

**GENERAL AGREEMENT
ON TARIFFS AND TRADE**

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ROSTER OF NON-GOVERNMENTAL PANELISTS

1. At their Fortieth Session in November 1984, the CONTRACTING PARTIES decided that, on a trial basis and for a period of one year, "contracting parties should indicate to the Director-General the names of persons they think qualified to serve as panelists who are not presently affiliated with national administrations but who have a high degree of knowledge of international trade and experience of the GATT" and that "these names should be used to develop a short roster of panelists to be agreed upon by the CONTRACTING PARTIES in consultations with the Director-General" (BISD 31S/9).
2. The first roster was agreed upon by the Council at its meeting in November 1985 (L/5906). The Council agreed at its meeting in November 1986 to extend the roster for an additional year, i.e., until November 1987. At its meeting in November 1987, the Council agreed to extend the roster for a further year, with some amendments (L/6269). At their Session in November 1988, the CONTRACTING PARTIES decided to extend the roster for an additional year and approved one additional nomination (L/6425). At its meeting in November 1989, the Council agreed to extend the roster for a further year, as set out in C/W/615 as amended.
3. At its meeting in November 1990, the Council agreed to extend the roster, with an additional nomination, provisionally for a further period until the conclusion of the Uruguay Round negotiations on dispute settlement rules and procedures (L/6763).
4. At its meeting on 21 June 1994, the Council agreed to extend the roster, as amended at that meeting, until the entry into force of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes contained in Annex II of the Agreement establishing the World Trade Organization. The roster is reproduced hereunder.

<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>QUALIFICATIONS PRESENT FUNCTIONS</u>
AUSTRALIA	Mr. Francis Patrick DONOVAN*	Former Special Trade Representative in Geneva.
	Mr. Lindsay DUTHIE*	Retired following a distinguished career in Australian Government Service. Chairmanship rôles in the Uruguay Round trade negotiations. Wide experience in international trade and commodity issues.

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AUSTRIA	Mr. Wolfgang BENEDEK*	Associate Professor for International Law and International Organizations, University of Graz.
	Mr. Rudolf MARTINS*	Former Ambassador, Permanent Representative, Geneva. Former Vice-Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES.
	Mr. Erik NETTEL*	Former Ambassador and Permanent Representative, Geneva. Former Chairman of the GATT Council, the CONTRACTING PARTIES, and of various GATT panels. Former Chief Legal Adviser and Director-General for Legal Affairs in the Austrian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Retired.
BANGLADESH	Mr. Kazi Mahhubul MATIN	Research Fellow at Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies.
BRAZIL	Mr. George A. MACIEL*	Former Ambassador, Permanent Representative, Geneva. Former Chairman of the GATT Council and of the CONTRACTING PARTIES.
	Dr. Durval de NORONHA GOYOS Jr.*	Member, Brazilian Bar Association. Chairman, Brazilian Bar's Committee on GATT. <u>Ad hoc</u> government representative for Uruguay Round in 1992 and 1993 in the area of services. Author of several books on trade and financial law.
	Mr. Marcelo de PAIVA ABREU*	Director of the Department of Economics, Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro. Extensive work in Economics and Inter-national Trade, including specific studies on GATT

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BRAZIL (cont'd)		and the Uruguay Round. Former Director of the Brazilian Institute for Funding of Research and Technology Projects (FINEP), and National Secretary of Economy.
	Mr. Luiz Augusto PEREIRA SOUTO MAYOR*	Former representative of Brazil to the International Coffee Organization, International Sugar Organization and Brazilian Ambassador to the European Community.
CANADA	Mr. Melvin G. CLARK*	Trade Consultant. Former Deputy Head of Canadian Delegation to MTNs 1975-1979.
	Mr. Percy E. EASTHAM*	Former Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations, Geneva. Former Director General, Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce, and Department of External Affairs. Retired from Government, and working as trade consultant.
	Mr. A.L. HALLIDAY*	International Trade Consultant. Retired in 1991 from Government service. Former Assistant Under-Secretary, Department of External Affairs and International Trade. Former Director in Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce.
	Professor D.M. MCRAE*	Dean, Faculty of Law, University of Ottawa. Former Adviser to, and Counsellor in, Department of External Affairs. Chairman and member of dispute settlement panels under the Canada-US and US-Israel Free-Trade Agreements. Consultant to UN Under Secretary for Law of the Sea.

