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The Council adopted the decision concerning aid to refugees in the Near East . The new Convention, which covered the period 1996-98, confirmed the continued commitment of the Community to assist UNRWA: the Community was to contribute to UNRWA a certain amount in cash each year in order to help finance the education and health programme. The sums in question would be ECU 28 million in 1996, ECU 29.4 million in 1997 and ECU 30.9 million in 1998 for the education programme;
ECU 3.4 million in 1996, ECU 3.6 million in 1997 and ECU 3.8 million in 1998 for the health programme and ECU 2.7 million in 1996, ECU 2.3 million in 1997 and ECU 1.8 million in 1998 for other contributions to the health programme (including the implementation and development of the family planning programme and payments to support staff). The allocations made to the three programmes concerned would be subject to adjustment each year as a function of the needs of UNRWA.