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CANADA - ARTICLE XXIV:6 RENEGOTIATIONS WITH THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

Note from the Chairman of the Council

Members will recall that at its meeting on 29 November 1974 under the item "Canada - Article XXIV:6 negotiations with the European Communities" the Council endorsed the Chairman's appeal to the Canadian and European Economic Communities representatives to agree that the time-limit under Article XXVIII:3 be extended for two months (C/M/102, 12 December 1974).

The Chairman has now been informed that the two parties have agreed to such an extension. In light of the Council's discussion, referred to above, it is the Chairman's conclusion that the Council welcomes and approves this agreement between the two parties and that this may be put into the records without the necessity of convening a Council meeting at this time for this purpose.