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I

(Information)

COMMISSION

Ecu ⁽¹⁾

30 June 1989

(89/C 164/01)

Currency amount for one ecu:

Belgian and Luxembourg franc con.	43,2974	Spanish peseta	131,581
Belgian and Luxembourg franc fin.	43,3265	Portuguese escudo	173,147
German mark	2,06770	United States dollar	1,05900
Dutch guilder	2,33055	Swiss franc	1,77118
Pound sterling	0,683449	Swedish krona	7,03073
Danish krone	8,04631	Norwegian krone	7,55440
French franc	7,02120	Canadian dollar	1,26593
Italian lira	1495,95	Austrian schilling	14,5634
Irish pound	0,777479	Finnish markka	4,65962
Greek drachma	178,135	Japanese yen	152,285
		Australian dollar	1,40173
		New Zealand dollar	1,84656

The Commission has installed a telex with an automatic answering device which gives the conversion rates in a number of currencies. This service is available every day from 3.30 p.m. until 1 p.m. the following day.

Users of the service should do as follows:

- call telex number Brussels 23789;
- give their own telex code;
- type the code 'cccc' which puts the automatic system into operation resulting in the transmission of the conversion rates of the ecu;
- the transmission should not be interrupted until the end of the message, which is marked by the code 'ffff'.

Note: The Commission also has an automatic telex answering service (No 21791) providing daily data on calculation of monetary compensatory amounts for the purposes of the common agricultural policy.

⁽¹⁾ Council Regulation (EEC) No 3180/78 of 18 December 1978 (OJ No L 379, 30. 12. 1978, p. 1), as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2626/84 (OJ No L 247, 16. 9. 1984, p. 1).

Council Decision 80/1184/EEC of 18 December 1980 (Convention of Lomé) (OJ No L 349, 23. 12. 1980, p. 34).

Commission Decision No 3334/80/ECSC of 19 December 1980 (OJ No L 349, 23. 12. 1980, p. 27).

Financial Regulation of 16 December 1980 concerning the general budget of the European Communities (OJ No L 345, 20. 12. 1980, p. 23).

Council Regulation (EEC) No 3308/80 of 16 December 1980 (OJ No L 345, 20. 12. 1980, p. 1).

Decision of the Council of Governors of the European Investment Bank of 13 May 1981 (OJ No L 311, 30. 10. 1981, p. 1).

Communication of Decisions under sundry tendering procedures in agriculture (cereals)

(89/C 164/02)

(See notice in Official Journal of the European Communities No L 360 of 21 December 1982, page 43)

Standing invitation to tender	Weekly invitation to tender	
	Date of Commission Decision	Maximum refund
Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1623/89 of 9 June 1989 on a special intervention measure for barley in Spain (OJ No L 159 of 10. 6. 1989, p. 24)	29. 6. 1989	Tenders rejected
Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1624/89 of 9 June 1989 opening an invitation to tender for the refund and/or levy for the export of barley to countries of zones I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII, the German Democratic Republic and the Canary Islands (OJ No L 159 of 10. 6. 1989, p. 27)	29. 6. 1989	ECU 37,90/tonne
Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1625/89 of 9 June 1989 opening an invitation to tender for the refund and/or levy for the export of common wheat to countries of zones I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII, the German Democratic Republic and the Canary Islands (OJ No L 159 of 10. 6. 1989, p. 30)	29. 6. 1989	ECU 17,49/tonne

Commission communication pursuant to Article 17 (3) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 4259/88 of 19 December 1988 applying generalized tariff preferences for 1989 to textile products originating in developing countries

(89/C 164/03)

Pursuant to Article 17 (3) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 4259/88 of 19 December 1988 (OJ No L 375, 31. 12. 1988, p. 83), the Commission gives notice that the following tariff ceilings have been reached:

Order No	Category	Origin	Amount of ceiling
40.0170	17	Pakistan	77 000 pieces
40.0190	19	Pakistan	1 663 000 pieces
40.0240	24	India	475 000 pieces
40.0420	42	India	71 tonnes
40.0560	56	Hong Kong	10 tonnes
40.0590	59	Mexico	295 tonnes
40.0650	65	Pakistan	158 tonnes
40.0670	67	Philippines	81 tonnes
40.0780	78	Indonesia	151 tonnes
40.0930	93	Argentina	27 tonnes
42.1271	127 A	India	134 tonnes

NOTICE TO PRINTERS OF FORMS OF THE SINGLE ADMINISTRATIVE DOCUMENT

(89/C 164/04)

A.

This notice contains the information necessary to enable printers to print the forms of the single administrative document which may be used as from 1 July 1989. It replaces the notice to printers published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities* No C 122 of 8 May 1987, page 2 and its corrigendum published in *Official Journal of the European Communities* No C 137 of 22 May 1987, page 12 and takes account of the notice concerning the use of the single document form in trade with third countries and in intra-Community trade in third-country goods published in *Official Journal of the European Communities* No L 263 of 15 September 1986, page 85.

