Pursuant to Article 7:1, the Committee of the Protocol Regarding Milk Fat decides that when any participant holds exceptionally large stocks of butter aged at least 18 months for which no alternative disposal outlets are immediately available and for which export sales at a price not less than the minimum price cannot be made, the participant is authorized to sell this butter aged at least 18 months when it is removed from stocks, and in any event is manufactured before 1 April 1986 and/or fats manufactured from such butter, at prices inferior to the prices referred to in Article 3 of said Protocol, under the following conditions:

1. The participant shall notify, in advance, and as soon as possible to the Chairman and the secretariat of the Committee, the intention to export these products, specifying all the details of the proposed sale and, especially, the quantities, the prices, the country of destination, the delivery period. In addition, it will immediately notify all subsequent alterations which may be introduced to that sale. The secretariat shall immediately advise all participants of all relevant details.

2. The participant who carries out such exports shall take all possible steps to ensure that the products concerned are finally consumed in the country of destination.

3. (a) The minimum quantity contracted for each sale to a single country of destination under this derogation may not be less than:
   - 100,000 tonnes of butter or
   - 50,000 tonnes of fat manufactured from such butter with the addition of a tracer unless the inclusion of a tracer is explicitly excluded by the importing country.

(b) The delivery period from the date of sale may not exceed:
   - 15 months for sales up to 150,000 tonnes of butter
   - 18 months for sales in excess of 150,000 tonnes of butter
   - 15 months for sales of milk fat.
4. If, as a result of sales made under this derogation, other participants who have regularly supplied to the destinations concerned encounter difficulties regarding the maintenance of their traditional volume of butter sales to those destinations, the participant who has carried out such sales under this derogation shall open consultations with the other above mentioned participants at their request. The purpose of these consultations shall be to define the measures to be taken to enable the above mentioned participants to realize their traditional volume of sales.

5. The Committee shall closely follow the developments related to this derogation, in particular the realization of traditional volume of sales on the markets where sales have been made under this derogation, by participants who are regular suppliers to those destinations. Participants having recourse to this derogation shall regularly inform the Committee on the evolution of their butter stocks. A special meeting of the Committee shall be convened at any time in accordance with Article IV:6 of the Arrangement at the request of any participant.

6. This derogation shall remain in force up to 31 December 1986 unless earlier repealed.