

DECISION No 1/76 OF THE COUNCIL OF ASSOCIATION

of 29 June 1976

derogating from the concept of 'originating products' for reception apparatus
falling within heading No 85.15 of the Brussels Tariff Nomenclature

THE COUNCIL OF ASSOCIATION,

Having regard to the Agreement establishing an association between the European Economic Community and Malta, signed in Valletta on 5 December 1970,

Having regard to the Protocol laying down certain provisions relating to the Agreement establishing an association between the European Economic Community and Malta, signed in Brussels on 4 March 1976, (hereinafter called the 'Protocol of 4 March 1976'), and in particular Article 25 of the Protocol concerning the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation (hereinafter called the 'origin Protocol'),

Whereas by the Declaration annexed to the Protocol of 4 March 1976, the Community declared that, for the purpose of applying Article 25 of the origin Protocol, it was prepared to examine any request by Malta for derogations to the origin Protocol for biscuits falling within heading No 19.08, embroidery falling within heading No 58.10 and radios falling within heading No 85.15 which are already being exported from Malta to the Community; whereas this examination has been carried out with a view to allowing the derogation to enter into force on the same date as the Protocol of 4 March 1976; whereas this examination has revealed that for biscuits falling within heading No 19.08 and embroidery falling

within heading No 58.10 no derogation is necessary at present because the products made in Malta satisfy the definition of the concept of 'originating products' laid down in the origin Protocol; whereas, however, for radios falling within heading No 85.15 it is necessary to provide for a derogation from that definition,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

By way of derogation from the particular provisions concerning the percentage of 3 % of the value of non-originating transistors laid down for heading No 85.15 of the Brussels Tariff Nomenclature in List A annexed to the origin Protocol, reception apparatus falling within this heading made in Malta shall be considered as products originating in Malta, provided that the other conditions relating to this heading are satisfied.

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on 1 July 1976.

It shall apply until 30 June 1977.

Done at Brussels, 29 June 1976.

*The President
of the Council of Association*

J. DONDELINGER