B.

Specimens of these forms are shown:

1. in Annexes I to IV of Regulations (EEC) No 2791/86 of 22 July 1986 published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities* No L 263 of 15 September 1986, page 1;
2. in Appendices 1 to 4 of Annex I to the Convention between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria, the Republic of Finland, the Republic of Iceland, the Kingdom of Norway, the Kingdom of Sweden and the Swiss Confederation on the simplification of formalities in trade in goods which is attached to Decision No 87/267/EEC published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities* No L 134 of 22 May 1987, page 1;
3. in Annexes I to IV of Appendix III to the Convention between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Austria, the Republic of Finland, the Republic of Iceland, the Kingdom of Norway, the Kingdom of Sweden and the Swiss Confederation on a common transit procedure which is attached to Decision No 87/415/EEC published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities* No L 226 of 13 August 1987, page 1.

C. General technical problems

1. The paper to be used must be self-copying paper dressed for writing purposes and weighing at least 40 grams per square metre. The paper must be sufficiently opaque for the information on one side not to affect the legibility of the information on the other side and its strength should be such that in normal use it does not easily tear or crease.

2. The paper must be white for all copies and the forms printed in green ink.

However, the following boxes or subdivisions must have a green background:

- (a) on copies 1, 4, 5 and 7 and on copies 1/6, 2/7 and 4/5:
 - the first and third subdivisions of box 1,
 - boxes 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 15, 17, 18, 19, 21, 25, 27, 31 and 32,
 - the first subdivision of box 33,
 - boxes 35, 38, 40, 44, 50, 51, 52 and 53;
- (b) on the front of copies 4 and 5 and on the front of copy 4/5:
 - box 55;
- (c) on the back of copies 4 and 5 and on the back of copy 4/5:
 - box 56.

Furthermore

- copies 1, 2, 3 and 5 shall have at the right-hand edge a continuous margin coloured respectively red, green, yellow and blue,
- copies 4, 6, 7 and 8 shall have at the right-hand edge a broken margin coloured respectively blue, red, green and yellow,
- copies 1/6, 2/7, 3/8 and 4/5 shall have at the right-hand edge a continuous margin and to the right of this a broken margin coloured respectively red, green, yellow and blue.

The width of these margins shall be approximately three millimetres. The broken margin shall comprise a series of squares with a side measurement of three millimetres, each one separated by three millimetres.

3. The format of the forms must be 210 by 297 millimetres with a maximum tolerance of five millimetres less or eight millimetres more with regard to their length.
4. The boxes are based on a unit of measurement of one-tenth of an inch horizontally and one-sixth of an inch vertically. The subdivisions are based on a unit of measurement of one-tenth of an inch horizontally.
5. Boxes 10 and 11 which appear on certain copies of the published specimens must be printed in such a way that the left-hand part of these boxes measures four-tenths of an inch across their width.

6. The important note on copy 4 and on copy 4/5 of the published specimens is replaced by the following:

'Where this copy is used exclusively for establishing the COMMUNITY STATUS OF GOODS NOT MOVING UNDER THE COMMUNITY TRANSIT PROCEDURE, only the information in boxes 1, 2, 3, 5, 14, 31, 32, 35, 54 and, where appropriate, 4, 33, 38, 40 and 44 is needed for that purpose.'

D. Titles of the boxes to be printed in italics

The specimen forms shown in Annex I to IV of the abovementioned Regulation (EEC) No 2791/86 include a certain number of boxes with a number but no title.

The titles to be inserted, which are to be printed in italics, are as follows:

1. Eight-copy forms and forms having the same presentation:

(a) copies 1 to 3:

- box 10: Country of first destination
- box 11: Trading country
- box 13: CAP
- box 39: Quota;

(b) copies 6 to 8:

- box 10: Country last consigned
- box 11: Trading/Producer country
- box 12: Value details
- box 13: CAP
- box 36: Preference
- box 39: Quota
- box 42: Item price
- box 43: VM code
- box 45: Adjustment.

2. Copies 1/6, 2/7 and 3/8 of four-copy forms and forms having the same presentation:

- box 10: Country of first destination/Country last consigned
- box 11: Trading/Producer country
- box 12: Value details
- box 13: CAP
- box 36: Preference
- box 39: Quota
- box 42: Item price
- box 43: VM code
- box 45: Adjustment

E. Composition of the different forms

Printers may, at the request of the interested parties, print the following forms:

1. Eight-copy forms

These forms contain the eight copies of the specimen forms shown respectively in the Annexes I and III, the Appendices 1 and 3 and the Annexes I and III referred to under B. The boxes on copies 2 to 8 in which the particulars entered on copy 1 must be capable of appearing are indicated by a cross (X) in Table A in the Annex.

