COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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Proposal for a

COUNCIL REGULATION (EC)

terminating Council Regulation (EC) No 2472/94, suspending certain elements of the embargo on the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro)

(presented by the Commission)



EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

By adopting resolution 943 (1994) the Security Counil permitted the resumption of the ferry-service Bar - Bari, and the flights to and from Belgrade for a period of 100 days. The Community has implemented this resolution by Council Regulation (EC) No 2472/94 of 10 October 1994.

However, in paragraph 4 of that resolution the Security Council decided also that 'if at any time the Secreatary-General reports that the authorities of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) are not effectively implementing their decision to close the border, the suspension of the measures [i.e. ferry-service and flights] shall terminate on the fifth working day following the report of the Secretary-General, unless the Security Council decides to the contrary.'

In order to ensure that the Council Regulation which will terminate the permission for the ferry-service and flights will be adopted and published on time, the Commission already puts forward now a proposal for a Council Regulation to that effect.

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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Articles 228a thereof.

Having regard to Council Decision 94/673/CFSP of 10 October 1994 on the common position defined on the basis of Article J.2 of the Treaty on European Union and regarding the suspension of certain restrictions on trade with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) 1)

Having regard to the proposal of the Commission,

Whereas the United Nations Security Council in paragraph 4 of its resloution 943 (1994) has determined under which conditions the suspension of certain restrictons on trade with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) has to be terminated,

Whereas these conditions have been fulfilled,

Whereas, under these circumstances, Council Regulation (EC) No 2472/94 of 10 October 1994, suspending certain elements of the embargo of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro)², has to be repealed;

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Council Regulation (EC) No 2472/94 of 10 October 1994 is hereby repealed.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its Publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States

Done at ..., 199.

For the Council,

¹OJ No L 266, 15.10.1994, p. 11

² OJ No L 266, 15.10.1994, p. 8



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