

CHAPTER XVIII: RELATIONS BETWEEN THE COMMUNITY AND OTHER REGIONAL ECONOMIC COMMUNITIES

Article 79

The Community and Other Regional Economic Communities

1. In the context of realizing its regional objectives, the Community may enter into cooperation agreements with other regional Communities.
2. Such cooperation agreements entered into in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 1 of this Article shall be subject to prior approval by the Council upon the proposal of the Executive Secretary.

CHAPTER XIX: RELATIONS BETWEEN THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT AND THE SPECIALISED INSTITUTIONS OF THE COMMUNITY

Article 80

The Executive Secretariat and the Specialised Institutions

1. The Community shall determine the global integration policies and strategies to be adopted and define the integration objectives and programmes of all the institutions of the Community.
2. The Executive Secretariat shall be responsible for harmonizing and coordinating all activities and programmes of the institutions of the Community within the context of regional integration.

Article 81

Relations Between the Community and Regional Non-Governmental Organizations