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CANADA (cont'd)	Mr. J.C. THOMAS*	Counsel to the Government of Mexico during North American Free-Trade Agreement negotiations. Senior Policy Adviser to Minister for International Trade during Canada-US Free-Trade Agreement negotiations. Former panelist in a GATT dispute and in disputes under the Canada-US Free-Trade Agreement. Former Assistant Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Ottawa.
	Mr. Jack Hamilton WARREN*	Vice-Chairman, Bank of Montreal. Former Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES. Former Canadian Coordinator for the MTNs.
COLOMBIA	Mr. Ricardo MELENDEZ*	Executive Director, Fundación Futuro Latino Americano, Ecuador. Former Counsellor at Mission in Geneva, and Principal Advisor (International Negotiations) to Minister of Economic Development, Bogotá.
	Mr. Eduardo WIESSNER*	Executive Director of the World Bank for Colombia, Brazil, Ecuador, Dominican Republic, Haiti, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago and the Philippines. Former Special Trade Representative and Director of the IMF, Geneva. Minister of Finance, Colombia. Minister of Planning, Colombia.

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CONGO	Mr. Marcel CASTNOU Mr. Auxence ICKHONGA Mr. Hervé MAYORDOME Mr. François ODZALI	
EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES		
BELGIUM	Mr. Roger BIRON*	Former official of Belgian Ministry of Agriculture.
	Mr. G. STUYCK*	Former Ambassador, Permanent Representative, Geneva. Belgian delegate during Kennedy Round Negotiations. Former Vice-Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES.
DENMARK	Mr. Torben JANZTEN*	Vice-President of Danish Bank of 1971. Former Head of the Commercial Policy Division, EFTA Secretariat.
FRANCE	Mr. Pierre-Marie COLMANT*	International Consultant. Former Vice-Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES.
GERMANY	Dr. Meinhard HILF*	Professor for European and International Law, University of Bielefeld. Chair for Public, European and International Law since 1982.
	Mr. Hans-Jürgen ROHR*	Former State Secretary in the Federal Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Forestry.

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ITALY	Mr. Giampiero SCHIRATTI*	Former Director of Directorate "H" (International Affairs concerning Agriculture) in the EC Commission. Participated in several GATT panels on disputes in the agriculture sector. Recently retired, and served as advisor to Poland and Slovenia in the reform of their agricultural policies.
	Mr. Giorgio SACERDOTI*	Professor of International Law at the University of Bergamo.
LUXEMBOURG	Mr. Pierre PESCATORE*	Former Judge at Court of Justice of the European Communities.
NETHERLANDS	Dr. G.B. de GROOTH*	Former Director-General for External Economic Relations, Ministry of Economic Affairs.
	Mr. P. van de LOCHT*	Former Head, Multilateral Trade Policy Division in the Ministry of Economic Affairs. Former Deputy Permanent Representative, Geneva. Former Chairman of the GATT Working Party on Renegotiation of Poland's Protocol of Accession.
	Mr. F.G. MOQUETTE*	Former Director for Multilateral Affairs in the Ministry of Economic Affairs of the Netherlands. Participation in the CG18 and the GATT Council.
SPAIN	Mr. Juan Antonio CASTILLO URRUTIA*	Former Deputy Director-General of Multilateral Trade Policy (1971-1982). Former Deputy Trade Counsellor and Permanent Representative for Commercial Affairs, Geneva. Retired.

