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ARTICLE XIX - ACTION BY AUSTRIA

<u>Certain Types of Cement and Certain</u> <u>Preparations Containing Cement</u>

Addendum

The following communication, dated 6 April 1993, has been received from the Permanent Mission of the Slovak Republic.

The reference is made to document L/6899/Add.4, dated 10 March 1993, by which Austria notified the contracting parties its decision to take emergency action under Article XIX in respect of imports of certain types of cement and certain preparations containing cement originating in certain countries, including the Slovak Republic, and its readiness, in accordance with Article XIX of the GATT, to enter into consultations in respect of this action with the contracting parties having a substantial interest in exporting the above-mentioned products to the Austrian market.

Following the instructions of my Government, I wish to take the opportunity given by the provisions of Article XIX of the General Agreement and request for consultations between the Slovak Republic and Austria on that matter at the date and place to be mutually agreed upon.