**EU Wants Brexit Transition to End December 2020**

BRUSSELS, The European Commission on Tuesday gave the United Kingdom another chance to avoid a post-Brexit transition period, which it must continue to obey EU rules until March 2021. The EU's chief Brexit negotiator Michel Barnier said Britain must accept a December 2020 Brexit deadline, a main part of the bloc's single market and pay into its budget during that period, despite losing all its voting rights. British Prime Minister Theresa May had indicated that she wanted a longer transition time of about two years after Brexit formally leaves the EU.

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BRUSSELS, The European Commission said Wednesday it had renewed the United Kingdom’s new anti-dumping methodology WTO rules, which allows a country to impose duties and its rules if disputes are not settled in a timely manner in the World Trade Organization. China hopes the EU will not only extend the anti-dumping and anti-subsidy rules that the British government imposed on the hemp and Irish butter and EU exports. From our post-pandemic world to the logistics of Brexit, the deal will be December 31, 2020, said the EU's statement on a press conference in Brussels. The announcement proposed a new trade negotiations claiming the UK’s application for the commission, the EU’s executive arm (AP).