

# COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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Proposal for a  
COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

extending the arrangements applicable to trade between  
Greece and the ACP States

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DECISION OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES  
OF THE EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL COMMUNITY, MEETING WITHIN THE COUNCIL

extending the period of validity of the provisional arrangements  
applicable to trade between the Hellenic Republic and the ACP  
States for products covered by that Community

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(submitted to the Council by the Commission)

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### Explanatory memorandum

The provisional arrangements for trade between Greece and the ACP States were established initially by Regulation (EEC) No 439/81 and the Decision of the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States of the ECSC of 20 January 1981 for the period 28 February to 30 April 1981. The provisions thus adopted have been extended four times and remain in force until 31 December 1982.

Two Additional Protocols to the second ACP-EEC Convention were signed on 8 October 1981 and establish the general trade arrangements and the arrangements for ECSC products respectively; they are to enter into force as soon as the ratification procedures have been completed.

In order to cover whatever period elapses between 1 January 1983 and the dates of entry into force of the above Protocols, it is proposed to extend once again Regulation (EEC) No 439/81 and the Decision of 20 January 1981.

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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 proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the Additional Protocol to the second ACP-EEC Convention following  
the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the European Economic Community  
was signed on 8 October 1981;

Whereas pending the entry into force of that Protocol the Community should,  
in the light thereof, extend autonomously from 1 January 1983 the  
arrangements applicable to trade between Greece and the ACP States as  
established by Council Regulation (EEC) No 439/81<sup>1</sup>, as last extended by  
Regulation (EEC) No 1734/82<sup>2</sup>,

HAD ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

From 1 January 1983 until 30 June 1983, the arrangements applicable  
to trade between Greece and the ACP States shall be those resulting  
from the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 439/81.

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<sup>1</sup>OJ No L 53, 27.2.1981, p. 19.

<sup>2</sup>OJ No L 190, 1.7.1982, p. 1.

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 Brussels,

For the Council  
The President

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DECISION OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES  
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extending the period of validity of the provisional arrangements applicable to trade between the Hellenic Republic and the ACP States for products covered by that Community.

THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES OF THE  
EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL COMMUNITY, MEETING WITHIN THE COUNCIL,

Whereas the Member States have concluded among themselves the Treaty establishing the European Coal and Steel Community;

Whereas a Protocol to the Agreement between the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community and the ACP States following the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community was signed on 8 October 1981;

Whereas pending the entry into force of that Protocol the Community should, in the light thereof, extend autonomously from 1 January 1983 the provisional arrangements applicable to trade between the Hellenic Republic and the ACP States as established for the products covered by that Community by Decision 81/57/ECSC<sup>1</sup>, as last extended by Decision 82/439/ECSC<sup>2</sup>,

In agreement with the Commission,

HAVE DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The provisional arrangements laid down in Decision 81/57/ECSC for trade between the Hellenic Republic and the ACP States shall remain in force from 1 January 1983 until 30 June 1983.

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<sup>1</sup>OJ No L 53, 27.2.1981, p. 65.

<sup>2</sup>OJ No L 190, 1.7.1982, p. 8.

Article 2

Member States shall take the necessary measures to implement this Decision.

Done at

The President