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COUNCIL

COUNCIL DECISION

of 15 December 1981

on the conclusion of a Community-COST Concertation Agreement on a concerted action project in the field of treatment and use of sewage sludge

(COST Project 68ter)

(81/1063/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Decision 81/213/EEC of 3 March 1981 adopting a sectoral research and development programme in the field of environment (environmental protection and climatology) — indirect and concerted actions — (1981 to 1985) ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 8 (1) thereof,

Having regard to the draft Decision submitted by the Commission,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 8 (2) of Decision 81/213/EEC, the Commission has negotiated an Agreement with certain non-member States participating in European Cooperation in the field of Scientific and Technical Research (COST) with a view to associating them wholly or partly with this programme;

Whereas this Agreement should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Community-COST Concertation Agreement on a concerted action project in the field of treatment and use of sewage sludge (COST Project 68ter) is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

The text of the Agreement is attached hereto.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorized to designate the persons empowered to sign the Agreement in order to bind the Community.

Done at Brussels, 15 December 1981.

For the Council
The President
D. HOWELL

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 101, 11. 4. 1981, p. 1.