COUNCIL DECISION

of 29 April 1997

extending common position 96/635/CFSP on Burma/Myanmar

(97/290/CFSP)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on European Union, and in particular Article J.2 thereof,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. Common position 96/635/CFSP of 28 October 1996 defined by the Council on the basis of Article J.2 of the Treaty on European Union, on Burma/Myanmar [1], is hereby extended for a further renewable period of six months, in view of the considerations mentioned in point 6 thereof.

2. This Decision shall be published in the Official Journal.

Done at Luxembourg, 29 April 1997.

For the Council
The President
H. VAN MIERLO

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[1] OJ No L 287 vom 8. 11. 1996, S. 1.