 83	Miscellaneous articles of base metal, excluding heading No 83.08, statuettes and other ornaments of a kind used indoors (ex 83.06) and beads and spangles (ex 83.09)
Chapter 84	· '
ex 84.06	Spark ignition engines, petrol driven of a cylinder capacity of 220 cc or more; internal combustion engines, semi diesel type; internal combustion engines, diesel type, of 37 kW or less; engines for motor-cycles and auto-cycles
ex 84.10	Pumps (including motor pumps and turbo pumps) for liquids, whether or not fitted with measuring devices
ex 84.11	Air pumps and vacuum pumps (including motor and turbo-pumps); fans, blower and the like, with integral motors, weighing less than 150 kg and fans or blowers without motor, weighing 100 kg or less
ex 84.12	Air-conditioning machines, self-contained, comprising a motor-driven fan and elements for changing the temperature and humidity of air, for domestic use
ex 84.14	Bakery ovens and parts thereof
ex 84.15	Refrigerating cabinets and other refrigerating plant, equipped with a refrigerating unit
ex 84.17	Instantaneous or storage water heaters, non-electrical
84.20	Weighing machinery (excluding balances of a sensitivity of 5 cg or better), including weight-operated counting and checking machines; weighing-machine weights of all kinds
ex 84.21	Mechanical appliances (whether or not hand operated) for projecting, dispersing or spraying liquids or powders, for domestic use; similar hand operated appliances for agricultural use; similar appliances for agricultures, truck mounted, weighing 60 kg or less
ex 84.24	Ploughs designed for tractor or animal draught, weighing 700 kg or less; ploughs designed for mounting on tractors, with two or three shares or discs; harrows designed for tractor or animal draught, with fixed framework and fixed teeth; disc harrows, weighing 700 kg or less
ex 84.25	Threshers; maize huskers and maize threshers; harvesting machinery, animal drawn; straw or fodder presses; fanning mills and similar machines for screening seeds and cereal graders

Brussels Nomenclature heading No (NCCC)	Description	
84.27	Presses, crushers and other machinery, of a kind used in wine making, cider making, fruit juice preparation or the like	
ex 84.28	Seed crushing machines; farm-type milling machines	
84.29	Machinery of a kind used in the bread grain milling industry, and other machinery (other than farm type machinery) for the working of cereals or dried leguminous vegetables	
ex 84.34	Printing type	
ex 84.38	Shuttles; reeds for looms	
ex 84.40	Washing machines, whether or not electric, for domestic use	
ex 84.47	Machine tools for sawing and planing wood, cork, bone, ebonite (vulcanite), hard artificial plastic materials or other hard carving materials, other than machines falling within heading No 84.49	
ex 84.56	Machinery for agglomerating, moulding or shaping ceramic paste, unhardened cements, plastering materials or other mineral products	
ex 84.59	Oil presses and mills; machines for stearin soap manufacture	
84.61	Taps, cocks, valves and similar appliances, for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats and the like, including pressure reducing valves and thermostatically-controlled valves	
ex 84.63	Speed reducers	
Chapter 85		
ex 85.01	Generators of 20 kVA output or less; motors of 74 kW or less; rotary converters of 37 kW or less; transformers and static converters other than for radio-broadcasting, radiotelephonic, radiotelegraphic and television receivers	
85.03	Primary cells and primary batteries	
85.04	Electric accumulators	
ex 85.06	Room fans	
85.10	Portable electric battery and magneto lamps, other than lamps falling within heading No 85.09	
85.12	Electric instantaneous or storage water heaters and immersion heaters; electric soil heating apparatus and electric space heating apparatus; electric hair dressing appliances (for example, hair dryers, hair curlers, curling tong heaters) and electric smoothing irons; electro-thermic domestic appliances; electric heating resistors, other than those of carbon	
ex 85.17	Electric sound signalling apparatus	
ex 85.19	Electrical apparatus for making and breaking electrical circuits, for the protection of electrical circuits, or for making connections to or in electrical circuits (for example, switches, relays, fuses, lightning arresters, surge suppressors, plugs, lamp holders and junction boxes)	
ex 85.20 .	Electric filament lamps and electric discharge lamps, excluding infra-red and ultra-violet lamps	
ex 85.21	Cathode-ray tubes for television sets	
. <b>85.23</b>	Insulated (including enamelled or anodized) electric wire, cable, bars, strip and the like (including co-axial cable), whether or not fixed with connectors	

