

GENERAL AGREEMENT
ON TARIFFS AND
TRADE

ACCORD GENERAL SUR
LES TARIFS DOUANIERS
ET LE COMMERCE

RESTRICTED
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GATT/CP/40/Add.5
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ORIGINAL: ENGLISH

Contracting Parties

SIGNATURE OF VARIOUS PROTOCOLS

Note by Executive Secretary

ADDENDUM

According to the latest advices received from the Secretary-General of the United Nations, the following acceptances and signatures for various protocols to the General Agreement have been received :

a. Annecy Protocol of Terms of Accession

On November 30th the following contracting parties had signed the Annecy Protocol of Terms of Accession in respect of the ten acceding governments :

Australia	Lebanon
Belgium	Luxemburg
Brazil	Netherlands
Burma	New Zealand
Canada	Norway
Ceylon	Pakistan
Chile	Southern Rhodesia
China	Syria
Czechoslovakia	Union of South Africa
France	United Kingdom
India	United States

The Protocol has also been signed by the Governments of Haiti and Liberia. Haiti has also taken the appropriate action in accordance with paragraph 6 of the Annecy Protocol in respect of all other Protocols which have not yet become effective, and will therefore become a contracting party on January 1, 1950. Subject to confirmation that it has taken similar action, Liberia will also become a contracting party on that date.

The Governments of Denmark, Dominican Republic, Finland, Greece, Italy, Nicaragua, Sweden and Uruguay may become contracting parties thirty days after effective signature of the Annecy Protocol (up to April 30, 1950), provided such signature is accompanied by the appropriate action on other Protocols not yet in force. These governments are reminded once more that signature of the Annecy Protocol to be effective must be accompanied by the following action :

- (i) Instruments of acceptance are to be deposited for :
- Protocol 4 The Protocol modifying Part I and Article XXIX.
 - Protocol 7 The Protocol modifying Article XXVI
- (ii) The following Protocols are to be signed :
- Protocol 8 The Protocol Replacing Schedule I (Australia)
 - Protocol 9 The Protocol Replacing Schedule VI (Ceylon)
- The Third Protocol of Rectifications
The First Protocol of Modifications

On 15 November, the Government of Canada gave notice of intention to apply the concessions provided for in Schedule V of Annex A, pursuant to paragraph 3 of the Protocol. Notification by the Government of the United States was reported in GATT/CP/40.

b. Protocol 2 - Special Protocol Relating to Article XXIV

An instrument of acceptance on behalf of the Government of Norway was deposited with the Secretary-General of the United Nations on 16 November 1949.

c. Protocol 7 - Protocol Modifying Article XXVI

Norway.

d. Protocol 8 - Protocol Replacing Schedule I (Australia)

Luxemburg, Norway, Union of South Africa.

e. Protocol 9 - Protocol Replacing Schedule VI (Ceylon)

Luxemburg, Norway, Union of South Africa.

f. Third Protocol of Rectifications

Luxemburg, Norway.

g. First Protocol of Modifications

China, Luxemburg, New Zealand, Norway, Union of South Africa.

