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COUNCIL DECISION**of 12 December 1968****on the conclusion of an Agreement with Canada negotiated under Article XXVIII (4) of GATT****(68/408/EEC)**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Articles 111, 114 and 228 thereof;

Having regard to the Council Decision of 5 December 1961;

Having regard to the report from the Commission;

Whereas, in accordance with Article XXVIII (4) of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, Canada has notified its wish to postpone to 31 December 1968 at the latest the implementation of the concession rates shown opposite tariff item Nos 9280-1 to 93907-1 inclusive (chemicals and plastics) in Schedule V - Canada in the Annex to the Geneva Protocol (1967), which concessions affect the European Economic Community; whereas that measure has been the subject of negotiations for compensatory adjustment;

Whereas the temporary concessions offered by Canada in compensation for the postponed implementation of the abovementioned concession rates are satisfactory,

Article 1

The Agreement negotiated with Canada under Article XXVIII (4) of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade is concluded on behalf of the European Economic Community; the text of the Agreement is annexed to this Decision.

Article 2

The Contracting Parties to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade shall be notified of the conclusion of this Agreement.

Done at Brussels, 12 December 1968.

For the Council

The President

A. WEHENKEL

ANNEX**ARTICLE XXVIII NEGOTIATIONS - 1968****SCHEDULE V - CANADA**

The delegation of the Commission of the European Communities and Canada have concluded their negotiations under Article XXVIII for the postponement of concessions on certain chemical and plastics items provided for in Schedule V as set out in the report attached.

*For the Delegation of the Commission
of the European Communities*

For the Delegation of Canada

Geneva, Switzerland
30 September 1968

RESULTS OF NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES UNDER ARTICLE XXVIII FOR THE POSTPONEMENT OF CONCESSIONS IN THE SCHEDULE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

CHANGES IN SCHEDULE V - CANADA

Part I

A. Concessions to be postponed

The concession rates of duty shown opposite tariff item Nos 92801 to 93907-1 inclusive (chemicals and plastics) in Schedule V - (Canada) in the Annex to the Geneva (1967) Protocol to the GATT which were to come into effect on 1 July 1968.

B. New concessions to be effective from 1 July 1968 to 31 December 1968:

Item No	Description of products	Rate of duty to be bound
2000-1	Cocoa paste or 'liquor' and chocolate paste or 'liquor', not sweetened, in blocks or cakes per pound	1 ct
2005-1	Butter produced from the cocoa bean	free
10550-1	Zucca melons, peeled or sliced, sulphured or in brine, for use in Canadian manufacturers	5 %
42729-1	Ball- and roller-bearings, n.o.p.; parts thereof	15 %
42738-1	Automatic machines for making and packaging cigars and cigarettes, not to include tobacco-preparing machines; parts thereof	free
44603-1	Manufactures, articles or wares, of iron or steel or of which iron or steel or both are the component materials of chief value, n.o.p.	20 %
59745-1	Accordions	free