

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

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CPC/W/128

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## TARIFFS AND TRADE

Special Distribution

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Preferential Arrangements  
Among Developing Countries  
Negotiated in GATT

COMMITTEE OF PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES

Meeting to be held on 15 October 1987

The Committee of Participating Countries provided for in the Protocol Relating to Trade Negotiations Among Developing Countries will hold its forty-ninth meeting on 15 October 1987, at 9.30 a.m. in the Centre William Rappard, 154 Rue de Lausanne, Geneva. The meeting will also be open to delegations of countries having signed but not yet ratified the Protocol.

The following items have been proposed for inclusion in the agenda for the meeting:

1. Expansion of trade among developing countries (paragraphs 3-8 of the Summary of Discussions at the last meeting (CPC/88)). At the last meeting the Committee took note of the comments and suggestions made by members with respect to the proposal to submit lists of items for which they would intend to liberalize the conditions of access in the framework of the Protocol. The Committee also considered the follow-up to the requests submitted by Bangladesh to a number of participating countries and the legal implications thereof. The Committee also agreed to revert to the question of the expansion of trade among developing countries at its next meeting. Members of the Committee may wish to review developments and exchange views on matters relevant to this agenda item.
2. Annual Report. A draft annual report prepared by the secretariat has been circulated as CPC/W/126 and Addenda.
3. Certification of origin. Additional information concerning certification of origin provided by Israel has been circulated in documents CPC/10/Addendum 27 and 28.
4. Derestriction of documents. In accordance with the procedures adopted by the Committee, a list of documents which would appear to be eligible for derestriction has been circulated as CPC/W/127.
5. Other business.