

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

LIMITED B
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ORIGINAL: ENGLISH

CONTRACTING PARTIES

SIGNATURE OF VARIOUS PROTOCOLS

1. SIGNATURE OF ANNECY PROTOCOL OF TERMS OF ACCESSION

Signature by Dominican Republic

The Ancey Protocol was signed on behalf of the Dominican Republic on 19 April and hence the Dominican Republic will become a contracting party on 19 May.

This signature was accompanied by the appropriate action for the acceptance of the following protocols;

Protocol 4 modifying Part I of Article XXIX
Protocol 8 replacing Schedule I (Australia)
Protocol 9 replacing Schedule VI (Ceylon)
First Protocol of Modifications
Third Protocol of Rectifications
Fourth Protocol of Rectifications.

Acceptance of Protocols by Liberia

On 20th April the Government of Liberia deposited instruments of acceptance for Protocol 4 modifying Part I and Article XXIX and Protocol 7 modifying Article XXVI. This completes the formalities for Liberia's accession to the Agreement and therefore Liberia will become a contracting party on 20th May.

2. APPLICATION OF SCHEDULES IN ANNEX A TO THE ANNECY PROTOCOL OF TERMS OF ACCESSION

In terms of paragraph 3 of the Ancey Protocol the following contracting parties have notified the Secretary-General of the United Nations of their intention to apply the concessions provided for in their respective Schedules in Annex A to the Protocol:

On 18th April, by the United Kingdom, as from 1st January 1950.
On 19th April, by Pakistan.
On 19th April by France as from 19th May.

Notifications under paragraph 3 by Benelux, Ceylon and Czechoslovakia were reported in document GATT/CP.4/6/Add.1. Notifications by Canada, Chile, South Africa and the United States were reported in earlier addenda in the present series.

3. PROTOCOL 2 RELATING TO ARTICLE XXIV

Acceptance by Southern Rhodesia

On 18th April the Government of Southern Rhodesia deposited with the Secretary-General of the United Nations an instrument of acceptance for the Special Protocol relating to Article XXIV.

