COMMISSION DECISION

of 17 June 1974

placing foot-and-mouth disease vaccine at the disposal of the FAO

(74/339/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to the Council Decision of 26 March 1973 [1] on action to protect Community livestock against certain foot-and-mouth diseases, and in particular Article 5 thereof;

Whereas, in view of the present health situation in the Community provision should be made to place at the disposal of the FAO part of the Community stock of vaccine in order to assist that Organization in its campaign against foot-and-mouth disease in south-east Europe;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Decision is in accordance with the Opinion of the Standing Veterinary Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

With effect from 1 June 1974 250 000 doses of foot-and-mouth disease vaccine Asia 1 shall be held at the disposal of the FAO as a gift from the EEC to assist in the campaign against foot-and-mouth disease in south-east Europe.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 17 June 1974.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

[1] OJ No L 106, 20. 4. 1973, p. 26.