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## LATVIA - REQUEST FOR OBSERVER STATUS

The following communication, dated 13 July 1992, has been received by the Director-General from the Prime Minister of the Republic of Latvia.

The Government of the Republic of Latvia is pleased to inform the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade that the Republic of Latvia hereby requests observer status in the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

The Government of Latvia hopes that this will be only the first step in the development of closer links with the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, with a view to eventual accession to full membership.