

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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Action in Respect of Ophthalmic Frames, Sunglass Frames and Sunglasses

Addendum

Extension of Time-Limit

The following joint communication dated 23 December 1975 has been received from the Permanent Missions of Australia and Japan.

GATT document L/4169/Add.2 dated 24 September 1975 contains a communication from the Governments of Australia and Japan agreeing to an extension of the ninety-day period under GATT Article XIX with respect to consultations on Australia's Article XIX action on ophthalmic frames, sunglass frames and sunglasses.

These consultations, however, will not be concluded prior to the expiration of the agreed extension of ninety days. Therefore, the Governments of Australia and Japan have agreed that their reciprocal rights and obligations under the General Agreement shall be maintained as though the ninety-day period set forth in Article XIX:3 shall begin to run as from 1 April 1976.