

COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES
GENERAL SECRETARIAT



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436th meeting of the Council
- Economic and Financial Affairs Brussels, 14 February 1977

President: Mr Denis HEALEY, Chancellor of the Exchequer of the United Kingdom The Governments of the Member States and the Commission of the European Communities were represented as follows:

## Belgium:

Mr Willy DE CLERCQ

Minister for Finance

### Denmark:

Mr Per HAEKKERUP

Minister for Economic Affairs

Mr Kurt HANSEN

State Secretary,

Ministry of Economic Affairs

### Germany:

Mr Hans APEL

Federal Minister of Finance

Mr Karl Otto POEHL

State Secretary, Ministry for Finance

Mr Otto SCHLECHT

State Secretary,

Ministry of Economic Affairs

#### France:

Mr Luc de La BARRE de NANTEUIL

Ambassador,

Permanent Representative

### Ireland:

Mr Richie RYAN

Minister for Finance

#### Italy:

Mr Gaetano STAMMATI

Minister for the Treasury

## Luxembourg:

Mr Marcel MART

Minister for Economic Affairs

Mr Jacques POOS

Minister for Finance

## Netherlands:

Mr R.F.M. LUBBERS

Minister for Economic Affairs

## United Kingdom:

Mr Denis HEALEY

Chancellor of the Exchequer

# Commission:

Mr François-Xavier ORTOLI

Vice-President

Mr Christopher Samuel TUGENDHAT Member

The Council held an exchange of views on the economic situation in the Community and drew up the general outlines of its work schedule for the coming months.

The Council also heard a statement by Mr TUGENDHAT, Member of the Commission, on the budgetary implications of the Commission proposals concerning agricultural prices and related measures for 1977/1978.