COUNCIL DECISION

of 21 December 1987

on the conclusion of a Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Lebanese Republic

(88/33/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 238 thereof,

Having regard to the recommendation from the Commission,

Having regard to the assent of the European Parliament [1],

Whereas the Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Lebanese Republic should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Lebanese Republic is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

The text of the Protocol is attached to this Decision.

Article 2

The President of the Council shall give the notification provided for in Article 21 of the Protocol [2].

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

Done at Brussels, 21 December 1987.

For the Council

The President

B. HAARDER

[1] Assent delivered on 16 December 1987 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

[2] The date of entry into force of the Protocol will be published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities* by the General Secretariat of the Council.