

Draft reply by the French delegation to the WEU Council to written question 93 (London, 23 June 1965)

Caption: In a note dated 23 June 1965, the Secretary-General of Western European Union (WEU) circulates question 93 put by German Assembly member Georg Kliesing (see document WPM(481)) and the draft reply by the French delegation to the WEU Council to this question. The reply confirms that the French and British delegations will examine, at the appropriate stage, the conditions for the association of other Member States. Decisions regarding participation or the communication of information will be considered by the steering committee set up by the agreement of 17 May 1965.

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SECRETARY-GENERAL'S NOTE

Written question 93 put to the Council
by a member of the Assembly

The Secretary-General circulates herewith a reply drafted by the French delegation to written question 93, put to the Council by Mr. Kliesing, a member of the Assembly, and circulated as C (65) 113.

The working group will consider this draft at its next meeting at 10.30 a.m. on 24th June.


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Text of written question 93 put to the Council
by Mr. Kliesing
(Cf. C (65) 113)

Further to written question 80 of 14th February 1965 concerning Franco-British collaboration on the development of a light strike and trainer aircraft, will the Council, now the agreement has been concluded on 17th May 1965, inform the Assembly whether adherence of other member States to the agreement would be possible and, if so, under what conditions?

If it is true that some 1,000 light strike and trainer aircraft will be needed in the whole of Western Europe, will not common development and production be advisable?

Will the Council promote this co-operation?

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Draft reply

As the Council stated in their replies to written questions 80 and 90, the French and British Governments will be ready to examine, at the appropriate stage, under what conditions other member States of the Organisation can be associated with the agreement on co-operation signed on 17th May 1965.

Decisions regarding the communication of information or the participation of other countries in this programme will be considered by the steering committee set up under the terms of the Agreement.

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