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1980 No. 865

## EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

**The European Communities (Designation) Order 1980**

<i>Made</i> - - - -	24th June 1980
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	25th June 1980
<i>Coming into Operation:</i>	
<i>articles 1 and 2(a)</i>	26th June 1980
<i>article 2(b) - -</i>	18th July 1980

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 24th day of June 1980

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred on Her by section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(a), is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

*Citation and commencement*

1. This Order may be cited as the European Communities (Designation) Order 1980 and shall come into operation, as to articles 1 and 2(a), on 26th June 1980 and, as to article 2(b), on 18th July 1980.

*Designation*

2. For the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972 the Commissioners of Customs and Excise are hereby designated in relation to the following matters:—

- (a) the payment by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to the Intervention Board for Agricultural Produce of sums equivalent to amounts paid to them as monetary compensatory amounts charged on imports into the United Kingdom from other Member States of the European Economic Community;
- (b) excise matters of the European Communities;

and in relation to anything supplemental or incidental to these matters.

*N. E. Leigh,*  
Clerk of the Privy Council.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order.)*

This Order designates the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to exercise powers conferred by section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972, to make regulations in relation to the payment by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to the Intervention Board for Agricultural Produce of sums equivalent to amounts paid to them as the monetary compensatory amounts charged on imports into the United Kingdom from other Member States of the European Economic Community and to excise matters of the European Communities.