

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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CONTRACTING PARTIES

Signatures of the Torquay Final Act and Annexed Documents

Addendum

I. Torquay Decisions on Accession

June 20 was the last day for the signing of the accession Decisions. The Decision for each of the six governments which participated in the Torquay Conference with a view to acceding to the Agreement has been signed by more than the required majority of two-thirds of the contracting parties. Accordingly, the six Decisions annexed to the Final Act of the Torquay Protocol constitute Decisions of the Contracting Parties as of 21 June, 1951.

The following are the contracting parties which signed the Decisions:

Decisions on Austria, Peru, Philippines and Turkey

Australia	Dominican Republic	Netherlands
Belgium	Finland	New Zealand
Burma	France	Norway
Canada	Greece	Pakistan
Ceylon	Haiti	Southern Rhodesia
Chile	India	Sweden
Cuba	Italy	U. of South Africa
Czechoslovakia	Liberia	United Kingdom
Denmark	Luxemburg	United States

Decision on Germany

Australia	Finland	New Zealand
Belgium	France	Norway
Burma *	Greece	Pakistan
Canada	Haiti	Southern Rhodesia
Ceylon	India	Sweden
Chile	Italy	U. of South Africa
Cuba	Liberia	United Kingdom
Denmark	Luxemburg	United States
Dominican Republic	Netherlands	

* On signing the Decisions for Germany and Korea, the Government of Burma made a statement to the effect that its signature of these Decisions cannot be interpreted as intending or implying diplomatic recognition. The Secretary-General of the United Nations has advised that he considers the Burmese observation as an expression of an accepted principle and not as a reservation.

Decision on Korea

Australia	France	Norway
Belgium	Greece	Pakistan
Burma *	Haiti	Southern Rhodesia
Canada	India	Sweden
Ceylon	Italy	U. of South Africa
Chile	Liberia	United Kingdom
Cuba	Luxemburg	United States
Denmark	Netherlands	
Dominican Republic	New Zealand	

The Government of Indonesia advised on 19 June that it could not observe the final date for the signature of the Decisions but requested that the contracting parties be informed that Indonesia was prepared to accept the accession of Austria, Germany, Peru, Philippines and Turkey.

II. Torquay Protocol

The Torquay Protocol has been signed by the following contracting parties:

	<u>Date of Signature</u>	<u>Date of Application of the Schedule</u>
Liberia (No Schedule)	19 June
Southern Rhodesia (Schedule XVI)	20 June	20 July **

The signature of the Torquay Protocol by Czechoslovakia (reported in GATT/CP/112/Add.2) was accompanied by the following statement: "The signature by Czechoslovakia cannot be interpreted as an explicit or implicit recognition by Czechoslovakia of the Governments of Western Germany or Southern Korea or of their legal capacity to accede to the General Agreement".

III. Declaration on Continued Application of Schedules

On 19 June the Declaration was signed by Liberia.

On 21 April the Government of Pakistan gave an undertaking (See GATT/CP/112) that, pending final approval of the terms of the Declaration, Pakistan would not invoke paragraph 1 of Article XXVIII for the purpose of securing modification of concessions. The Executive Secretary has now been advised, by letter dated 12 June, that the Government of Pakistan has approved of the terms of the Declaration.

* See note on page 1.

** The entry into force of this schedule is subject to any action that may be taken under paragraph 4 of the Torquay Protocol.