

**EC to deliver 81,000 t of grain** (Text) Jean Claude, EC economic counsellor in Maputo, told AIM today that his organisation will deliver about 81,000 t of grain to Mozambique by December. The source added that the foodstuffs include wheat flour, corn and rice and will be distributed to the country's private trading network through the Office for Food Security. The grain will then be sold to consumers. Jean Claude said that in 1987 the EC allocated more than 3.5m dollars to Mozambique for the purchase and distribution of 110,000 t of grain. This was confirmed by a source within the Trade Ministry, adding that in the first two quarters of 1988 the EC allocated some 2.6m dollars to Mozambique. The money was used to pay for transportation of food aid. (*Maputo home service in Portuguese 1730 gmt 29 Oct 88*)