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## ACCESSION OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION

The following communication, dated 4 June 1993, has been received from the Government of the Russian Federation with the request that it be circulated to the contracting parties.

On behalf of the Government of the Russian Federation, I request hereby that the question of the accession of the Russian Federation to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade under its Article XXXIII be inscribed on the agenda of the meeting of the Council of Representatives scheduled to take place on 16 June 1993, for adopting the necessary decision for appropriate action, including the establishment of a working party to examine the accession of the Government of the Russian Federation to GATT.