COUNCIL DECISION

of 23 September 1974

on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Sri Lanka on the supply of flour of common wheat as food aid

(74/496/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 1971 Food Aid Convention;

Whereas by its letter of 20 August 1973, the Republic of Sri Lanka has requested food aid;

Whereas in view of the cereal supply situation in Sri Lanka, that country should be accorded, by way of gift, 16 000 metric tons of common wheat in the form of 10 596 metric tons of flour of common wheat under the Community food aid programme for 1973/74,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Sri Lanka on the supply of flour of common wheat as food aid, the text of which is annexed to this Decision, is hereby concluded on behalf of the 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 September 1974.

For the Council

The President

Ch. PONCELET