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COUNCIL

COUNCIL DECISION

of 17 December 1974

concerning the financing by the Community of certain expenditure on food aid supplied to the countries of the Sahel and Ethiopia under the 1974/75 programme

(74/640/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1703/72⁽¹⁾ of 3 August 1972 amending Regulation (EEC) No 2052/69 concerning the financing by the Community of expenditure resulting from the implementation of the Food Aid Convention of 1967 and fixing the Regulations for the financing by the Community of expenditure arising from the implementation of the 1971 Food Aid Convention, and in particular Article 8(1) and Article 10(1) thereof ;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission ;

Whereas, in view of the critical situation that continues to exist in the Sahel countries and Ethiopia, the Community should bear the costs of delivering food aid in the form of cereals to the points of destination,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS :

Sole Article

For the purpose of the Community's food-aid activities in respect of Upper Volta, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, Chad, Gambia and Ethiopia under the 1974/75 Food Aid Programme Community financing shall extend to the cost of delivering the products to the points of destination. This financing can be met, if the agreement so provides, in the form of a lump-sum contribution.

Done at Brussels, 17 December 1974.

For the Council

The President

M. DURAFOUR

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 180, 8. 8. 1972, p. 1.