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Calendar of Biennial Reports for Examination

At their twenty-seventh session the CONTRACTING PARTIES instructed the Council to establish a calendar fixing dates for the examination, every two years, of the reports on regional agreements (SR.27/12, page 167).

At its meeting of 14 November 1978 the Council agreed on a time-table covering the period April 1979-October 1980. The time-table is reproduced herewith.

When establishing this time-table the Council was aware that some of the agreements listed were likely to be modified. The time-table will therefore be revised as appropriate.

Contracting parties members of a regional agreement are invited to submit biennial reports on developments under the agreements concerned on the dates indicated. Consideration of the reports should take place at the earliest possible meeting of the Council thereafter.

TIME-TABLE FOR REPORTING DATES

April 1979 - Arab Common Market

- Caribbean Community and Common Market

October 1979 - Agreement Australia-Papua New Guinea

- Agreements EEC-Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia

- Agreements EEC-Austria, Finland, Iceland, Norway, Portugal, Sweden, Switzerland and Liechtenstein

- EFTA/FINEFTA

- Agreement Finland-Hungary

- New Zealand-Australia Free-Trade Area

April 1980 - Agreement EEC-Cyprus

- Agreements EEC-Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, Syria

- Agreement EEC-Israel

- Agreement EEC-Malta

- Agreement EEC-Spain

- Agreement Finland-Czechoslovakia

October 1980 - Central American Common Market

- ACP-EEC Convention of Lomé

- Agreement EEC-Greece

- Agreement EEC-Turkey

- LAFTA