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DECISION OF THE ENERGY CHARTER CONFERENCE

**adopted by the Energy Charter Conference at its 7th Meeting held on 11th May 2001
concerning the request of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia to become a party to the
European Energy Charter and the Energy Charter Treaty**

[as presented in Annex III to doc. CC 192]

The Conference, acting pursuant to Section VIII of the Final Act of the European Energy Charter Conference, approves the application of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia to become a signatory of the Concluding Document of the Hague Conference on the European Energy Charter. The Conference, furthermore, invites the Government of the Netherlands, as Depositary of the Charter, to make appropriate arrangements for implementing this decision.

The Conference, pending the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia's signature of the European Energy Charter, invites the Secretariat to prepare the terms for accession to the Energy Charter Treaty and the Energy Charter Protocol on Energy Efficiency and Related Environmental Aspects in close co-operation and consultation with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia and, when completed, submit the necessary documentation to the Conference for approval. The Conference requests the Government of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia to initiate the accession process.

The Conference invites the Government of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, pending its accession to the Energy Charter Treaty, to participate in the Charter process as an observer.