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Recommendation for a
COUNCIL DECISION

authorizing the Commission to participate in the negotiation of
the replacement of the Wheat Trade Convention 1971

(submitted to the Council by the Commission)

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EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

1. The Wheat Trade Convention, 1971, expires on 30.6.1986.
2. Within the framework of the International Wheat Council, it has been considered desirable not to extend that Convention yet again, but to seize the opportunity to improve the text whilst retaining its basic principles.
3. The Community and its Member States took part in this work under the International Wheat Council, whilst co-ordinating their positions in the Commodities Group.
4. An international negotiating conference to establish the definitive text of the new agreement has been fixed to 14 March in London.
5. The Commission requires authorisation to negotiate in the name of the Community on the basis of the directives annexed to the attached recommendation for a decision.

RECOMMENDATION FOR A COUNCIL DECISION

authorising the Commission to participate in the negotiation of the replacement of the Wheat Trade Convention 1971.

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 113 thereof,

Having regard to the Recommendation from the Commission,

Whereas the Community is a party to the Wheat Trade Convention 1971,

Whereas this Convention expires on 30.6.1986,

Whereas it is in the Community's interest that the Convention be replaced by a new Convention,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Sole Article

The Commission is hereby authorized to take part in the negotiations for the replacement of the Wheat Trade Convention 1971.

The Commission shall take part in the negotiations, in consultation with the Article 113 Committee, in accordance with the guidelines contained in the Annex.

Done at ...

For the Council

The President

ANNEX

- (1) The link between the Food Aid Convention and the Wheat Trade Convention must be maintained.
- (2) The new Wheat Trade Convention must, in its broad outline, maintain the text of the 1971 Convention.