2. Four-copy forms

These forms contain the four copies of the specimen forms shown respectively in the Annexes II and IV, the Appendices 2 and 4 and the Annexes II and IV referred to under B. The boxes on copies 2/7, 3/8 and 4/5 in which the particulars entered on copy 1/6 must be capable of appearing are indicated by a cross (X) in Table A in the Annex.

3. 'DISPATCH/EXPORT' forms based on the eight-copy form set

These forms contain copies 1, 2 and 3 and, at the request of the interested parties, copy 4 of the forms referred to under 1 above. The boxes on copies 2 to 4 in which the particulars entered on copy 1 must be capable of appearing are the same as on copies 2 to 4 of the forms referred to under 1 above.

4. 'DISPATCH/EXPORT' forms based on the four-copy form set

These forms contain copies 1/6, 2/7, 3/8 and, at the request of the interested parties, copy 4/5 of the forms referred to under 2 above. The boxes on copies 2/7, 3/8 and 4/5 on which the particulars entered on copy 1/6 must be capable of appearing are the same as those on copies 2/7, 3/8 and 4/5 of the forms referred to under 2 above.

5. 'TRANSIT' forms based on the eight-copy form set

These forms contain copies 1, 4, 5 and 7 of the forms referred to under 1 above. The boxes on copies 4, 5 and 7 in which the particulars entered on copy 1 must be capable of appearing are indicated by a cross (X) in Table B in the Annex.

6. 'DESTINATION' forms based on the eight-copy form set

These forms contain copies 6 to 8 of the forms referred to under 1 above. The particulars entered on copy 6 must be capable of appearing on copies 7 and 8.

7. 'DESTINATION' forms based on the four-copy form set

These forms contain copies 1/6, 2/7 and 3/8 of the forms referred to under 2 above. The particulars entered on copy 1/6 must be capable of appearing on copies 2/7 and 3/8.

8. Combined 'DISPATCH/EXPORT + TRANSIT' forms based on the eight-copy form set

These forms contain copies 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of the forms referred to under 1 above. The boxes on copies 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 in which the particulars entered on copy 1 must be capable of appearing are indicated by a cross (X) in Table C in the Annex.

9. Combined 'TRANSIT + DESTINATION' forms based on the eight-copy form set.

These forms contain copies 1, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of the forms referred to under 1 above. The boxes on copies 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in which the particulars entered on copy 1 must be capable of appearing are indicated by a cross (X) in Table D in the Annex.

10. Combined 'DISPATCH/EXPORT + DESTINATION' forms based on the eight-copy form set

These forms contain copies 1, 2, 3, 4 (at the request of the interested parties), 6, 7 and 8 of the forms referred to under 1 above. The boxes on copies 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8 in which the particulars entered on copy 1 must be capable of appearing are indicated by a cross in Table E in the Annex.

11. 'COPY 4' forms (single sheet)

These forms correspond to copy 4 of the eight-copy sets referred to under 1 above. By way of derogation from point 1 of the general technical provisions, these forms need not be printed on self-copying paper.

12. 'COPY 4/5' forms (single sheet)

These forms correspond to copy 4/5 of the four-copy sets of forms referred to under 2 above. By way of derogation from point 1 of the general technical provisions, these forms need not be printed on self-copying paper.

13. 'COPY 4' forms (three copies)

These forms contain three copies of copy 4 of the eight-copy sets of forms referred to under 1 above. The particulars entered in the boxes on the first of these copies must be capable of appearing in the corresponding boxes of the other two copies.

14. 'COPY 4/5' forms (three copies)

These forms contain three copies of copy 4/5 of the four-copy sets of forms referred to under 2 above. The particulars entered in the boxes on the first of these copies must be capable of appearing in the corresponding boxes on the other two copies.

Printers are hereby reminded that the Member States may provide for the use:

- of 'DISPATCH/EXPORT' sets without copy 1 or copy 1/6,
- of combined 'DISPATCH/EXPORT + DESTINATION' sets without copy 1,

and that they may require that the forms must also show the name and address of the printer or a mark enabling the printer to be identified.

For further information interested parties are requested to contact the competent departments of the Commission of the European Communities at the address given below:

Directorate-General for Customs Union and Indirect Taxation,
Division XXI/B/1,
Commission of the European Communities,
200 rue de la Loi,
B-1049 Brussels.

ANNEX

In the following tables the particulars entered in the boxes indicated in the left-hand column and which must be capable of appearing in the corresponding boxes on the other copies are indicated by a cross (×) in the right-hand columns. The absence of a cross in one of the right-hand columns indicates that the other copies are to be desensitized in these areas so as to prevent the particulars entered in the boxes on the copy given in the left-hand column from appearing on these copies.

