ARTICLE 32

Amendment

- 1. The Council may by special vote recommend to members an amendment of this Convention. The amendment shall become effective 100 days after the depositary has received notifications of acceptance from exporting members which hold two thirds of the votes of the exporting members and by importing members which hold two thirds of the votes of the importing members, or on such later date as the Council may have determined by special vote. The Council may fix a time within which each member shall notify the depositary of its acceptance of the amendment and, if the amendment has not become effective by such time, it shall be considered withdrawn. The Council shall provide the depositary with the information necessary to determine whether the notifications of acceptance received are sufficient to make the amendment effective.
- 2. Any member on behalf of which notification of acceptance of an amendment has not been made by the date on which such amendment becomes effective shall as of that date cease to be a party to this Convention, unless such member has satisfied the Council that acceptance could not be secured in time owing to difficulties in completing its constitutional procedures and the Council decides to extend for such member the period fixed for acceptance. Such member shall not be bound by the amendment before it has notified its acceptance thereof.

ARTICLE 33

Duration, extension and termination

- 1. This Convention shall remain in force until 30 June 1991, unless extended under paragraph 2 of this Article, or terminated earlier under paragraph 3 of this Article, or replaced before that date by a new agreement or convention negotiated under Article 22.
- 2. The Council may, by special vote, extend this Convention beyond 30 June 1991 for successive periods not exceeding two years on each occasion. Any member which does not accept such extension of this occasion. Any member which does not accept such extension of this Convention shall so inform the Council and shall cease to be a party to this Convention from the beginning of the period of extension.
- 3. The Council may at any time decide, by special vote, to terminate this Convention with effect from such date and subject to such conditions as it may determine.
- 4. Upon termination of this Convention, the Council shall continue in being for such time as may be required to carry out its liquidation and shall have such powers and exercise such functions as may be necessary for that purpose.
- 5. The Council shall notify the depositary of any action taken under paragraph 2 or paragraph 3 of this Article.