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ARTICLE XIX - ACTION BY AUSTRIA

Certain Types of Fertilizers

Communication from the Czech Republic

Addendum

The following communication, dated 11 May 1993, has been received from the Permanent Mission of the Czech Republic.

I refer to document L/7204, dated 28 April 1993, in which Austria notified the contracting parties of its decision to take emergency action under Article XIX in respect of imports of certain types of fertilizers, and that Austria is prepared, in accordance with the requirement of Article XIX of the GATT, to enter into consultations with any contracting party having a substantial interest in exporting the concerned products to the Austrian market.

On instructions of my Government, I wish to request that consultations under the provisions of the Article XIX of the General Agreement be held between the Czech Republic and Austria at a date and venue to be mutually agreed upon. At the same time, the Czech Republic reserves all rights accruing to it under Article XIX.