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COUNCIL

COUNCIL DIRECTIVE

of 18 July 1983

amending Directive 78/627/EEC on the programme to accelerate the restructuring and conversion of vineyards in certain Mediterranean regions in France

(83/362/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament ⁽²⁾,

Whereas a period of five years was considered necessary for carrying out the programme covered by Directive 78/627/EEC ⁽³⁾;

Whereas drawing up the programme took longer than expected; whereas for that reason it did not begin to be implemented until 16 months after the said Directive took effect;

Whereas a period of five years should nevertheless be allowed for implementing the programme,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DIRECTIVE:

Article 1

Article 5 (1) of Directive 78/627/EEC shall be replaced by the following:

'1. The period envisaged for implementing the common measure shall be five years from the date of approval of the programme referred to in Article 2.'

Article 2

This Directive is addressed to the French Republic.

Done at Brussels, 18 July 1983.

For the Council

The President

C. SIMITIS

⁽¹⁾ OJ No C 74, 18. 3. 1983, p. 8.

⁽²⁾ OJ No C 161, 20. 6. 1983, p. 156.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 206, 29. 7. 1978, p. 1.