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Report

drawn up on behalf of the Committee on Economic
and Monetary Affairs

on the proposal from the Commission of the European
Communities to the Council (Doc. 1-198/84 -
COM(84) 182 final) for a directive amending Directive
69/169/EEC on the harmonization of provisions laid down
by law, regulation or administrative action relating to
exemption from turnover tax and excise duty on imports
in international travel

Rapporteur: Mr J. MOREAU

By letter of 19 April 1984, the President of the Council of the European Communities requested the European Parliament to deliver an opinion on the proposal for a Council directive amending Directive 69/169/EEC on the harmonization of provisions laid down by law, regulation or administrative action relating to exemption from turnover tax and excise duty on imports in international travel.

The President of the European Parliament referred this proposal to the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs as the committee responsible.

At its meeting of 21/22 March 1984, the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs appointed Mr Jacques Moreau rapporteur.

The committee considered the Commission proposal and the draft report at its meeting of 26 April 1984.

At the latter meeting the committee decided unanimously to recommend that Parliament adopt the Commission proposal without amendment.

The committee then unanimously adopted the motion for a resolution as a whole.

The following took part in the vote: Mr J. Moreau, chairman and rapporteur; Mr von Bismarck, Mr Bonaccini, Mr Delorozoy, Mr Moreland (deputizing for Ms Forster), Mrs Kalliopi Nikolaou (deputizing for Mr Cingari), Mr Papantoniou, Mr Rogalla (deputizing for Mr Schinzel), Mr Welsh and Mr von Wogau.

The explanatory statement will be presented orally in plenary sitting.

This report was tabled on 2 May 1984.

The deadline for tabling amendments to this report is shown on the draft agenda for the part-session at which it will be debated.

The Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs hereby submits to the European Parliament the following motion for a resolution:

MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

closing the procedure for consultation of the European Parliament on the proposal from the Commission of the European Communities to the Council for a directive amending Directive 69/169/EEC on the harmonization of provisions laid down by law, regulation or administrative action relating to exemption from turnover tax and excise duty on imports in international travel

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the proposal from the Commission to the Council (COM(84) 182 final),
 - having been consulted by the Council pursuant to Articles 99 and 100 of the EEC Treaty (Doc. 1-198/84)
 - having regard to the report of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs (Doc. 1-209/84)
 - having regard to the result of the vote on the Commission's proposal for a directive,
1. Approves the proposed gradual increase in allowances, while regretting the delay in bringing the law into line with the actual situation;
 2. Instructs its President to forward to the Council, the Commission and the governments of the Member States, as Parliament's opinion, the Commission's proposal as voted by Parliament and the corresponding resolution.

