COUNCIL DECISION

of 25 June 1973

concerning the financing by the Community of certain expenditure on food aid supplied under the 1972/73 programme

(73/171/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 dramatic situation that now exists in the Sahel countries, the necessity for the Community to bear the transport costs of food aid in cereals to their destination has become evident;

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

For the purpose of the Community's food aid activities in respect of Chad, Mali, Niger, Senegal and Upper Volta under the 1972/73 Food Aid Programme, Community financing shall extend to the cost of delivering the products to their destination.

Article 2

This Decision cancels those provisions of the Council Decision of 4 June 1973 concerning the financing by the Community of certain expenditure on food aid supplied under the 1972/73 Programme that are relevant to the countries referred to in Article 1.

Done at Luxembourg, 25 June 1973.

For the Council

The President

R. VAN ELSLANDE

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[1] OJ No L 180, 8. 8. 1972, p. 1.