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## FRANCO-GERMAN TREATY ON THE SAAR

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By their Decision of 22 November 1957 (BISD, Sixth Supplement, page 30), the CONTRACTING PARTIES granted a waiver to France and the Federal Republic of Germany for special measures applied in their trade relations with the Saar, as provided for in the Treaty concluded on 27 October 1956 between France and the Federal Republic of Germany.

By reason of the progressive achievement of the customs union within the European Economic Community, the tariff quotas set forth in lists A and B established in pursuance of the above-mentioned Treaty to permit duty-free imports into the Saar of French goods and duty-free imports into France of goods from the Saar were mostly not taken up in 1968.

Consequently, taking into account the small volume of transactions under the Luxembourg Treaty in relation to overall trade between France and the Saar, no special statistics have been kept in respect thereof.