TABLE A
Forms referred to under points 1 and 2 of part E of the notice

Boxes of copy 1 or copy 1/6	Copies							Copies		
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	2/7	3/8	4/5
A (1)	×	×	×					×	×	×
1 — first subdivision	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
— second subdivision	×	×						×	×	
— third subdivision	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
2	×	×	×	×				×	×	×
3 to 6 inclusive	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
7	×	×						×	×	
8	×	×	×	×				×	×	×
9 to 11 inclusive	×	×						×	×	
Box without number to the right of box 11	×	×								
12								×	×	
13	×	×						×	×	
14	×	×	×					×	×	×
15	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
15 a/b and 17 a/b	×	×			×	×	×	×	×	
16	×	×			×	×	×	×	×	
17	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
18 and 19	×	×	×	×				×	×	×
20	×	×						×	×	
21	×	×	×	×				×	×	×
22 to 24 inclusive	×	×						×	×	
25	×	×	×	×				×	×	×
26	×	×						×	×	
27	×	×	×	×				×	×	×
28 to 30 inclusive	×	×						×	×	
31 and 32	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
33 — first subdivision	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
— other subdivisions	×	×						×	×	
34 a/b	×	×						×	×	
35	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
Box without number to the right of box 35	×	×								
36								×	×	
37	×	×						×	×	
38	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
39	×	×						×	×	
40	×	×	×	×				×	×	×
41	×	×						×	×	
Box without number to the right of box 41	×	×								
42 and 43								×	×	
44	×	×	×	×				×	×	×
Box without number to the right of 'AI code'	×	×								
45								×	×	
46 to 49 inclusive	×	×						×	×	
B	×	×						×	×	
50, C (1) and 51 to 53 inclusive	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
D	×	×	×							
D/J								×	×	×
54	×	×	×					×	×	×

(1) The Member States may also provide that box A on copies 2, 3 and 4 and on copies 2/7, 3/8 and 4/5 as well as box C on copies 2 to 8 inclusive and on copies 2/7, 3/8 and 4/5 must be desensitized.

TABLE B

"TRANSIT" forms referred to under point 5 of part E of the Notice

Boxes on copy 1	Copies		
	4	5	7
A ⁽¹⁾	x		
1 — first subdivision	x	x	x
— second subdivision			
— third subdivision	x	x	x
2	x	x	
3 to 6 inclusive	x	x	x
7			
8	x	x	
9 to 11 inclusive			
Box without number to the right of box 11			
13			
14	x		
15	x	x	x
15 a/b and 17 a/b			
16			
17	x	x	x
18 and 19	x	x	
20			
21	x	x	
22 to 24 inclusive			
25	x	x	
26			
27	x	x	
28 to 30 inclusive			
31 and 32	x	x	x
33 — first subdivision	x	x	x
— other subdivisions			
34 a/b			
35	x	x	x
Box without number to the right of box 35			
37			
38	x	x	x
39			
40	x	x	
41			
Box without number to the right of box 41			
44	x	x	
Box without number to the right of 'AI code'			
46			
47 to 49 inclusive			
B			
50, C ⁽¹⁾ and 51 to 53 inclusive	x	x	x
D	x		
54	x		

⁽¹⁾ The Member States may also provide that boxes A and C on copies 4, 5 and 7 must be desensitized.

TABLE C

Combined 'DISPATCH/EXPORT + TRANSIT' forms referred to under point 8
of part E of the Notice

Boxes on copy 1	Copies				
	2	3	4	5	7
A ⁽¹⁾	x	x	x		
1 — first subdivision	x	x	x	x	x
— second subdivision	x	x			
— third subdivision	x	x	x	x	x
2	x	x	x	x	
3 to 6 inclusive	x	x	x	x	x
7	x	x			
8	x	x	x	x	
9 to 11 inclusive	x	x			
Box without number to the right of box 11	x	x			
13	x	x			
14	x	x	x		
15	x	x	x	x	x
15 a/b and 17 a/b	x	x			
16	x	x			
17	x	x	x	x	x
18 and 19	x	x	x	x	
20	x	x			
21	x	x	x	x	
22 to 24 inclusive	x	x			
25	x	x	x	x	
26	x	x			
27	x	x	x	x	
28 to 30 inclusive	x	x			
31 and 32	x	x	x	x	x
33 — first subdivision	x	x	x	x	x
— other subdivisions	x	x			
34 a/b	x	x			
35	x	x	x	x	x
Box without number to the right of box 35	x	x			
37	x	x			
38	x	x	x	x	x
39	x	x			
40	x	x	x	x	
41	x	x			
Box without number to the right of box 41	x	x			
44	x	x	x	x	
Box without number to the right of 'AI code'	x	x			
46 to 49 inclusive	x	x			
B	x	x			
50, C ⁽¹⁾ and 51 to 53 inclusive	x	x	x	x	x
D	x	x	x		
54	x	x	x		

⁽¹⁾ The Member States may also provide that box A on copies 2 and 3 and box C on copies 2 to 7 inclusive must be desensitized.

