

## Decision of the representatives of the Member States relating to the Act concerning the election of the representatives of the Assembly (20 September 1976)

**Caption:** Decision of the representatives of the Member States meeting in the Council of 20 September 1976 relating to the Act concerning the election of the representatives to the Assembly by direct universal suffrage.

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**Decision of the representatives of the Member States meeting in the Council of 20 September 1976 relating to the Act concerning the election of the representatives of the Assembly by direct universal suffrage (76/787/ECSC, EEC, Euratom)**

THE COUNCIL,

composed of the representatives of the Member States and acting unanimously,

Having regard to Article 21 (3) of the Treaty establishing the European Coal and Steel Community,

Having regard to Article 138 (3) of the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Article 108 (3) of the Treaty establishing the European Atomic Energy Community,

Having regard to the proposal from the Assembly,

Intending to give effect to the conclusions of the European Council in Rome on 1 and 2 December 1975, that the election of the Assembly should be held on a single date within the period May/June 1978,

Has laid down the provisions annexed to this Decision which it recommends to the Member States for adoption in accordance with their respective constitutional requirements.

This Decision and the provisions annexed hereto shall be published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

The Member States shall notify the Secretary-General of the Council of the European Communities without delay of the completion of the procedures necessary in accordance with their respective constitutional requirements for the adoption of the provisions annexed to this Decision.

This Decision shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

Udfærdiget i Bruxelles, den tyvende september nitten hundrede og seksoghalvfjerds.

Geschehen zu Brüssel am zwanzigsten September neunzehnhundertsechundsiebzig.

Done at Brussels on the twentieth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-six.

Fait à Bruxelles, le vingt septembre mil neuf cent soixante-seize.

Arna dhéanamh sa Bhruiséil, an fichiú lá de mhí Mhéan Fómhair, míle naoi gcéad seachtó a sé.

Fatto a Bruxelles, addì venti settembre millenovecentosettantasei.

Gedaan te Brussel, de twintigste september negentienhonderd zesenzeventig.

For Rådet for De europæiske Fællesskaber

Für den Rat der Europäischen Gemeinschaften

For the Council of the European Communities

Pour le Conseil des Communautés européennes

Thar ceann Chomhairle na gComhphobal Eorpach

Per il Consiglio delle Comunità europee

Voor de Raad van de Europese Gemeenschappen

*Formand  
Der Präsident  
The President  
Le président  
An t-Uachtaran  
Il Presidente  
De Voorzitter*

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Le ministre des affaires étrangères du royaume de Belgique  
De Minister van Buitenlandse Zaken van het Koninkrijk België

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Kongeriget Danmarks udenrigsøkonomiminister

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Der Bundesminister des Auswärtigen der Bundesrepublik Deutschland

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Le ministre des affaires étrangères de la République française

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The Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ireland  
Aire Gnóthaí Eachtracha na hÉireann

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Il ministro degli Affari esteri della Repubblica italiana

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Membre du gouvernement du grand-duché de Luxembourg

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De Staatssecretaris van Buitenlandse Zaken van het Koninkrijk der Nederlanden

[signature]

The Minister for Foreign Affairs and of the Commonwealth of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland



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