

COUNCIL OF EUROPE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS

RESOLUTION (76) 44

AMENDING RESOLUTION (74) 25 AS AMENDED BY RESOLUTION (74) 41 LAYING DOWN THE SCALE OF MEMBER STATES' CONTRIBUTIONS TO COUNCIL OF EUROPE BUDGETS FOLLOWING THE ACCESSION OF PORTUGAL

*(Adopted by the Committee of Ministers on 12 November 1976
at the 262nd meeting of the Ministers' Deputies)*

The Committee of Ministers,

Having regard to Resolution (76) 37 on the accession of Portugal to the Council of Europe, which lays down the percentage of Portugal's contribution to Council of Europe budgets;

Considering that the tables appearing in Appendices I and II to Resolution (74) 25, as amended by Resolution (74) 41, need to be amended accordingly,

Resolves as follows :

The tables appearing in Appendices I and II to Resolution (74) 25, as amended by Resolution (74) 41, shall be superseded as from 1 January 1977 by the tables appended hereto.

APPENDIX I TABLES

DETERMINATION OF THE SCALE OF CONTRIBUTIONS
TO THE GENERAL BUDGET

A. Initial data

Member states	A Population in millions rounded up to nearest 50 000 ¹	B GNP in 1970 (\$ million) ²	C GNP per head of population (\$)	D Percentage according to population	E Percentage according to GNP
Iceland	0.25	480	1 920	0.08	0.06
Luxembourg	0.35	1 000	2 857	0.10	0.14
Malta	0.35	225	643	0.10	0.03
Cyprus	0.65	522	803	0.20	0.07
Ireland	3.00	3 890	1 296	0.90	0.53
Norway	3.95	11 390	2 883	1.19	1.55
Denmark	5.00	15 570	3 114	1.50	2.13
Switzerland	6.35	20 310	3 198	1.91	2.77
Austria	7.45	14 370	1 929	2.24	1.96
Portugal	8.95	6 250	698	2.69	0.85
Sweden	8.15	30 910	3 793	2.45	4.22
Greece	8.85	9 054	1 023	2.66	1.24
Belgium	9.75	25 880	2 654	2.93	3.53
Netherlands	13.20	31 280	2 370	3.97	4.27
Turkey	36.20	12 560	350	10.88	1.71
France	51.30	148 230	2 889	15.42	20.22
Italy	54.10	92 850	1 716	16.26	12.67
United Kingdom	55.60	121 180	2 179	16.72	16.53
Fed. Rep. of Germany	59.20	187 050	3 159	17.80	25.52

1. UN *Monthly Bulletin of Statistics* (September 1970).

2. OECD *Main Economic Indicators*.

B. Calculations

Member states	F Weighted average columns D (x 1) and E (x 5)	G Application of 0.12% floor and 18% ceiling to column F	H % of GNP population in group of states	I % of GNP per head of population within group	J Simple average of columns H and I	K Final percentage contribution obtained by applying column J percentage to the group aggregate shown in column G
<i>1st group :</i>						
Iceland	0.06	0.12	15.62	30.85	23.23	0.12
Luxembourg	0.13	0.13	21.87	45.91	33.89	0.13
Malta	0.04	0.12	21.87	10.33	16.10	0.12
Cyprus	0.09	0.12	40.64	12.91	26.78	0.12
<i>2nd group :</i>						
Ireland	0.59	0.62	43.17	31.01	37.09	0.81
Norway	1.49	1.56	56.83	68.99	62.91	1.7
<i>3rd group :</i>						
Denmark	2.03	2.13	27.17	37.78	32.47	2.27
Switzerland	2.63	2.76	33.77	38.80	36.29	2.54
Austria	2.01	2.11	39.06	23.42	31.24	2.19
<i>4th group :</i>						
Portugal	1.16	1.22	18.30	6.62	12.46	1.86
Sweden	3.92	4.12	16.67	35.99	26.33	3.93
Greece	1.48	1.56	18.10	9.71	13.90	2.08
Belgium	3.43	3.60	19.94	25.19	22.57	3.37
Netherlands	4.22	4.43	26.99	22.49	24.74	3.69
<i>5th group :</i>						
Turkey	3.24	3.40	-	-	-	3.40
<i>6th group :</i>						
France	19.42	18.00	-	-	-	18.00
Italy	13.27	18.00	-	-	-	18.00
United Kingdom	16.56	18.00	-	-	-	18.00
Fed. Rep. of Germany	24.23	18.00	-	-	-	18.00

APPENDIX II TABLE

SCALE OF CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE GENERAL BUDGET

Member states	%
Iceland	0.12
Luxembourg.....	0.13
Malta	0.12
Cyprus	0.12
Ireland	0.81
Norway	1.37
Denmark	2.27
Switzerland	2.54
Austria	2.19
Portugal	1.86
Sweden	3.93
Greece.....	2.08
Belgium	3.37
Netherlands	3.69
Turkey	3.40
France.....	18.00
Italy.....	18.00
United Kingdom.....	18.00
Federal Republic of Germany.....	18.00
	100.00

Floor : 0.12%

Ceiling : 18.00%