TABLE D

Combined 'TRANSIT + DESTINATION' forms referred to under point 9
of part E of the Notice

Boxes on copy 1	Copies				
	4	5	6	7	8
A ⁽¹⁾	x				
1 — first subdivision	x	x	x	x	x
— second subdivision					
— third subdivision	x	x	x	x	x
2	x	x			
3 to 6 inclusive	x	x	x	x	x
7					
8	x	x			
9 to 11 inclusive					
Box without number to the right of box 11					
13					
14	x				
15	x	x	x	x	x
15 a/b and 17 a/b					
16					
17	x	x	x	x	x
18 and 19	x	x			
20					
21	x	x			
22 to 24 inclusive					
25	x	x			
26					
27	x	x			
28 to 30 inclusive					
31 and 32	x	x	x	x	x
33 — first subdivision	x	x	x	x	x
— other subdivisions					
34 a/b					
35	x	x	x	x	x
Box without number to the right of box 35					
37					
38	x	x	x	x	x
39					
40	x	x			
41					
Box without number to the right of box 41					
44	x	x			
Box without number to the right of 'AI code'					
46 to 49 inclusive					
B					
50, C ⁽¹⁾ and 51 to 53 inclusive	x	x	x	x	x
D	x	x			
54					

⁽¹⁾ The Member States may also provide that box A on copy 4 and box C on copies 4 to 8 must be desensitized.

TABLE E

Combined 'DISPATCH/EXPORT + DESTINATION' forms referred to under point 10
of part E of the Notice

Boxes on copy 1	Copies					
	2	3	4	6	7	8
A ⁽¹⁾	x	x	x			
1 — first subdivision	x	x	x	x	x	x
— second subdivision	x	x				
— third subdivision	x	x	x	x	x	x
2	x	x	x			
3 to 6 inclusive	x	x	x	x	x	x
7	x	x				
8	x	x	x			
9 to 11 inclusive	x	x				
Box without number to the right of box 11	x	x				
13	x	x				
14	x	x	x			
15	x	x	x	x	x	x
15 a/b and 17 a/b	x	x				
16	x	x		x	x	x
17	x	x	x	x	x	x
18 and 19	x	x	x			
20	x	x				
21	x	x	x			
22 to 24 inclusive	x	x				
25	x	x	x			
26	x	x				
27	x	x	x			
28 to 30 inclusive	x	x				
31 and 32	x	x	x	x	x	x
33 — first subdivision	x	x	x	x	x	x
— other subdivisions	x	x				
34 a/b	x	x				
35	x	x	x	x	x	x
Box without number to the right of box 35	x	x				
37	x	x				
38	x	x	x	x	x	x
39	x	x				
40	x	x	x			
41	x	x				
Box without number to the right of box 41	x	x				
44	x	x	x			
Box without number to the right of 'AI code'	x	x				
46 to 49	x	x				
B	x	x				
50	x	x				
C ⁽¹⁾	x	x	x	x	x	x
51 to 53 inclusive	x	x	x	x	x	x
D	x	x	x			
D/J						
54	x	x	x			

⁽¹⁾ The Member States may also provide that box A on copies 2, 3 and 4 and box C on copies 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8 must be desensitized.

II

(Preparatory Acts)

COMMISSION

Draft Council resolution concerning an action plan 1990 to 1994 in the framework of the Europe against cancer programme*COM(89) 210 final**(Submitted by the Commission on 11 May 1989)**(89/C 164/05)*

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Communities,

Having regard to the draft resolution submitted by the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 2 of the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, it is the Community's task to promote throughout the Community a harmonious development of economic activities, a continuous and balanced expansion, and an accelerated raising of the standard of living;

Whereas the European Councils held in June 1985 in Milan and in December 1985 in Luxembourg underlined the advantages of launching a European programme against cancer;

Whereas in December 1986 in London the European Council decided that 1989 should be designated European cancer information year and specified that the aim would be to develop a sustained and concerted information campaign in all the Member States on the prevention, early screening and treatment of cancer;

Whereas the Council and the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States, meeting within the Council, have adopted a resolution on a programme of

action of the European Communities against cancer ⁽¹⁾ which is concerned principally with cancer prevention;

Whereas the Council and the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States, meeting within the Council, have adopted Decision 88/351/EEC ⁽²⁾ on a 1988 to 1989 action plan for an information and public awareness campaign in the context of the Europe against cancer programme;

Whereas various Community actions to prevent cancers arising from exposure to ionizing radiation or exposure to chemical carcinogens are already being carried out under the Treaties establishing the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community;

Whereas actions to reduce the risk of cancer from exposure to carcinogenic substances are included in a number of existing Community programmes on the environment, worker protection, consumer protection, nutrition, agriculture and the internal market;

