

COUNCIL DECISION**of 18 December 1984****extending the collection of information concerning the activities of carriers
participating in cargo liner traffic in certain areas of operation****(84/656/EEC)**

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN
COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community, and in particular Article 84 (2)
thereof,

Having regard to Council Decision 78/774/EEC of 19
September 1978 concerning the activities of certain
third countries in the field of cargo shipping⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to the draft Decision submitted by the
Commission,

Whereas the information collected under Decisions
79/4/EEC⁽²⁾, 80/1181/EEC⁽³⁾, 82/870/EEC⁽⁴⁾ gives
grounds for concern about the competitive position of
Member State liner companies because of the nature of
the competition which they face from certain carriers
in the areas of operation referred to in Annex II to
Decision 79/4/EEC; whereas the collection of infor-
mation about traffic in these areas should therefore
continue;

Whereas the information collected about the traffic
between the Community and the countries referred to
in Article 2 of Decision 80/1181/EEC, in respect of
which detailed rules are established in Decision
81/189/EEC⁽⁵⁾, which was extended by Decision
82/870/EEC also gives grounds for concern about the

competitive position of Member State liner compa-
nies; whereas the collection of information about this
traffic should therefore continue,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

In Articles 1 and 2 of Decision 82/870/EEC, '31
December 1984' is hereby replaced by '31 December
1986'.

Article 2

This Decision shall apply from 1 January 1985.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 18 December 1984.

For the Council

The President

P. BARRY

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 258, 21. 9. 1978, p. 35.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 5, 9. 1. 1979, p. 31.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 350, 23. 12. 1980, p. 44.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 368, 28. 12. 1982, p. 42.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 88, 2. 4. 1981, p. 32.