GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

DERESTRICTION OF DOCUMENTS

Note by the Secretariat

- 1. At its second meeting, held on 24 April 1980, the Committee agreed that
 - "... a procedure (for the derestriction of documents) based on customary GATT practices would be followed, i.e. that working documents and minutes would never be derestricted and that the secretariat should make a proposal annually regarding other documents to be derestricted at the end of the year and that these documents would be derestricted if no delegation objected to the proposal." (TBT/M/2, para. 26)
- 2. At its seventeenth meeting, the Committee also agreed to derestrict the full set of working documents prepared for the fifth annual review (TBT/M/17, para.54).
- 3. The following documents are being proposed for derestriction:

TBT/1/Add.33
TBT/1/Add.34
TBT/1/Add.35
TBT/16/Rev.2
TBT/18
TBT/18/Suppl.1
TBT/19
TBT/W/25/Rev.9
TBT/W/31/Rev.4
TBT/W/31/Rev.4/Corr.1
TBT/W/62/Rev.1

4. Any signatory wishing any of these documents, or part of a document, to remain restricted is invited to notify the secretariat not later than 14 December 1984.