COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 1656/76

of 29 June 1976

concerning the application of Decision No 1/76 of the EEC-Malta Council of Association derogating from the concept of 'originating products' for reception apparatus falling within heading No 85.15 of the Brussels Tariff Nomenclature

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 the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas an Agreement between the European Economic Community and Malta (1) was signed on 5 December 1970 and entered into force on 1 April 1971 ;

Whereas a Protocol laying down certain provisions relating to the Agreement establishing an association between the European Economic Community and Malta (2) was signed in Brussels on 4 March 1976 and entered into force on 1 June 1976 ;

Whereas under Article 25 of the Protocol concerning the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation, annexed to the above Protocol and forming an integral part of the Agreement, the Council of Association has adopted Decision No 1/76 derogating from the concept of 'originating products' for reception apparatus falling within heading No 85.15 of the Brussels Tariff Nomenclature ;

Whereas it is necessary to apply this Decision in the Community,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

For the purpose of implementing the Agreement between the European Economic Community and Malta, Council of Association Decision No 1/76, of which the text is annexed, shall apply in the Community.

Article 2

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

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Luxembourg, 29 June 1976.

For the Council

The President

G. THORN

(1) OJ No L 61, 14. 3. 1971, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 111, 28. 4. 1976, p. 3.