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CERTIFICATES OF ORIGIN

Views of Contracting Parties on I.C.C. Proposals

The following statements have been received from the Governments of Indonesia, Japan and the United States of America:

INDONESIA

"The Indonesian Government does not require certificates of origin for the import of goods. Therefore, I do not have any special comment to make for the consideration of the proposal of the International Chamber of Commerce on this matter by the CONTRACTING PARTIES at the Eleventh Session."

JAPAN

"The Japanese Government fully supports the resolution on certificates of origin ... adopted by the International Chamber of Commerce."

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

"The Government of the United States agrees with the proposal of the International Chamber of Commerce to amend the second recommendation concerning proof of origin, adopted by the CONTRACTING PARTIES on 23 October 1953.

"In agreeing to this proposal, the Government of the United States does not thereby necessarily endorse the particular statements that the International Chamber of Commerce has used in urging the amendment."

