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Note by the Secretariat

Addendum

Finland - certain iron or steel screws

Finland has announced an indicative basic import price of Fmk 6 per kg. on screws (other than wood screws) with hexagonal heads, of iron or steel other than stainless or acid-resisting steel (tariff position 73.32.193). The indicative basic price came into effect on 5 July 1982 and runs until 4 July 1983.

Import tariff rates normally applicable to screws under item 73.32.193 are as follows:

- m.f.n.: 15 per cent
- EEC, EFTA, Soviet Union: Free
- Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Democratic Republic of Germany, Hungary and Poland: 5.2 per cent
- GSP: Free.

Finnish imports under tariff position 73.32.193 in 1980 amounted to Fmk 25,814,000. Developing country suppliers were: Yugoslavia (Fmk 278,000) and Argentina (Fmk 210,000).

Hungary - balance-of-payments safeguard measures

In document L/5363 of 7 September 1982, Hungary has notified the CONTRACTING PARTIES that it is introducing temporary restrictive measures on imports under Article XII:2(a) of the General Agreement. The measures which the Hungarian Government has decided to introduce are the following:

- import quotas on certain primary products;
- import surcharges on certain components.