

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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## NOTE VERBALE FROM ROMANIA

The following communication dated 21 October 1974 has been received from the Permanent Mission of Romania by the Chairman of the Committee of countries which are parties to the Protocol relating to Trade Negotiations among Developing Countries.

The Permanent Mission of the Socialist Republic of Romania in Geneva has the honour to inform the Chairman of the Committee of countries which are parties to the Protocol relating to Trade Negotiations among Developing Countries of the desire of the Romanian party to explore possibilities for acceding to the Trade Protocol on the basis of tariff concessions.<sup>1</sup> Resort to this procedure is intended to identify all the conditions and potential benefits of Romania's participation in the Protocol, without constituting a commitment to accede. For information purposes, a list of products included in the annexes to the Protocol which are of export interest to Romania is included herewith. It should also be noted that Romania would be interested in the inclusion of a larger number of industrial products in the Schedules of tariff concessions of the countries which are parties to the Protocol.

### Products Included in the Schedules of Concessions Annexed to the Protocol which are of Export Interest to Romania

#### EGYPT

- ex 32.09 Varnishes and paint, anorganic pigments
- ex 39.02 Polyethylene, polyvinyl chloride
- ex 82.05 Interchangeable tools
- ex 84.23 Bulldozers, levellers, equipment for the mining and petroleum extraction industries
- ex 90.17 Medical instruments and appliances

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<sup>1</sup>Procedures for accession including procedures for exploring the possibilities for an exchange of tariff concessions are outlined in document CPC/S/1.

GREECE

28.56 Calcium carbide  
ex 44.13 Standard parquet flooring  
ex 44.18 So-called "artificial" or "reconstituted" wood  
ex 58.01 Carpets  
ex 85.01 Electrical motors, transformers  
ex 87.02 Motor vehicles for use in town or of the jeep type; sanitary vehicles; vehicles for the transport of goods

INDIA

ex 39.02 Polyvinyl acetate  
ex 40.11 Rubber tyres  
ex 73.18 Tubes and pipes, of iron or steel  
ex 73.20 Tube and pipe fittings of cast iron, iron or steel  
ex 84.45 Machine tools for working metal

ISRAEL

07.04 Dried garlic  
ex 31.03 Superphosphates  
ex 42.02 Travel goods, of leather; leather articles of the handicraft type  
ex 44.27 Various wood manufactures; articles of wood of the handicraft type

PAKISTAN

ex 84.23 Bulldozers, levellers, excavators

SPAIN

ex 33.06 Various cosmetics  
ex 44.14 Veneer sheets, of wood  
ex 73.38 Various household and domestic articles, of iron or steel

TUNISIA

ex 85.01 Electrical motors  
87.01 Tractors

TURKEY

ex 28.17 Sodium hydroxide  
ex 40.11 Rubber tyres  
ex 82.03 Hand tools  
ex 90.26 Electricity supply meters

YUGOSLAVIA

ex 73.13 Sheets and plates of iron and steel, hot-rolled or cold-rolled  
ex 74.03 Bars, rods, angles, shapes and sections, of copper; copperwire  
ex 76.15 Household and domestic utensils, of aluminium

NOTE: In 1972 and 1973, Romania did not export any of the products included in the Schedules of Concessions granted under the Protocol by Brazil, Mexico, Peru, Chile, Uruguay and the Philippines.