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Brussels Nomenclanure beading No (NCCC)	Description
<b>85.2</b> 5	Insulators of any material
85.26	Insulating fittings for electrical machines, appliances or equipment, being fittings wholly of insulating material apart from any minor components of metal incorporated during moulding solely for purposes of assembly, but not including insulators falling within heading No 85.25
85.27	Electrical conduit tubing and joints therefor, of base metal lined with insulating material
Chapter 87	· -
ex 87.02	Motor vehicles for the public transport of persons and motor vehicles for the transport of goods or materials (excluding chassis mentioned in Note 2 to Chapter 87)
87.05	Bodies (including cabs), for the motor vehicles falling within heading No 87.01, 87.02 or 87.03
ex 87.06	Chassis without engines, and parts thereof
ex 87.11	Invalid carriages (other than motorized or otherwise mechanically propelled)
ex 87.12	Parts and acessories of invalid carriages (other than motorized or otherwise mechanically propelled)
87.13	Baby carriages and parts thereof
Chapter 89	
ex 89.01 · ·	Lighters and barges; tankers designed to be towed; sailing vessels; inflatable boats of artificial plastic materials
Chapter 90	
ex 90.01	Ophthalmic lenses
90.03	Frames and mountings, and parts thereof, for spectacles, pince-nez, lorgnettes, goggles and the like
<b>90.04</b> ;	Spectacles, pince-nez, lorgnettes, goggles and the like, corrective, protective or other
ex 90.26	Meters for hand-operated petrol pumps and water meters (volumetric and tachometric)
Chapter 92	
92.12	Gramophone records and other sound or similar recordings; matrices for the production of records, prepared record blanks, film for mechanical sound recording, prepared tapes, wires, strips and like articles of a kind commonly used for sound or similar recording
Chapter 93	
ex 93.04	Sporting guns and rifles
ex 93.07	Wads for shotguns; sporting cartridges, cartridges for revolvers, pistols and walking stick guns, ball or shot cartridges for target shooting guns of calibres up to 9 mm; cartridge cases for sporting guns and sporting rifles, of metal and paperboard; bullets, shot and buckshot for sporting guns and sporting rifles
Chapter 94	Furniture and parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings, excluding heading No 94.02

Brussels Nomenclature beading No (NCCC)	Description	
Chapter 96	Brooms, brushes, powder puffs and sieves, excluding prepared knots and tufts for broom or brush making of heading No 96.01 and articles falling within heading Nos 96.05 and 96.06	
Chapter 97	within heading 1405 90.05 and 90.06	
97.01	Wheeled toys designed to be ridden by children (for example, toy bicycles and tricycles, and pedal motor cars); dolls' prams and dolls' push chairs	
97.02	Dolls	
97.03	Other toys; working models of a kind used for recreational purposes	
ex 97.05	Streamers and confetti	
Chapter 98	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, excluding stylograph pens falling within heading No 98.03 and excluding heading Nos 98.04, 98.10, 98.11, 98.14 and 98.15	

