COUNCIL DECISION

of 11 November 1980

authorizing prolongation or tacit renewal of certain Trade Agreements concluded between the Member States and third countries

(80/1045/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 113 thereof,

Having regard to Council Decision 69/494/EEC of 16 December 1969 on the progressive standardization of Agreements concerning commercial relations between Member States and third countries and on the negotiations of Community Agreements [1], and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas extension or tacit renewal beyond the end of the transitional period has already been authorized in the case of the Agreements and Protocols listed in the Annex by Council Decision 79/882/EEC [2];

Whereas the Member States concerned have, with a view to avoiding interruption in their commercial relations with the third countries concerned based on agreement, requested authorization to prolong or renew the abovementioned Agreements;

Whereas authorization has to be granted only to maintain such relations, until they are the subject of Community Agreements to be negotiated and such authorization should not, therefore, adversely affect the obligation incumbent upon the Member States to avoid and, where appropriate, to eliminate any incompatibility between such Agreements and the provisions of Community law;

Whereas the provisions of the instruments to be either prolonged or renewed would not, furthermore, during the period under consideration, constitute an obstacle to the implementation of the common commercial policy;

Whereas the Member States concerned have declared that the prolongation or tacit renewal of these Agreements would not constitute an obstacle either to the opening of Community negotiations with the third countries concerned or to the transfer of the commercial fabric thereof to Community Agreements, nor would it, during the period under consideration, hinder the adoption of the measures necessary to complete the standardization of the import arrangements applied by the various Member States;

Whereas at the conclusion of the consultations provided for in Article 2 of Decision 69/494/EEC it was established, as the aforesaid declarations by the Member States confirm, that the provisions of the Agreements to be prolonged or renewed would not, during the period under consideration, constitute an obstacle to the implementation of the common commercial policy;

Whereas, in these circumstances, the Agreements concerned may be either extended or tacitly renewed for a limited period,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Trade Agreements and Protocols between Member States and third countries listed in the Annex hereto may be prolonged or tacitly renewed up to the dates specified in each case in the Annex.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 11 November 1980.

For the Council

The President

C. NEY

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(1) OJ No L 326, 29. 12. 1969, p. 39.
(2) OJ No L 272, 30. 10. 1979, p. 25.

BILAG — ANHANG — ANNEX — ANNEXE — ALLEGATO — BIJLAGE

Medlemsstat	Tredjeland	Aftalens art og datering	Udløb efter forlængelse eller videreførelse
Mitgliedstaat	Drittland	Art und Datum des Abkommens	Ablauf nach Verlängerung
Member State	Third country	Type and date of Agreement	Extended until
État membre	Pays tiers	Nature et date de l'accord	Échéance après reconduction
Stato membro	Paese terzo	Natura e data dell'accordo	Scadenza dopo il rinnovo
Lid-Staat	Derde land	Aard en datum van het akkoord	Vervaldatum na verlenging
BENELUX	Autriche	Accord commercial 29. 6. 1957	31. 3. 1982
	Espagne	Accord commercial 2. 6. 1960	14. 4. 1982
	Norvège	Accord commercial 28. 5. 1957	30. 4. 1982
	Suède	Accord commercial 27. 4. 1957	28. 2. 1982
	Suisse	Accord commercial 21. 6. 1957 et échange de notes 5. 5. 1961	31. 3. 1982
	Tunisie	Accord commercial 1. 8. 1958	31. 3. 1982
DANMARK	Island	Vareudvekslingsaftale 4. 6. 1948	31. 12. 1981
	Norge	Vareudvekslingsoverenskomst 30. 3. 1946 og tillægsprotokol hertil 2. 8. 1966	31. 12. 1981
	Schweiz	Vareudvekslingsaftale 15. 9. 1951	31. 12. 1981
	Sverige	Vareudvekslingsoverenskomst 11. 3. 1948	31. 1. 1982
DEUTSCHLAND	Indonesien	Handelsabkommen vom 22. 4. 1953	31. 3. 1982
	Spanien	Handelsabkommen vom 20. 6. 1960	30. 4. 1982
	Südkorea	Handelsabkommen vom 8. 4. 1965	7. 4. 1982
FRANCE	Afrique du Sud (1)	Échange de lettres 18. 4. 1964	31. 12. 1981
	Corée du Sud	Échange de lettres 12. 3. 1963	31. 3. 1982
	Inde (1)	Accord commercial et échange de lettres 19. 10. 1959	31. 12. 1981
	Irak	Accord commercial 25. 9. 1967	25. 3. 1982
	Liban	Accord commercial 25. 3. 1955	10. 4. 1982
IRELAND	Austria	Trade Agreement concluded by exchange of notes 6. 10. 1950	31. 12. 1981
	Finland	Trade Agreement 1. 6. 1951	31. 12. 1981
	Iceland	Trade Agreement 2. 12. 1950	31. 12. 1981
	Sweden	Trade Agreement 25. 6. 1949	31. 12. 1981
ITALIA	Corea del Sud	Accordo commerciale 9. 3. 1965	8. 3. 1982
	El Salvador	Accordo commerciale 30. 3. 1953 Protocollo addizionale 21. 12. 1955	31. 3. 1982
	Indonesia	Accordo commerciale 23. 3. 1951	31. 3. 1982
	Iran	Scambio di note 29. 1. 1958 23. 3. 1961	9. 2. 1982
	Israele	Accordo commerciale 5. 3. 1954 Scambio di lettere 5. 1. 1956 Processi verbali 21. 10. 1956 11. 2. 1964	31. 3. 1982
	Iugoslavia	Accordo commerciale 1. 7. 1967 Protocollo e scambio di note successivo 30. 4. 1969	31. 12. 1981
	Norvegia	Accordo commerciale 20. 5. 1953 Protocollo 31. 8. 1959 Scambio di note 10. 5. 1962	31. 3. 1982
	Repubblica dominicana	Accordo commerciale 18. 2. 1954	11. 3. 1982
NEDERLAND	Finland	Handelsakkoord 8. 12. 1956	31. 3. 1982

(1) Prorogation par échange de notes.