# TITLE II

# TRANSITIONAL MEASURES

## ARTICLE 9

- 1. The reductions in customs duties and charges having equivalent effect which are provided for in the Association Agreement shall be applied in the new Member States, in accordance with the percentages and timetable laid down, upon entry into force of this Protocol. The rates resulting from application of these reductions as regards Annex 2 and Annex 6 of the Additional Protocol may, however, in no case, be lower than those applied by the new Member States to the Community as originally constituted.
- 2. By way of derogation from paragraph 1, in respect of the products listed in Annex I, customs duties equal to the duties applied to Member States other than the United Kingdom may be applied with regard to Turkey by Ireland until 31 December 1975.
- 3. The rates on the basis of which the new Member States apply to Turkey the reductions provided for in paragraph 1 shall be those which they apply at the time to third countries.
- 4. By way of derogation from the preceding paragraphs, should the application of these provisions temporarily result in tariff movements away from alignment on the final duty, Denmark, Ireland, and the United Kingdom may maintain their duties until the level of those duties has been reached on the occasion of a subsequent alignment, or they may apply the duty resulting from a subsequent alignment as soon as this alignment reaches or passes the said level.

#### ARTICLE 10

The new Member States shall align their customs duties of a fiscal nature or the fiscal element of these duties, relating to the products listed in Annex 2, on the duties provided for in the Association Agreement by applying to Turkey the same treatment as that applied to other Member States.

Article 9 shall apply to the protective element of these duties.

### ARTICLE 11

- 1. In respect of the new Member States, Turkey shall reduce the difference between the customs duties and charges having equivalent effect which it applies to third countries and those which it applies to the Community as originally constituted under the Association Agreement by instalments of 20% in accordance with the following timetable:
  - the first alignment shall be carried out as from the entry into force of this Protocol;
  - the four succeeding alignments shall be made on 1 January 1974, 1 January 1975, 1 January 1976 and 1 July 1977.
- 2. If this Protocol enters into force after
  1 January 1974, Turkey shall apply to the new Member
  States the level of alignment resulting from the timetable
  shown in paragraph 1 as from its entry into force.

- In the event of any change in the timetable or in the rate of reduction laid down for the abolition of the customs duties and charges having equivalent effect applied by the new Member States to the Community as originally constituted, the Association Council shall take the measures necessary to take account of such a change.
- 4. The Association Council may adopt suitable measures to ensure that the reductions to be applied by Turkey to the new Member States coincide with the time-limits provided for in the Additional Protocol.

## ARTICLE 12

The preferential treatment provided for in the Additional Protocol shall also apply to goods manufactured in Turkey using products from a Member State or from a new Member State that were not in free circulation in Turkey.

The application of these provisions to the said goods in a new Member State or in one of the original Member States may, however, be subject to the imposition in Turkey of a levy as long as the duties and charges having equivalent effect applied in respect of trade between the Member States and Turkey are different from those applied in respect of trade between the original Member States and the new Member States.

Article 3 of the Additional Protocol shall be applicable mutatis mutandis.

### ARTICLE 13

- 1. The import arrangements applied by Ireland in respect of products listed in Annex III shall be eliminated with regard to Turkey not later than 1 July 1975 and 1 January 1985 respectively, in accordance with procedures to be determined by the Association Council.
- 2. Until 31 December 1974 imports into the United Kingdom from Turkey of the products listed in Annex IV of this Protocol may be limited to the following annual quotas:

- 1973 quota: 306 metric tons - 1974 quota: 368 metric tons.

### ARTICLE 14

During a period ending 1 July 1977 the tariff quotas provided for in Article 1(2) of Annex II of the Additional Protocol shall be allocated as follows:

Cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale (heading No 55.05 of the Common Customs Tariff):

- Community as originally constituted: 300 metric tons
- Denmark : 40 metric tons
- Ireland : 10 metric tons
- United Kingdom : 40 metric tons

Other woven fabrics of cotton (heading No 55.09 of the Common Customs Tariff):

- Community as originally constituted: 1,000 metric tons
- Denmark : 20 metric tons
- Ireland : 10 metric tons
- United Kingdom : 360 metric tons

## ARTICLE 15

- 1. During the period specified in Article 14 the minimum price laid down in Article 4(3) of Annex 6 to the Additional Protocol shall, in the new Member States, be calculated by reference to the incidence of the duties they apply at the time with regard to third countries.
- 2. During the same period the levies and variable and fixed components referred to in Annex 6 to the Additional Protocol shall, in the new Member States, be calculated by reference to the rates they apply at the time with regard to third countries.

# TITLE III

# FINAL PROVISIONS

## ARTICLE 16

This Protocol and the Annexes thereto form an integral part of the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and Turkey.