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**Declaration by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union,  
Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania,  
Slovenia, Cyprus, and Iceland, Liechtenstein Norway,  
concerning additional restrictive measures against the  
Federal Republic of Yugoslavia**

Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, Slovenia, Cyprus, and Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway declare that they share the objectives of the Common Position adopted by the Council on the basis of Article 15 of the Treaty on European Union concerning additional restrictive measures against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia and its implementing Decision . They will ensure that their national policies conform to that Common Position and its implementing Decision.

The European Union takes note of this commitment and welcomes it.

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