

# COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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## PROPPSAL FOR A COUNCIL DECISION

including the Agreement in the form of  
an exchange of letters amending the Agreement concerning  
an interim extension of the Protocol annexed to the Agreement  
between the Government of the Republic of Senegal and the  
Economic Community on fishing off the coast of Senegal

(submitted to the Council by the Comission)

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## EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Pending the conclusion of negotiations on the conditions for the continuation of the fisheries agreement between the EEC and Senegal, the Council approved on 27 July 1981 an agreement on the provisional prolongation for 3 months (15 June - 15 September 1981) of the protocol annexed to the agreement between the EEC and Senegal.

The negotiations referred to above were not completed by 15 September 1981. However the two parties agreed to prolong the said protocol for an additional provisional period of two months.

The purpose of the present draft is to modify the agreement on the provisional prolongation by extending the period of provisional application from 3 to 5 months.

The fishing rights used up and the compensation payable under these interim arrangements will have to be taken into account in any definitive arrangements resulting from the current negotiations.

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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN  
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European  
Economic Community,

Having regard to the Agreement between the Govern-  
ment of the Republic of Senegal and the European  
Economic Community on fishing off the coast of  
Senegal (1), and in particular Article 17 §2 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the European Economic Community and  
Senegal have begun the negotiations provided for in  
Article 17 §2 of the said Agreement in order to  
determine the amendments or additions to be made  
to the Annexes or the Protocol referred to in Article 9  
of that Agreement;

Whereas by Council decision 81/600/EEC  
(2), the Agreement in the  
form of an exchange of letters concern-  
ing an interim extension of the Proto-  
col annexed to the abovementioned  
Agreement has been approved;

Whereas the said  
Protocol has been extended for an in-  
terim period of three months up to 15  
September 1981 pending the final out-  
come of the negotiations;

Whereas these negotiations were not  
concluded before 15 September 1981 the  
two Parties have therefore agreed to  
extend the said Protocol with an addi-  
tional interim period of two months,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS :

Article 1

The Agreement in the form of an ex-  
change of letters amending the Agree-  
ment concerning an interim extension  
of the Protocol

annexed to the Agreement between the Government  
of the Republic of Senegal and the European  
Economic Community on fishing off the coast of  
Senegal is hereby approved on behalf of the Commu-  
nity.

The text of the Agreement is attached to this Deci-  
sion.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorized to  
designate the persons empowered to sign the Agree-  
ment binding the Community.

Done at Brussels,

For the Council,  
The President.

(1) OJ No L 226, 29.8.1980, p. 17.

(2) OJ No L 220, 6.8.1981, p. 34.

AGREEMENT

in the form of an exchange of letters amending the Agreement concerning an interim extension of the Protocol annexed to the Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Senegal and the European Economic Community on fishing off the coast of Senegal

A. Letter from the Community

Sir,

I have the honour to confirm that we have agreed to amend the Agreement concerning an interim extension of the Protocol to the Agreement on fishing between the Government of the Republic of Senegal and the European Economic Community as follows :

in the first sentence of paragraph 1 of the exchange of letters of.....  
the words "a period of three months" are replaced by "a period of five months".

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

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

On behalf of the Council  
of the European Communities

B. Letter from the Government of the Republic of Senegal

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of today's date, which reads as follows :

"I have the honour to confirm that we have agreed to amend the Agreement concerning an interim extension of the Protocol to the Agreement on fishing between the Government of the Republic of Senegal and the European Economic Community as follows :

in the first sentence of paragraph 1 of the exchange of letters of..... the words "a period of three months" are replaced by "a period of five months".

I should be obliged if you would acknowledge receipt of this letter."

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

For the Government of the  
Republic Senegal

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT

DATE :

1. BUDGET LINE CONCERNED : 8920

2. ACTION : Fishery agreement EEC-Senegal - interim arrangement

3. LEGAL BASIS : Art. 17 - Fishery agreement EEC-Senegal and annexed Protocol.

4. OBJECTIVES : Financial compensation for fishing rights for the period 15 September - 15 November 1981.

5. FINANCIAL CONSEQUENCE	FOR THE MARKETING YEAR	CURRENT FINANCIAL YEAR	FOLLOWING FINANCIAL YEAR
5.0 EXPENDITURE - CHARGED TO THE EC BUDGET (REFUNDS/INTERVENTIONS)	687.500 EUA		
5.1 RECEIPTS			

YEAR ..... YEAR ..... YEAR .....

5.0.1 PLURIANNUAL PATTERN OF EXPENDITURE

5.1.1 PLURIANNUAL PATTERN OF RECEIPTS

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**5.2 METHOD OF CALCULATION**

Annual financial compensation according to the protocol annexed to the agreement EEC-Senegal = 1,250 mio, FCfa equalling approx. 4.125 mio EUA ; one sixth of this sum for the interim period.

6.0 FINANCING POSSIBLE WITH CREDITS INSCRIBED IN RELEVANT CHAPTER OF CURRENT BUDGET ? YES/NO

6.1 FINANCING POSSIBLE BY TRANSFER BETWEEN CHAPTERS OF CURRENT BUDGET ? YES/NO

6.2 NECESSITY FOR A SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ? YES/NO

6.3 CREDITS TO BE WRITTEN INTO FUTURE BUDGETS ? YES/NO

COMMENTS :