CCT beading No	Description	Quotas for the period 1 January to 31 December 1981
31.02	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous	}
31.03	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, phosphatic	
31.05	Other fertilizers; goods of the present Chapter in tablets, lozenges and similar prepared forms or in packings of a gross weight not exceeding 10 kg:	12,340 tonnes
	A. Other fertilizers:	,
r	I. Containing the three fertilizing substances: nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium	
	II. Containing the two fertilizing substances: nitrogen and phosphorus	
	IV. Other	J
ex 73.37	Boilers (excluding boilers of heading No 84.01) and radiators, for central heating, not electrically heated, and parts thereof, of iron or steel; air heaters and hot air distributors (including those which can also distribute cool or conditioned air), not electrically heated, incor-	·
	porating a motor-driven fan or blower, and parts thereof, of iron or steel:	10 goo Gir ==
	— Boilers for central heating	49,800 EUA
ex 84.01	Steam and other vapour generating boilers (excluding central heating hot water boilers capable also of producing low pressure steam); super-heated water boilers:	
	— Of a power of 32 MW or less	101,400 EUA
84.06	Internal combustion piston engines:	
	C. Other engines:	•
1	ex II. Compression ignition engines:	•
	— Of a power of less than 37 kW	279,600 EUA
84.10	Pumps (including motor pumps and turbo pumps) for liquids, whether or not fitted with measuring devices; liquid elevators of bucket, chain, screw, band and similar kinds:	
	ex A. Delivery pumps fitted, or designed to be fitted, with a measuring device, other than pumps for dispensing fuel	1,000,000 EUA
	B. Other pumps	
ı	C. Liquid elevators of bucker, chain, screw, band and similar kinds	
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CCT beading No	Description	Quotas for the period 1 January to 31 December 1981
84.14	Industrial and laboratory furnaces and ovens, non-electric:	·
	ex B. Other:	•
	Parts of steel, for cement ovens	10,000 EUA
ex 84.20	Weighing machinery (excluding balances of a sensitivity of 5 cg or better) including weight-operated counting and checking machines; weighing machine weights of all kinds, other than:	
	— Baby scales	320,000 EUA
	- Precision scales graduated in grams for domestic use	
÷	- Weighing machine weights of all kinds	)
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85.01	Electrical goods of the following descriptions: generators, motors, converters (rotary or static), transformers, rectifiers and rectifying apparatus, inductors:	
•	A. Generators, motors (whether or not equipped with speed reducing, changing or step-up gear) and rotary converters:	
•	ex II. Other:	44,400 EUA
	Motors of an output of not less than 370 W and not more than 15 000 W	
	ex C. Parts:	,
•	- For motors of an output of not less than 370 and not more than 15 000 W	
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<b>85.1</b> 5	Radiotelegraphic and radiotelephonic transmission and reception apparatus, radio-broadcasting and television transmission and reception apparatus (including receivers incorporating sound recorders or reproducers) and television cameras; radio navigational aid apparatus, radar apparatus and radio remote control apparatus:	1
	A. Radiotelegraphic and radiotelephonic transmission and reception apparatus; radio-broadcasting and television transmission and reception apparatus (including receivers incorporating sound recorders or reproducers) and television cameras:	
	ex III. Receivers, whether or not incorporating sound recorders or reproducers:	
	Television	3,048 units 777,300 EUA ( <sup>1</sup> )

<sup>(4)</sup> Additional limitation expressed in terms of value.

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CCT beading No	Description	Quotas for the period 1 January so 31 December 1981
87.05 (cont'd)		•
	- Motor vehicles for the transport of goods or materials, with either a spark ignition engine of a cylinder capacity of less than 2 800 cc or a compression ignition engine of a cylinder capacity of less than 2 500 cc,	
	Special purpose motor lorries and vans of beading No 87.03 (a)	AU3 008,0
	ex B. Other:	
· .	Bodies and cabs of metal, other than for motor vehicles for the transport of persons, with a seating capacity of six or less	,

(a) Entry under this subheading is subject to conditions to be determined by the competent authorities.

