DECISION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT

of 14 January 1983

granting a discharge to the Commission of the European Communities in respect of the utilization of the appropriations of the fourth European Development Fund in the 1980 financial year

(83/67/EEC)

THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT,

— having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 206b thereof,

— having regard to the ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé,

— having regard to the internal agreement on the financing and administration of Community aid,

— having regard to the revenue and expenditure account, the balance sheet and the report on the activities of the fourth European Development Fund,

— having regard to the report of the Court of Auditors on the accounts for the 1980 financial year and the answers of the institutions to the report (Doc. 1-820/81) (1),

— having regard to the reports of the Committee on Budgetary Control and the opinion of the Committee on Development and Cooperation (Docs 1-100/82 and 1-760/82),

1. Grants a discharge to the Commission in respect of the following amounts shown in the revenue and expenditure accounts for the 1980 financial year:

— revenue amounting to 1 769 007 705,46 EUA,

— expenditure amounting to 1 454 544 056,99 EUA;

2. Instructs its President to communicate this Decision to the Commission, to forward it to the other institutions and to arrange for its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities* (L series).

The Secretary-General
H.-J. OPITZ

The President
Pieter DANKERT

(1) OJ No C 344, 31. 12. 1981, p. 1.