

**COMMISSION DECISION**

of 5 October 1976

**excluding from admission free of CCT duties the scientific apparatus described  
as 'AMPEX Recording Apparatus PR 2200'**

(76/812/EEC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN  
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European  
Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No  
1798/75 of 10 July 1975 on the importation free of  
Common Customs Tariff duties of educational, scienti-  
fic and cultural materials<sup>(1)</sup>,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EEC) No  
3195/75 of 2 December 1975 laying down provisions  
for the implementation of Regulation (EEC) No  
1798/75<sup>(2)</sup>, and in particular Article 4 (6) thereof,

Whereas, in response to a request from the Belgian  
Government of 19 January 1976, the Commission  
made a decision on 31 May 1976 recognizing the  
scientific character of the apparatus described as  
'AMPEX Recording Apparatus PR 2200'<sup>(3)</sup>;

Whereas by letter dated 7 May 1976, the Belgian  
Government also requested the Commission to  
determine whether there were currently manufactured  
in the Community apparatus of scientific value equiva-  
lent to the said 'AMPEX Recording Apparatus PR  
2200';

Whereas, in accordance with Article 4 (5) of Regula-  
tion (EEC) No 3195/75, a group of experts composed  
of representatives of all of the Member States met on

16 September 1976 within the Committee on Duty-  
Free Arrangements to examine this particular case;

Whereas this examination shows that apparatus of  
scientific value equivalent to that of the Ampex  
Recording Apparatus PR 2200 is currently manufac-  
tured in the Community under the same trade name  
and with the same characteristics,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

*Article 1*

The conditions referred to in Article 3 (1) (b) of  
Council Regulation (EEC) No 1798/75 of 10 July  
1975 for admission free of CCT duties of the appa-  
ratus described as 'Ampex Recording Apparatus PR  
2200', are not fulfilled.

*Article 2*

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 October 1976.

*For the Commission*

Finn GUNDELACH

*Member of the Commission*

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 184, 15. 7. 1975, p. 1.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 316, 6. 12. 1975, p. 17.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ No L 160, 22. 6. 1976, p. 9.