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COUNCIL

COUNCIL DECISION

of 5 March 1973

concluding an Agreement between the European Economic Community and the World Food Programme on the supply of cereals as food aid to developing countries

(73/113/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 113, 114 and 228 thereof;

Having regard to the recommendation from the Commission;

Whereas the European Economic Community has filed a declaration of provisional application of the 1971 Food Aid Convention; whereas that Convention takes effect from 1 July 1971;

Whereas the World Food Programme has given notice of its requirements in cereals for the purpose of meeting emergency food requirements and of carrying out projects for economic and social development in developing countries, and whereas for that purpose a quantity of products equivalent to 15 000 metric tons of unprocessed cereals should be made available to the World Food Programme, under the 1971/72 Community Food Aid Programme;

Article 1

The Agreement between the European Economic Community and the World Food Programme on the supply of cereals as food aid to developing countries, the text of which is annexed, is hereby concluded on behalf of the European Economic Community.

Article 2

The President of the Council is authorized to designate the persons empowered to sign the Agreement and to confer upon them the powers required in order to bind the Community.

Done at Brussels, 5 March 1973.

For the Council

The President

R. VAN ELSLANDE