COMMISSION DECISION

of 26 December 1975

extending the Decision of 6 March 1974 authorizing the French Republic not to apply Community treatment to certain petroleum products falling within heading Nos 27.09 and 27.10 of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in third countries and in free circulation in the other Member States

(Only the French text is authentic)

(76/314/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular the first paragraph of Article 115 thereof,

Whereas, by the Decision of 6 March 1974 [1], the French Republic was authorized not to apply Community treatment to certain products under certain conditions ;

Whereas that Decision expires on 31 December 1975 ;

Whereas on 11 December 1975 the French Republic submitted a new request, pointing out that the conditions for the application of the first paragraph of Article 115 still existed for certain petroleum products ;

Whereas this request requires detailed examination which cannot be completed before the expiry of the Decision currently in force ;

Whereas that Decision should therefore be provisionally extended,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

The date '31 December 1975' in Article 4 of Commission Decision 74/271/EEC of 6 March 1974 is hereby replaced by '31 March 1976'.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the French Republic.

Done at Brussels, 26 December 1975.

For the Commission

Finn GUNDELACH

Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 143, 28. 5. 1974, p. 15.