

COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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PROPOSAL FOR A REGULATION
INTRODUCING SPECIAL AND TEMPORARY MEASURES APPLICABLE
TO THE RECRUITMENT OF OFFICIALS OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE ACCESSION OF THE
HELLENIC REPUBLIC

(presented by the Commission to the Council)

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EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Greek accession on 1 January 1981 will cause administrative problems regarding the recruitment of nationals of the new Member State. This Commission proposal is designed to deal with these problems.

The need to recruit nationals of the new Member State efficiently and quickly requires some temporary derogations from the Staff Regulations.

Article 1

The first paragraph of this Article permits a number of derogations from the Staff Regulations, but these are limited in three ways:

- (a) they apply to only those posts that are specifically "reserved" for nationals of the new Member State;
- (b) they concern only a limited number of Articles of the Staff Regulations, viz:
 - Article 4, second and third paragraphs (publication of vacancies);
 - Article 7(1) (appointment without regard to nationality);
 - Article 27, third paragraph (prohibition on reserving posts for nationals of a specific Member State);
 - Article 29(1)(a), (b) and (c) (the stages in the recruitment procedure and the order in which they are to be undertaken);
- (c) they are of limited duration, expiring on 31 December 1982.

Paragraph 1 is designed to speed up recruitment and paragraph 2 provides that appointments to grades other than A1 and A2 shall be made after a competition organized in accordance with Annex III to the Staff Regulations.

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Regulation

introducing special and temporary measures applicable to the recruitment of officials of the European Communities in consequence of the accession of the Hellenic Republic

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing a Single Council and a Single Commission of the European Communities, and in particular Article 24 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission, made after consulting the Staff Regulations Committee,

Having regard to the Opinion of the European Parliament,

Having regard to the Opinion of the Court of Justice,

Whereas, in consequence of the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Communities, special measure derogating from the Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Communities should be adopted on a temporary basis,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. Notwithstanding the second and third paragraphs of Article 4, Article 7(1), the third paragraph of Article 27 and Article 29(1)(a), (b) and (c) of the Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Communities, provision may be made until 31 December 1982 for vacant posts to be filled by Greek nationals up to the number of posts set aside for this purpose in the context of budgetary deliberations within the relevant institution.

Except in the case of posts in Grades A1 and A2, vacant posts shall be adequately advertised both inside the Community institutions and outside.

2. Appointments to Grades A3, A4, A5, A6, A7, A8, L/A3, L/A4, L/A5, L/A6, L/A7, L/A8, B1, B2, B3, B4, B5, C1, C2, C3, C4, C5, D1, D2, D3 and D4 shall be made after a competition organized in accordance with the provisions of Annex III to the Staff Regulations.

Article 2

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

