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from : General Secretariat of the Council

to : Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 1)

No. prev. doc. : 8415/96 AVIATION 12 RESTREINT

No. Cion prop. : 6940/95 AVIATION 5 RESTREINT [SEC(95) 646 final]

Subject : Decision by the Council authorizing the Commission to open negotiations, on behalf of the European Community, with the United States in the field of air transport

1. At its meeting on 17 June 1996, the Council by qualified majority ⁽¹⁾ reached agreement to authorise the Commission, on behalf of the European Community, to open negotiations with the United States in the field of air transport.
2. The Permanent Representatives Committee is asked to give its agreement on:
 - the text of the Decision in document 8415/96 AVIATION 12 RESTREINT, arising from the Recommendation for a Council Decision as contained in doc. 6940/95 AVIATION 5 RESTREINT supplemented by document 12349/95 AVIATION 17 RESTREINT, which was submitted by the Commission to the Council and amended following the discussion in the Council meeting on 17 June 1996;
 - the entering into the minutes of the Council meeting at which the decision is adopted of the draft statements contained in doc. 8441/96 AVIATION 13 ADD 1 RESTREINT.

⁽¹⁾ The United Kingdom delegation voted against.

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