No. 6862. CUSTOMS CONVENTION ON THE TEMPORARY IMPORTATION OF PROFESSIONAL EQUIPMENT. DONE AT BRUSSELS ON 8 JUNE 1961.1

RATIFICATION

Instrument deposited with the Secretary-General of the Customs Co-operation Council on:

11 July 1969

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY

(To take effect on 11 October 1969. On depositing the instrument, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany declared that the Convention shall also apply to *Land* Berlin.)

ACCESSION

Instrument deposited with the Secretary-General of the Customs Co-operation Council on:

19 July 1969

POLAND

(To take effect on 19 October 1969.)

With the following declaration:

Following the declaration by the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany concerning the application to West Berlin of the Customs Convention on the Temporary Importation of Professional Equipment done at Brussels on 8th June 1961, ¹ the Embassy of the Polish People's Republic have the honour to state, on behalf of their Government, that the Government of the Polish People's Republic reject the declaration of the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany since that declaration is contrary to the international status of West Berlin which has never been and is not part of the Federal Republic of Germany.

Certified statements were registered by the Customs Co-operation Council on 30 July 1969.

¹ United Nations, Treaty Series, vol. 473, p. 153; for subsequent actions relating to this Convention, see Cumulative Indexes Nos. 6 to 8, as well as annex A in volumes 619, 636 and 638.