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of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs
and Industrial Policy

on the COMMON POSITION established by the Council
with a view to the adoption of a regulation on the
use in the Community of TIR carnets and ATA carnets
as transit documents
(C3-0020/91 - SYN0271)

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At its sitting of 22 November 1990 the European Parliament delivered its opinion at first reading on the Commission proposal for a Council regulation on the use in the Community of TIR carnets and ATA carnets as transit documents.

At the sitting of 24 January 1991 the President of Parliament announced that the common position had been received and referred to the Committee on Economic and Monetary affairs as the committee responsible and to the Committee on External Economic Relations and the Committee on Transport and Tourism for their opinions.

On the meeting of 29/30 January 1991 the committee considered the common position.

At the latter meeting of 29 January 1991 it adopted the recommendation unanimously.

It was decided to apply the procedure without debate, pursuant to Rule 38(1) of the Rules of Procedure.

The following took part in the vote: Beumer, chairman and rapporteur; Barton, P. Beazley, Bofill Abeilhe, Cassidy, David (for Ford), de Piccoli, de Donnea, Ernst de la Graete, Herman, Hoff, Hoppenstedt, Mattina, Nielsen (for P. Riskaer), Eiso Cruellas, Titley (for Seal) and van der Waal.

This recommendation was tabled on 1st February 1991.

The deadline for tabling amendments to the common position or proposals to reject it will appear on the draft agenda for the part-session at which the recommendation is to be considered.

A

RECOMMENDATION

(Cooperation procedure: second reading)

on the common position established by the Council
with a view to the adoption of a regulation
on the use in the Community of TIR carnets and ATA carnets
as transit documents
(COM(90) 203 final¹)

The Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and Industrial Policy,

- having regard to the common position of the Council (C3-0020/91 - SYN 271),

Recommends that the European Parliament approve the common position.

¹ OJ No C 142, 12.6.1990, p. 6

B

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The proposal can be approved of. It abolishes at internal frontiers the checks linked with the TIR- and ATA convention. The Community is considered as a single territory for the purpose of those Conventions.

The common position contains a number of technical improvements and brings forward the date of entry into force (1st January 1992).

