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insert after "He preferred the" the words Line 10: "provision in the".

Line 16: insert after "India could not" the word "fully".

Line 19: for "Article XXV" read "Article XXXV"

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Delete the second paragraph and substitute the following:

"M. LECUYER (France) thought that some of the fears expressed regarding the results of the Annecy negotiations were justified.

Two solutions had been proposed, should negotiations with acceding governments fail to bring about adequate concessions.

The first, proposed by the Secretariat, was that a contracting party that was not satisfied could refuse to sign the Protocol with respect to the acceding government and so in fact impose a sanction on that government by granting it neither the benefit of most-favoured-nation treatment nor that of the Geneva concessions.

The second solution, provided by the present text, was that a contracting party that did not regard the concessions made by an acceding government as adequate could refuse to sign the Decision with respect to that acceding government.

The first solution had the serious drawback of creating two categories of acceding governments, i.e. some who would enjoy the Geneva concessions and others who would not. In the case of the second solution, the procedure laid down in paragraph 5(b) of Article XXV provided a remedy for inadequate concessions, preferred this latter solution".