COMMISSION DECISION

of 23 March 1983

granting financial assistance within the framework of the supplementary measures established in favour of the United Kingdom (North-West of England)

(Only the English text is authentic)

(83/152/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2744/80 of 27 October 1980 establishing supplementary measures in favour of the United Kingdom [1], as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 624/83 [2],

Whereas, in accordance with Article 4 of the said Regulation (EEC) No 2744/80, the United Kingdom has submitted a special programme for the North-West of England;

Whereas the amount of the Community's financial contribution to be granted to the sub-programmes involved in this special programme and eligible under Article 3 of the said Regulation, and which are entitled to be taken into consideration and are set out in the Annex, should be fixed at:

— 20 % for roads,

— 30 % for railways,

— 20 % for water and sewerage,

— 30 % for telecommunications,

respectively of the payments made and estimated by the United Kingdom authorities in the financial year commencing 1 April 1982;

Whereas all the conditions set out in the said Regulation for granting financial assistance to these sub-programmes are met;

Whereas the measures provided for by this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Committee set up under Article 7 (1) of the said Regulation,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Financial assistance of 144,289 million ECU is hereby granted to the sub-programmes forming part of the special programme for the North-West of England which are set out in the Annex hereto.

The sum to be granted to each sub-programme is given in the same Annex.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the United Kingdom.

Done at Brussels, 23 March 1983.

For the Commission

Antonio GIOLITTI

Member of the Commission

(1) OJ No L 284, 29. 10. 1980, p. 4.
(2) OJ No L 73, 19. 3. 1983, p. 6.

ANNEX

SPECIAL PROGRAMME FOR THE NORTH-WEST OF ENGLAND

1. SUB-PROGRAMME: ROADS	
Payments made and estimated by the United Kingdom spending authorities from 1 April 1982 to 31 March 1983:	91 392 000 ECU
Other Community financial contributions granted (1):	
— ERDF	—
— EIB	—
Spending authorities: Department of Transport	
Grant decision:	20 % 18 278 000 ECU
2. SUB-PROGRAMME: RAILWAYS	
Payments made and estimated by the United Kingdom spending authorities from 1 April 1982 to 31 March 1983:	36 349 000 ECU
Other Community financial contributions granted (1):	
— ERDF	5 %
— EIB	—
Spending authorities: British Rail	
Grant decision:	30 % 10 905 000 ECU
3. SUB-PROGRAMME: WATER AND SEWERAGE	
Payments made and estimated by the United Kingdom spending authorities from 1 April 1982 to 31 March 1983:	150 763 000 ECU
Other Community financial contributions granted (1):	
— ERDF	10 %
— EIB	15 %
Spending authorities: North-West Water Authority	
Grant decision:	20 % 30 153 000 ECU
4. SUB-PROGRAMME: TELECOMMUNICATIONS	
Payments made and estimated by the United Kingdom spending authorities from 1 April 1982 to 31 March 1983:	283 178 000 ECU
Other Community financial contributions granted (1):	
— ERDF	5 %
— EIB	5 %
Spending authorities: British Telecommunications	
Grant decision:	30 % 84 953 000 ECU

(1) The figures shown are estimated maxima for each sub-programme, based on projected expenditure on assisted projects and rates of Community support committed. There is no way of establishing a perfect relationship between these amounts which can relate to investments made, very often over a period of more than one year, and the annual United Kingdom special programme expenditures, even when these expenditures partly cover these investments.