

**COUNCIL DECISION**

of 15 October 1973

**on Community financing of certain expenditure involved in the supply through the International Committee of the Red Cross of food aid in the form of cereals**

(73/321/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN  
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European  
Economic Community ;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No  
1703/72<sup>(1)</sup> of 3 August 1972, amending Regulation  
(EEC) No 2052/69 concerning Community financing  
of the expenditure resulting from implementation of  
the 1967 Food Aid Convention laying down the rules  
relating to Community financing of the expenditure  
resulting from implementation of the 1971 Food Aid  
Convention and in particular paragraph 1 (b) of  
Article 8 thereof ;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission ;

Whereas in view of the nature of the operations under-  
taken through the International Committee of the Red  
Cross, it appears necessary that the Community  
assume responsibility for the expenditure incurred in

transporting the quantities of aid in the form of  
cereals allotted to this Committee,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS :

*Sole Article*

In respect of the Community's food aid operations  
involving 7 500 metric tons of cereals granted to the  
International Committee of the Red Cross under the  
1972/73 programme, Community financing shall  
extend to the expenditure incurred in transporting the  
products to the ports of offloading or to the frontier of  
the countries of destination.

Done at Luxembourg, 15 October 1973.

*For the Council*

*The President*

I. NØRGAARD

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 180, 8. 8. 1972, p. 1.