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On 9 July 1987 the European Community and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan signed at Ambassador level:

- an Additional Protocol to the EEC-Jordan Co-operation Agreement, the signatories being:

= for the European Community:

.. H.E. Mr Jakob Esper LARSEN, Ambassador of the Kingdom of Denmark and Chairman of the Permanent Representatives Committee;

.. Mr Jean DURIEUX, Special Adviser with responsibility for North-South relations and Mediterranean policy at the Commission;

= for Jordan, H.E. Mr Hassan ABU NIMAH, Ambassador;

- a Protocol to the EEC-Jordan Co-operation Agreement following the accession of Spain and Portugal to the Community, to which the Permanent Representatives of the Member States were also signatories.

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The Protocols confirm the principle of unrestricted duty-free access to the Community for industrial products, while progressively extending this to Spain and Portugal.

For agricultural products they lay down a set of measures designed to maintain traditional patterns of trade in the new situation brought about by the enlargement of the Community.
