Declaration by the European Economic Community

on the participation of Spain and Portugal in the resources available under the European Social Fund

With a view to ensuring that Portugal and the region of Spain which may be eligible for the increased intervention rate are treated according to the same principles as the regions concerned of the present Community as from accession, the Community shall, before accession, make a start on adapting the relevant provisions of the rules governing the European Social Fund pursuant to the procedure applicable for their adoption.

Declaration by the European Economic Community

on the participation of Spain and Portugal in the benefits derived from the resources of the European Regional Development Fund

In order to ensure that Spain and Portugal participate in the benefits derived from the resources of the European Regional Development Fund as from accession, the Community will, before accession, adapt the provisions of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1787/84 of 19 June 1984 on the European Regional Development Fund, which fix the upper and lower limits of the range allocated to each Member State.

Declaration by the European Economic Community

on supplies to the sugar refining industry in Portugal

The Community is prepared to pay particular attention to the supply situation of Portuguese refineries in future reviews of the common organization of the market in that sector.

In addition, the Community is prepared to carry out, before the end of the transitional period, an overall examination of the supply situation of the refining industry in the Community and in particular of the Portuguese industry, on the basis of a report from the Commission accompanied if necessary by proposals permitting the Council to decide, if need be, on the measures to be taken.

Declaration by the European Economic Community

on Community aid for monitoring and supervising the waters

The Community confirms Community support for monitoring and supervising waters falling under the sovereignty or within the jurisdiction of Portugal, may be envisaged.