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COMMUNICATION FROM MEXICO

The following communication, transmitted to the Chairman of the Committee on 13 May 1994, has been received from Mexico with the request that it be circulated to members of the Committee.

I am writing to inform you that the Ministry of Trade and Industrial Development of Mexico has published the National Standardization Programme for 1994 in the Diario Oficial de la Federación (Mexican Official Journal) of 6 May 1994.

The Programme lists the titles of the Mexican Official Standards ("technical regulations") and Mexican Standards ("voluntary standards") which the Government of Mexico intends to draft during this year.

All the draft standards prepared under this Programme will be published in good time in the Mexican Official Journal and, as appropriate, notified to the Committee.

This information is provided in the interests of transparency, without prejudice to the possible trade effects of the future standards on other parties.