Whereas the present action plan would increase knowledge about the causes of cancer and the possible means of preventing and treating it;

Whereas by ensuring a wider dissemination of knowledge of the causes, prevention, screening and treatment of cancer, as well as an improvement in the comparability of information about those matters, in particular concerning the nature and degree of risk of cancer arising from exposure to given substances or processes, the programme will contribute to the achievement of Community objectives, while contributing to the overall reduction of risks of cancer;

Whereas it is advisable to promote the diffusion and the implementation of recommendations on the oncology content of training programmes which were approved in 1988 by the three advisory committees on training of health personnel;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No C 184, 23. 7. 1986, p. 19.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 160, 28. 6. 1988, p. 52.

Whereas it is advisable to support training actions in respect of cancer for health personnel of one Member State in leading training centres in another Member State;

Whereas duplications of effort should be avoided by the promotion of exchanges of experience and by the development of common basic information modules for the public, and for the training of members of the health professions;

Whereas it is advisable to continue and strengthen, from 1990 to 1994, action undertaken between 1987 and 1989

in the fields of prevention, information and health education, and training of the health professions, and whereas to this end the amount of the Community contribution deemed necessary amounts to ECU 55 million,

INVITES THE COMMISSION:

1. to implement the 1990 to 1994 action plan set out in Annex I;
2. to keep the European Parliament and the Council informed of progress.

ANNEX I

ACTIONS TO BE IMPLEMENTED IN 1990 to 1994

During the period 1990 to 1994, information on the progress of the Europe against cancer programme, and on the possibilities of Community financing in the following fields of action will be published regularly:

I. Cancer prevention

(including screening)

A. *Fight against tobacco addiction*

- stimulation of projects of European interest concerning the prevention of tobacco smoking among youngsters and women,
- stimulation of smoking prevention actions of European interest among educational personnel and health professionals,
- support of pilot actions promoting the teaching of tobacco-use cessation methods among health professionals and educational personnel,
- support for innovative information campaigns to prevent smoking among the general public and in the workplace;

B. *Nutrition and cancer* (including alcohol)

- launch of European-wide combined analyses (meta-analysis) of existing data on nutrition and cancer,
- extension of European case-control studies on links between nutrition and cancer to areas not covered in the first action plan,
- completion of the feasibility studies launched in the first 1987 to 1989 action plan and of European prospective studies on nutrition and cancer,
- launch of European-wide studies on the potential benefits of certain anti-promoting agents,
- drafting of guidelines on nutrition aimed at improving cancer prevention;

C. *Fight against carcinogenic agents*

- continuation of all Community actions concerning protection against ionizing radiation,
- support of studies and actions of European interest aiming at improving protection against ultra-violet radiation,
- continuation of European studies on the possible carcinogenic risk of certain chemical substances,
- continuation of classification and labelling of carcinogenic substances at European level;

D. *Systematic screening and early diagnosis*

- continuation of comparative studies concerning the improvement of the organization of cancer screening policies,
- extension and monitoring of the European network of breast cancer screening pilot programme,
- evaluation studies of existing cervical cancer screening programmes and setting up of a European network of pilot regional or local programmes,
- continuation of evaluation studies on screening programmes for colo-rectal cancer and eventual setting-up of a European network,
- promotion of studies of European interest on the efficiency and the feasibility of screening and early detection of other cancers;

E. *Cancer registration and similar actions*

- support of the establishment of cancer registries throughout the European Community and setting-up of a European network,
- link-up of existing bone marrow banks and feasibility study on a European registry.

II. Information and health education**A. *Public information***

- eventual updating of the European code against cancer,
- renewal each year of a European information action on cancer during the second week of October,
- production of European television programmes on prevention, screening and treatment of cancers,
- diffusion of the European code to the general public by the partners of the programme,
- support for innovative actions for cancer information on cancer prevention among targeted groups,
- steady evaluation of the efficacy of the efforts made;

B. *Health education in cancer prevention*

- support of information and awareness of education personnel about the European code against cancer,
- dissemination of educational supports for health education,
- promotion of pilot action promoting awareness of the European code among young people.

III. Training of the health professions

- support to the organization of national or regional meetings to promote the 1989 European recommendations on the cancerology content of basic training programmes for health personnel,
- support for the setting-up of three European pilot networks of medical schools, dental faculties and nursing schools implementing the recommendations on the cancer content of training formulated in 1988 by the three advisory committees on training of health personnel,
- promotion of actions in training in cancer in the framework of the specific training of general practitioners,
- encourage the mobility between Member States of health professionals in courses of specialized training in cancerology,
- collection and exchange of teaching materials of European interest for training education of health personnel,

- exchanging experiences and support for the organization of European seminars for the continuing education of health personnel,
- exchange of experience between Member States in anti-pain treatments, in palliative and continuing care, and on the role of health personnel, notably GPs and nurses, in cancer treatment.

