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(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

CONFERENCE OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES

DECISION TAKEN BY COMMON ACCORD BY THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY AT THE LEVEL OF HEADS OF STATE OR GOVERNMENT

of 13 December 1996

appointing the President of the European Monetary Institute

(96/734/EC)

THE HEADS OF STATE OR GOVERNMENT OF THE MEMBER STATES OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 109f (1), second subparagraph thereof, and to Article 9.3 of the Protocol on the Statute of the European Monetary Institute,

Having regard to the recommendation of the Council of the European Monetary Institute,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Having regard to the opinion of the Council,

HAVE DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Sole Article

Baron Alexandre LAMFALUSSY is hereby reappointed President of the European Monetary Institute for the period 1 January to 30 June 1997.

Done at Dublin, 13 December 1996.

The President

J. BRUTON