# INCREASE OF COMMUNITY CEILINGS

CCT heading No	Description	Amount in tonnes
1	2	3
48.01	Paper and paperboard (including cellulose wadding), in rolls or sheets: ex F. Other: - Printing paper and writing paper, containing more than 5% of mechanical wood pulp	4.303
48.07	Paper and paperboard, impregnated, coated, surface-coloured, surface-decorated or printed (not constituting printed matter within Chapter 49), in rolls or sheets:	·
	D. Other:	
-	- Coated printing or writing paper	4.861
.1.1	C. Bleached paper and paperboard, coated with kaolin, or coated or impregnated with artificial plastic materials, weighing 160 grams or more per m	1.612
	D. Other, excluding coated printing or writing paper	
48,15	Other paper and paperboard, cut to size or shape:	
	B. Other	175

COMMISSION
OF THE
EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

Brussels.

Sir,

During the negotiations between your country and the Community on the subject of the adaptation of the Free Trade Agreement concluded between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria in view of Greece's accession to the Community, your delegation expressed its desire to be able, for the length of the transitional measures, to protect certain sensitive products from the risks of increased imports originating from Greece, which might be seriously detrimental to the relevant production activity in your country, or create serious disturbances in any sector of your economy.

I am pleased to be able to confirm that in such cases, the Community would agree to seek solutions acceptable to the contracting parties, in accordance with the principles of our Free Trade Agreement, as with the rules and procedures laid down in Article 27, and in particular its paragraph 2, of this Agreement.

Greece, for her part, has expressed similar fears concerning imports originating from your country.

I would be grateful if you would confirm that in such cases, the Austrian Authorities would agree to seek acceptable solutions in the same spirit and way as mentioned above.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

Pierre Duchateau
Head of the Community
Delegation

H.E. Mr. Georg Seyffertitz Ambassador Head of the Austrian Delegation

# ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL

TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE MEMBER STATES OF THE EUROPEAN
COAL AND STEEL COMMUNITY AND THE EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL
COMMUNITY, OF THE ONE PART, AND THE REPUBLIC OF AUSTRIA,
OF THE OTHER PART, CONSEQUENT ON THE ACCESSION OF THE
HELLENIC REPUBLIC TO THE COMMUNITY

THE KINGDOM OF BELGIUM.

THE KINGDOM OF DENMARK,

THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY,

THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

IRELAND.

THE ITALIAN REPUBLIC.

THE GRAND DUCHY OF LUXEMBOURG.

THE KINGDON OF THE NETHERLANDS.

THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAN AND NORTHERN IRELAND.

being members of the European Coal and Steel Community,

THE EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL COMMUNITY

and THE HELLENIC REPUBLIC acceding to the European Coal and Steel Community,

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of the one part,
and THE REPUBLIC OF AUSTRIA,
of the other part,

CONSIDERING the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the European Communities on 1 January 1981

HAVING REGARD to the Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the European Coal and Steel Community, of the one part, and the Republic of Austria, of the other part, signed at Brussels on 22 July 1972, and hereinafter called the "Agreement",

HAVE DECIDED to determine by common accord the adjustments and transitional measures to the Agreement consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the European Coal and Steel Community

and TO CONCLUDE THIS PROTOCOL:

## Article 1

The Hellenic Republic hereby accedes to the Agreement.

# TITLE I

# Adjustments

# Article 2

The text of the Agreement shall be drawn up in Greek and that text shall be authentic in the same way as the original texts. The Joint Committee shall approve the Greek text.

## TITLE II

### Transitional Measures

## Article 3

For the products covered by the Agreement, the Hellenic Republic, as regards Austria, and the Republic of Austria, as regards the Hellenic Republic, shall progressively abolish customs duties on imports in accordance with the following timetable:

- on 1 January 1981 each duty shall be reduced to 90 % of the basic duty;
- on 1 January 1982 each duty shall be reduced to 80 % of the basic duty;
- the four other reductions of 20 % each shall be made on :
  - 1 January 1983.
  - 1 January 1984,
  - 1 January 1985,
  - 1 January 1986.

#### Article 4

The basic duty to which the successive reductions provided for in Article 3 are to be applied shall, for each product, be the duty actually applied on 1 July 1980.