IV. Research on cancer

- submission of proposals for a fifth medical and health research coordination programme and the sixth medical ECSC research programme.

ANNEX II

Indicative budgetary allocation

	(in %)		
	1988	1989	1990 to 1994 estimate
Prevention	40,1	40	50
— (Fight against tobacco addiction)	(9)	(12)	(15)
— (Improvement of nutrition)	(8)	(10)	(20)
— (Screening)	(14)	(13)	(10)
— (Other)	(9,1)	(5)	(5)
Training	6,1	8	18
Information	47,4	40	15
Health education	6,3	12	17

Amended proposal for a Council Decision adopting a specific research and technological development programme of the European Economic Community in the fields of raw materials and recycling (1990 to 1992) ⁽¹⁾

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(Submitted by the Commission pursuant to the third paragraph of Article 149 of the EEC Treaty on 2 June 1989)

(89/C 164/06)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard of the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 130 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

In cooperation with the European Parliament,

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee,

Whereas Article 130K of the Treaty provides that the framework programme shall be implemented through specific programmes developed within each activity;

Whereas by Decision 87/516/Euratom, EEC ⁽²⁾, the Council has adopted a framework programme of Community research and technological development (1987 to 1991) providing *inter alia* for activities in the field of raw materials and recycling;

Whereas that Decision provides that a particular aim of Community research shall be to contribute to the competitiveness of traditional and new industrial sectors of the Community, by satisfying their requirements in raw materials, and recycling;

Whereas that Decision provides that a particular aim of Community research shall be to strengthen the scientific and technological basis of European industry and to encourage it in the strengthening of the economic and social cohesion of the Community and the promotion of its overall harmonious development, while being consistent with the pursuit of scientific and technical quality;

Whereas Council Decision 86/235/EEC ⁽³⁾ decided on a research programme on materials (raw materials and advanced materials) (1986 to 1989), and the ongoing research activities have clearly demonstrated the utility of Community actions in the fields of raw materials and recycling;

Whereas it is necessary to react adequately to the interest shown by the industry in transnational cooperation;

Whereas the participation of organizations from EFTA countries in industrially-oriented R & D projects, under appropriate conditions, may contribute to the competitiveness of industry as a whole;

Whereas it is in the Community's interest to consolidate the scientific and technical basis of European research by means of the involvement to a greater extent of the EFTA countries in certain Community programmes, particularly in programmes involving cooperation in research and development of primary and strategic metals production and recycling of secondary materials and wood;

Whereas the implementation of concerted actions in the COST framework is an essential element to complement industrially-oriented R & D projects;

Whereas the Scientific and Technical Research Committee (Crest) has been consulted,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

A specific research and technological development programme for the European Economic Community in the fields of raw materials and recycling, as defined in Annex I, is hereby adopted for a period of three years, from 1 January 1990.

Article 2

The amount deemed necessary for the execution of the programme is ECU 45 million including expenditure on a staff of 17.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No C 52, 1. 3. 1989, p. 24.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 302, 24. 10. 1987, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 159, 14. 6. 1986, p. 36.

Article 3

Detailed rules for the implementation of the programme and the rate of the Community's financial participation are set out in Annex II.

Article 4

1. In the second year of the programme implementation, the Commission shall undertake a review of the programme and report to the Council and to the European Parliament on the result of this review, together, if necessary, with any proposals for modification or prolongation.

2. An evaluation of the results achieved shall be conducted before the end of the programme by the Commission which shall report thereon to the Council and the European Parliament.

3. The abovementioned reports shall be established having regard to the objectives set out in Annex III to this Decision and in conformity with the provisions of Article 2 (2) of Decision 87/516/Euratom, EEC on the framework programme.

Article 5

1. The Commission shall be responsible for the execution of the programme.

2. The Commission shall be assisted by a Committee of an advisory nature, hereinafter referred to as 'the Committee' composed of the representatives of the Member States and chaired by the representative of the Commission.

3. Contracts concluded by the Commission shall govern the rights and obligations of each party, in particular arrangements for the dissemination, protection and exploitation of research results.

Article 6

1. The Commission shall submit to the Committee a draft of the measures to be taken. The Committee shall deliver its opinion within a time limit which the Chairman may lay down according to urgency of the matter, if necessary by taking a vote.

2. The opinion shall be recorded in the minutes of the Committee; in addition, each Member State shall have the right to have its opinion recorded in the minutes.

3. The Commission shall take the utmost account of the opinion delivered by the Committee. It shall inform the Committee of the manner in which its opinion has been taken into account.

