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CONTRACTING PARTIES

LIST OF DECISIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND DECLARATIONS OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES, INCLUDING RULINGS, SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES, ETC.

1. This list of Decisions, etc., of the Contracting Parties, together with references to background information and subsequent action, has been compiled in accordance with the instructions of the Contracting Parties at the Fourth Session (Cf. GATT/CP.4/SR.19).

2. Part I covers those Decisions, etc. which have been included in previous collections cf such documents, viz:

> U.N. Publications: 1948 IID 5 (March 1948) GATT/CP/1 (21 September 1948) GATT/CP/32 (30 September 1949) GATT/CP/61 (24 April 1950).

3. Part II gives interpretations, rulings, etc. by the Contracting Parties, either through voting or informally, on matters submitted for their consideration.

4. The record of action taken pursuant to the Decision, etc. covers the period up to June 30, 1950.

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