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## APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP BY

## REGIONAL ECONOMIC INTEGRATION ORGANIZATION

By letter dated 25 November 1991, the Netherlands have requested the Conference to consider the suspension of Rule XIX of the General Rules of the Organization in order to allow for the European Economic Community's application for membership in FAO to be considered at the present Session of the FAO Conference (Appendix A).

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His Excellency
Mr. E. Saouma
Director-General of the
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Via delle Terme di Caracalla
Rome.

Subject: EC admittance to FAO

Excellency,

On behalf of the Netherlands, in its capacity of current President of the European Community, I have the honour to herewith submit the request of the European Economic Community to be admitted as a member to the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations.

This request is accompanied by an "Instrument of Acceptance" and a "Declaration of Competence by the European Economic Community in respect of Matters covered by the Constitution of the FAO".

Please accept, Excellency, the assurance consideration.

my highest

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Excellency,

I would be grateful if the Conference of the FAO would consider the suspension of Rule XIX of the General Rules of the Organization in order to allow for the European Economic Community's application for membership in the FAO to be considered at the present Session of the FAO Conference.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurance of my highest consideration.

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