

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 2912/77
of 19 December 1977

**on the conclusion of the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters
between the European Economic Community and the People's Democratic
Republic of Algeria on the importation into the Community of tomato concen-
trates originating in Algeria**

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 recommendation from the
Commission,

Whereas the Cooperation Agreement between the
European Economic Community and the People's
Democratic Republic of Algeria was signed on 26
April 1976 ;

Whereas the Interim Agreement⁽¹⁾ signed on the
same date for the advance implementation of the
trade provisions of the Cooperation Agreement
entered into force on 1 July 1976 ;

Whereas the Agreement in the form of an exchange
of letters between the European Economic Commu-
nity and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria
on the importation into the Community of tomato
concentrates originating in Algeria should be
concluded ; whereas, however, the Interim Agreement
expires on 31 December 1977 ; whereas the Commu-
nity intends to maintain its trading relations with
Algeria ; whereas the provisions governing 1978
should not be less favourable than those laid down for
1977 ; whereas in order not to disrupt trading patterns

for the products in question there should be provision
for applying these import arrangements for the whole
of 1978,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters
between the European Economic Community and the
People's Democratic Republic of Algeria on the
importation into the Community of tomato concen-
trates originating in Algeria is hereby approved on
behalf of the Community.

The text of the Agreement is annexed to this Regula-
tion.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorized to
designate the person empowered to sign the Agree-
ment for the purpose of binding the Community.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day
following 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, 19 December 1977.

For the Council

The President

H. SIMONET

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 141, 28. 5. 1976, p. 2.