Article 7

1. Where framework agreements for scientific and technical cooperation between non-Community European countries and the European Communities have been concluded, organizations and enterprises established in those countries may, under appropriate conditions to be defined by the Commission, become partners in a project undertaken within the programme. For each such project, the Committee referred to in Article 5 shall assist the Commission in defining those conditions.

2. No contractor established outside the Community who participates as a partner in a project undertaken within the programme shall be entitled to Community financing intended for the programme. The contractor will contribute to general administrative expenses.

Article 8

For the parts 'renewable raw materials' and 'Recycling of waste R & D', the Commission is hereby authorized to negotiate, in accordance with Article 130N of the Treaty, agreements with non-Member States and international organizations, in particular with those countries participating in European cooperation in the field of scientific and technological research (COST), and those having concluded framework agreements for scientific and technical cooperation with the Community, with a view to associating them wholly or partly with these parts of the programme.

Article 9

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

*ANNEX I***A. Objectives**

The principle objective of the programme is to help enhance the competitive position of the Community's industries involved with raw materials and recycling in world markets. A programme of research and development will help to provide the technology base required for strategic, innovative developments in support of the supply and processing of raw materials, both minerals and renewables, and recycling.

B. Technical content**PRIMARY RAW MATERIALS****1. *Exploration:***

Ore genesis, geochemical methods, geophysical methods, remote sensing and multidata correlation, drilling technology.

2. *Mining technology:*

Development of new mining methods and improvement of existing ones, rock fracturing, support systems, load and transportation systems, modelling and simulations in mining operations, specific equipment for small-size mines.

3. *Mineral processing and extractive metallurgy:*

Process innovation and process intensification, processing of high purity metals and multielement compounds, industrial minerals, treatment of metallurgical residues and tailings, modelling simulation and automatic control in mineral processing and extractive metallurgy.

RECYCLING OF NON-FERROUS METALS AND STRATEGIC METALS**1. Characterization and classification of secondary materials****2. Physical separation and concentration****3. Advanced pyrometallurgical processes****4. Advanced hydrometallurgical processes****5. Refining technologies****6. Instrumentation on control of the processes****RENEWABLE RAW MATERIALS, FORESTRY AND WOOD PRODUCTS****1. *Forest resources:***

- tree improvement,
- planning and management,
- protection.

2. *Wood technology:*

- quality assessment,
- processing technology.

3. *Pulp and paper manufacturing:*

- improvement in pulping and bleaching,
- improvement in paper manufacture and coating.

RECYCLING OF WASTE

1. Sampling, analysis and classification of waste
2. Recycling technologies
3. Energy production from waste.

ANNEX II

RULES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION

Shared cost action

The programme will be implemented by means of shared cost contracts with industry, public research centres and universities for applied research of a pre-competitive character. At least two organizations from different Member States and independent of each other must take part in the project. Each party is expected to make a significant contribution to the project. The contract parties shall bear a substantial part of the costs up to 50 % of which shall, as a rule, be borne by the Community. The Community may bear up to 100 % of the marginal expenditure incurred by universities and research institutes in relation to the project.

Coordinated activities

In cases where work, supported by national funds or entirely privately funding is already going on, the Commission's role may be limited to simply organizing the coordination of the work and the Community funding confined to covering the cost of such coordination activities. However, in certain cases where it is clear that strategically important work requires more than simple coordination, the Commission could, in consultation with CGC, consider a higher Community funding.

Other activities

The Commission will ensure, when calling for proposals, that small and medium-sized enterprises will have ready access to information on the programme.

Fund will also be applied to training activities (pre- and post-doctorate fellowships), for exchange of research workers and for the assessment and technico-economic studies.

In the recycling of waste subprogramme, the upgrading of lignocellulosic waste will be continued in the form of a formal concerted action.

ANNEX III

PROGRAMME EVALUATION CRITERIA

The results against which the programme should be evaluated must reflect its objectives and the wider objectives of the framework programme.

1. As the principal objective is to help in enhancing the competitive position of the Community's industries involved with raw materials and recycling, the evaluation should determine:

- the extent to which the projects were selected against measurable industrial criteria,
- the extent to which substantial progress has resulted from the work supported.

2. A further objective is to encourage transfrontier collaboration in strategic industrial research. The evaluation should determine:
 - to what extent, during the life of the project, there were continuing links between partners for research, development, manufacturing, marketing or staff formation.
3. A further programme objective is to encourage transfer of technology across Community frontiers and between sectors, particularly those with a predominance of SMEs. The evaluation should determine:
 - the extent to which SMEs have participated and contributed in developing the research project and to the possibility to exploit results arising from successfully completed projects,
 - the extent to which accomplishments are protected by patent action or are disseminated to raise awareness in the European research and technology Community.
4. In the wider context of the framework programme, the evaluation should determine:
 - the extent to which the projects have contributed to harmonization of the Community by reducing the technical barriers to trade.

The evaluation will be undertaken by independent evaluators.

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