GENERAL AGREEMENT

ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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MOROCCO - ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW SCHEDULE LXXXI

Extension of Time-Limit

Decision of 21 July 1994¹

Considering that the CONTRACTING PARTIES, by Decisions of 20 July 1992², 19 July 1993³, and 17 January 1994⁴, suspended the application of the provisions of Article II of the General Agreement to the extent necessary to enable the Government of Morocco to implement the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (Harmonized System) on 1 July 1992 and carry out negotiations subsequently;

Noting that the documents have not yet been submitted owing to the follow-up work on the Uruguay Round negotiations and the evaluation of their results, as well as the preparations for the Marrakesh Conference;

Considering that the Government of Morocco has requested an extension of the waiver until 31 December 1994⁴;

The CONTRACTING PARTIES, acting pursuant to the provisions of Article XXV:5 of the General Agreement,

<u>Decide</u>, in view of the exceptional circumstances, to extend the time-limit provided for in the decision of 20 July 1992 until 31 December 1994.

¹The Decision was adopted by postal ballot. There were 71 votes in favour and none against.

²L/7068.

³L/7277.

⁴L/7386.

⁴L/7469.