COUNCIL DECISION

of 2 October 1974

on the conclusion of the Agreement amending, for the third year of application (1974/75), the contributions provided for in the convention between the European Economic Community and the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA) concerning aid to refugees in the countries of the Middle East

(74/593/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 on 18 December 1972 the European Economic Community concluded a convention [1] with UNRWA concerning aid to refugees in the countries of the Middle East for a period of three years;

Whereas under Article XII amendments may be made every year to this convention; whereas in the light of information supplied by UNRWA on the second year of application of the convention, certain of the Community contributions should be amended,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement, in the form of an exchange of letters, between the European Economic Community and the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA), amending, for the third year of application (1974/75), the contributions provided for in the convention concluded with that agency on 18 December 1972, 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 exchange of letters and to confer on them the necessary powers to bind the Community.

Done at Luxembourg, 2 October 1974.

For the Council
The President
Ch. BONNET

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(1) **OJ No L 304, 31. 12. 1972, p. 23.**
OJ No L 63, 9. 3. 1973, p. 32.