COUNCIL DECISION

of 2 December 1974

appointing the Auditor of the European Coal and Steel Community

(74/606/ECSC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Coal and Steel Community, and in particular Article 78 (e) thereof;

Whereas the term of office of the current ECSC Auditor expires on 7 December 1974;

Whereas a draft Treaty amending certain provisions of the Treaties establishing the European Communities and of the Treaty establishing a Single Council and a Single Commission of the European Communities provides for the establishment of a Court of Auditors; whereas, under this draft Treaty, the term of office of the ECSC Auditor ends on the date on which he submits his report on the financial year preceding that in which the members of the Court of Auditors were appointed;

Whereas account should be taken of the effect of the entry into force of this Treaty on the term of office of the ECSC Auditor,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Mr Paul Gaudy is hereby appointed Auditor of the European Coal and Steel Community.

Article 2

The term of office of the ECSC Auditor resulting from this Decision, shall expire on 7 December 1977, save as otherwise provided following the entry into force of the Treaty amending certain provisions of the Treaties establishing the European Communities and of the Treaty establishing a Single Council and a Single Commission of the European Communities.

Article 3

This Decision shall take effect on 8 December 1974.

Done at Brussels, 2 December 1974.

For the Council

The President

J. SAUVAGNARGUES