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COUNCIL

COUNCIL DECISION

of 23 August 1974

on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of the Gambia for the supply of husked rice as food aid

(74/495/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 113, 114 and 228 thereof;

Having regard to the recommendation from the Commission;

Whereas the European Economic Community has concluded the 1967 Food Aid Convention;

Whereas by its letter of 16 April 1974, the Republic of the Gambia has requested food aid;

Whereas in view of the cereal supply situation in Gambia, that country should be accorded, by way of gift, 1 500 metric tons of husked rice, under the Community food aid programme for 1970/71,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of the Gambia on the supply of husked rice as food aid, the text whereof is annexed hereto, is hereby concluded on behalf of the European Economic Community.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorized to designate the persons empowered to sign the Agreement and to confer on them the necessary powers to bind the Community.

Done at Brussels, 23 August 1974.

For the Council

The President

B. DESTREMAU