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	Mr. Huberto VILLAR*	Former Deputy Permanent Representative for Economic Affairs, Geneva. Professor of Economic Theory. Retired.
UNITED KINGDOM	Mr. Robin GRAY*	Former Deputy Secretary, Department of Trade and Industry.
	Mr. Peter J. WILLIAMS*	Former Director of the GATT Non-Tariff Measures Division.
FINLAND	Mr. K.A. SAHLGREN*	Former Ambassador. Former Chairman of the GATT Council and of GATT Working Parties on Accession of Hungary and US Import Surcharge, as well as Chairman of two GATT panels.
HONG KONG	Mr. William DORWARD*	Former Commissioner for Hong Kong Economic Affairs to the United States. Former Secretary for Trade and Industry, Hong Kong.
HUNGARY	Mr. Iván SZÁSZ*	Former Chief of the Mission of Hungary to the European Communities. Former Chief Legal Counsel and Secretary General of the Ministry of Foreign Trade. Managing Partner of the Budapest Office of the US firm Stroock and Stroock and Lavan. Retired.
INDIA	Mr. N.R. REGE*	Former Director of the GATT Technical Barriers to Trade and Trade and Environment Division. Presently freelance consultant in area of trade policy and trade and environment law.

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ISRAEL	Mr. E.F. HARAN*	Former Ambassador. Delegate of Israel for Multilateral Trade Negotiations. Former Chairman of GATT panel.
ISRAEL (cont'd)	Mr. Michael ROM*	Retired from the Israeli Civil Service following a career in the field of foreign trade. Served as a representative in several International Organizations.
	Mr. Moshe SAMADAR*	Former Director of Foreign Trade Administration.
	Mr. Adin TALBAR*	Former Director of Foreign Trade Administration.
JAPAN	Mr. Makoto KURODA*	Former Vice-Minister of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry.
	Mr. Mitsuo MATSUSHITA*	Professor of Law at the University of Tokyo.
	Mr. Hiromichi MIYAZAKI*	Former Ambassador of Japan to the Federal Republic of Germany.
	Mr. Bunroku YOSHINO*	President, Institute for International Economic Affairs. Former Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs.
KOREA, Rep. of	Mr. Sun Kil KIM*	Chairman of the Korea Securities Dealers Association. Former Vice-Minister of Trade and Industry.
	Mr. Chul Jin KIM*	President of the Korea Licensing Corporation. Former Director of Tariff Policy Division, Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

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NEW ZEALAND	Mr. Henry Curran HOLDEN*	Director, New Zealand Steel Limited. Former Deputy Secretary, Department of Trade and Industry.
NORWAY	Mr. Per KLEPPE*	Retired following a distinguished career in Norway, holding several ministerial posts, as well as internationally, serving <u>inter alia</u> as NORWAY Secretary-General of the EFTA Secretariat for seven years.
PERU	Mr. Claudio HERZKA Buchdahl*	Senior Economist.
SOUTH AFRICA	Mr. Alfred Louis FOSTER*	Freelance customs consultant.
SWEDEN	Mr. Nic GRÖNVALL*	LLB, PhD, President of the EFTA Committee of members of Parliament, Nominee to Executive Member of the EFTA Surveillance Authority.
	Mr. Carl Henrik von PLATEN*	Former Ambassador, Geneva and OECD.
SWITZERLAND	Mr. Heinz HAUSER*	Professor of Economics, University of St. Gallen. Chairman, Swiss Institute for Research into International Economic Relations, Economic Structures and Regional Sciences.
	Mr. Richard SENTI*	Professor of Economics, Chairman of Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Center of Economic Research, Zurich.
TURKEY	Mr. Istemi PARMAN*	Former member of Mission in Geneva.

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	Mr. Sermet R. PASIN*	Former Assistant Director-General, GATT.
UNITED STATES	Mr. Lawrence A. FOX*	Former Vice-President for International Affairs of the National Association of Manufacturers.
	Mr. Joseph A. GREENWALD*	Former Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs.
	Mr. Robert E. HUDEC*	Professor of Law at University of Minnesota. Former Assistant General Counsel at the Office of the Special Trade Representative.
	Mr. John H. JACKSON*	Professor of Law at the University of Michigan. Former General Counsel at the Office of the Special Trade Representative.
	Mr. William B. KELLY*	Former Deputy-Director General, GATT. Former Associate US Trade Representative and Chairman, Trade Policy Staff Committee, Executive Office of the President. Presently lecturing and writing on international trade.

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