## Article 5

- 1. The Hellenic Republic shall progressively abolish charges having equivalent effect to customs duties on imports of products originating in Austria in accordance with the following timetable:
  - on 1 January 1981, each charge shall be reduced to 90 % of the basic rate;
  - on 1 January 1982, each charge shall be reduced to 80 % of the basic rate;
  - the four other reductions of 20 % each shall be made on:
    - 1 January 1983,
    - 1 January 1984,
    - 1 January 1985,
    - 1 January 1986.
- 2. The basic rate to which the successive reductions provided for in paragraph 1 are to be applied shall, for each product, be the rate applied by the Hellenic Republic on 31 December 1980.
- 3. Any charge having equivalent effect to a customs duty on imports introduced as from 1 January 1979, in trade between the Hellenic Republic and Austria shall be abolished on 1 January 1981.

#### Article 6

If the Hellenic Republic suspends or reduces duties or charges having equivalent effect on products imported from the Community as at present constituted more quickly than under the established timetable, the Hellenic Republic shall also suspend or reduce, to the same level, those duties or charges having equivalent effect on products originating in Austria.

# Article 7

1. Import deposits and cash payments in force in Greece on 31 December 1980 with regard to products originating in Austria shall be progressively eliminated over a period of three years from 1 January 1981.

The rate of import deposits and cash payments shall be reduced in accordance with the following timetable:

- 1 January 1981 : 25 %,
- 1 January 1982 : 25 %,
- 1 January 1983 : 25 %,
- 1 January 1984 : 25 %.
- 2. If, in respect of the Community as at present constituted, the Hellenic Republic reduces the rate of import deposits or cash payments more quickly than under the timetable set out in paragraph 1, the Hellenic Republic shall make the same reduction with regard to imports originating in Austria.

# Article 8

Until 31 December 1985 iron and steel undertakings in Greece are authorised to apply the system of multiple points for basing their price lists.

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#### TITLE III

#### GENERAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS

#### Article 9

The Joint Committee shall make any amendments which may be necessary to the origin rules consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the European Communities.

### Article 10

The exchang of letters, annexed to this Protocol, forms an integral part thereof. This Protocol forms an integral part of the Agreement.

#### Article 11

This Protocol shall be approved by the contracting Parties in accordance with their own procedures. It shall enter into force on 1 January 1981, provided that the contracting Parties have notified each other before that date that the procedures necessary to this end have been completed. After this date the Protocol shall enter into force on the first day of the second month following such notification.

# Article 12

This Protocol is drawn up in duplicate, in the Danish, Dutch, English, French, German, Greek and Italian languages, each of these texts being equally authentic.

COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

Sir,

With reference to Article 20, paragraph 2, second and last subparagraph, of the Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the European Coal and Steel Community, of the one part, and the Republic of Austria, of the other part, and to the Additional Protocol to the aforementioned Agreement signed today I have the honour to forward to you herewith the text of Article 129 (2) of the Act concerning the conditions of accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community and the adjustments to the Treaties.

"2. Until 31 December 1985 the prices charged by undertakings in the present Member States for sales of iron and steel products on the Greek market, reduced to their equivalent at the point chosen for their price list, may not be below the prices shown in the price list in question for comparable transactions, save when authorization has been given by the Commission, in agreement with the Hellenic Government, without prejudice to the last subparagraph of Article 60 (2) (b) of the ECSC Treaty. Undertakings in the present Member States shall retain the right to align their delivered prices in Greece on those charged there by third countries for the same products.

The first subparagraph shall only concern alignment on price lists of producers in the present Member States and Greece for products actually produced in Greece on 1 January 1981. A list of such products will be published by the Commission on that date."

The Community will inform Austria immediately on authorizations given to Community undertakings under the above mentioned Article of the Act of Accession. Moreover, the Community will provide Austria with the list of products mentioned in Article 129 (2) of the Act.

I should be grateful if you would kindly acknowledge receipt of this letter.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

Pierre Duchateau
Head of the Community
Delegation

H.E. Mr. Georg Seyffertitz Ambassador Head of the Austrian Delegation