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TRAINING ACTIVITIES

The GATT Trade Policy Courses

Note by the Director-General

1. The GATT secretariat organized four Trade Policy Courses during 1994: two regular Courses, of fourteen weeks duration each, in English and in Spanish; a nine-week Special Course, in English, for officials from Eastern and Central European and Central Asian countries; and a five-week Special Course, also in English, with simultaneous interpretation in Russian, for officials from the Russian Federation and Ukraine.

I. Regular Courses

2. The regular Trade Policy Courses are intended for government officials from developing countries (both contracting parties and others) involved in the formulation and implementation of trade policy. The heightened awareness of trade policy issues in developing countries engendered by the Uruguay Round Negotiations, and the growing number of developing countries acceding to the GATT or expressing interest in accession, have further increased interest in participation in the GATT Trade Policy Courses.

3. The Trade Policy Courses aim at enhancing the participating officials' understanding of trade policy matters and providing them with an up-to-date knowledge of the work of the GATT, international trade law and the functioning of the multilateral trading system. The knowledge and experience gained by the participating officials is expected to improve the effectiveness of their work in their own administrations and to promote a more active participation of their countries in the multilateral trading system and in the work of the GATT/WTO.

4. The Course programme includes lectures and discussions on the theory and structure of international trade, the formulation and implementation of trade policy, the interaction between monetary and fiscal policies and trade policy, the provisions of the General Agreement and its related instruments, the work of the GATT, the main problems and issues in international trade relations, and Multilateral Trade Negotiations in GATT. Recent Courses have focused particularly on issues covered in the Uruguay Round of Multilateral Trade Negotiations, (especially subjects of particular interest to developing countries, such as agriculture, textiles, subsidies, dumping and dispute settlement, as well as the new subjects such as trade in services and intellectual property), and the structure and scope of activities of the future World Trade Organization. The Course programme also addresses other issues of interest to developing countries, such as regional economic integration, and the interaction between trade and environmental policies. Lectures are for the most part given by GATT officials directly dealing with the respective subjects. The Course programme also includes presentations by a number of outside consultants, senior officials from other international organizations, and guest speakers from some of the permanent delegations in Geneva.

5. As a complement to the lectures, the Course programme includes practical work, comprising group discussions, round tables, and the preparation and presentation of seminar papers on GATT-related subjects. The participating officials take part in a workshop on negotiating techniques, organized with the financial support of the Swiss Government. They also participate in a trade negotiations simulation exercise, in which they are required to use and apply the knowledge of trade policy issues acquired in the Course, and a dispute settlement simulation exercise, which enables them to get a better understanding of the practical working of the dispute settlement mechanism of GATT/WTO.

6. Attendance at some official meetings in the GATT is also a part of the Course programme. This allows the participants to directly observe the functioning of the GATT as an institution, and the procedures followed by the GATT in dealing with problems that emerge in the system.

7. In addition to the lectures and the practical work, the programme of the regular Courses includes two study tours: one in Switzerland and the other abroad, which are meant to familiarize the participants with the trade and general economic policies of the host countries, and the economic, social and political factors that underlie the formulation of these policies, and the organization, structure and operations of some of their leading industrial and commercial enterprises. The study tours also contribute to promote mutually beneficial contacts between the participants and institutions and enterprises in the host countries.

8. The Seventy-seventh Trade Policy Course, the first of the two regular Courses organized during 1994, took place from 24 January to 29 April and was conducted in Spanish. The Seventy-eighth Trade Policy Course, in English, began on 29 August and will end on 2 December. As part of the Course programme, participants in the Spanish-speaking Course undertook a study tour in Spain, organized with the cooperation of the Spanish Government. The participants in the current English-speaking Course undertook their study tour in the Netherlands and Denmark. This tour was organized with the financial support and cooperation of the governments of the two host countries. Participants of the regular Courses also undertook a short study tour in Switzerland.

9. Since 1955, when the GATT Trade Policy Courses started, 1,390 officials from 125 countries and ten regional organizations have participated in the regular Courses (Annex A). Annex B contains lists of the officials who participated in the regular GATT Trade Policy Courses in 1994.

## **II. Special Trade Policy Course for Eastern and Central European and Central Asian Countries**

10. With the financial support of the Swiss Government, the GATT Secretariat organized the Fourth Special Trade Policy Course for Eastern and Central European and Central Asian Countries, which took place in Geneva from 24 May to 22 July 1994. Twenty-four officials from nineteen countries participated in the Course (Annex C).

11. The programme for the Fourth Special Course was designed to respond to the training needs of the economies in transition, especially those with less experience in GATT matters. The Course programme dealt with the work of the GATT and with the results of the Uruguay Round of Multilateral Trade Negotiations, including the structure and scope of activities of the future WTO. Topics of direct relevance to the participating countries were emphasized, such as the process of trade policy reform in economies in transition; the interaction between monetary and fiscal policy and trade policy; the transition from the GATT 1947 to the WTO; the conditions for accession to the GATT/WTO; the experience of GATT membership of some Central and Eastern European countries, and the GATT status of bilateral regional arrangements between some of the participating countries and the European Union and EFTA countries. The Course programme also included practical work, such as the preparation and presentation of seminar papers and participation in round tables and simulation exercises.

12. As a part of the Course programme, a study tour in Switzerland was organized for the participants in the Fourth Special Course. The programme of the study tour included meetings and discussions with senior officials in the Swiss Federal Government responsible for the formulation and implementation of trade and economic policies, relations with the economies in transition, and visits to some important Swiss industries and institutions connected with foreign trade.

### III. Special GATT Course for Officials from the Russian Federation and Ukraine

13. In addition to the two regular Trade Policy Courses and the Fourth Special Course for Eastern and Central European and Central Asian Countries, the GATT secretariat organized, at the request and with the financial support of the Government of the United States of America, a Special Course for officials from the Russian Federation and Ukraine, to respond to their pressing needs for training in the area of trade policy. This five-week Course is taking place in Geneva from 17 October to 18 November 1994. Twenty-four officials from the two countries, who have responsibilities in the formulation and conduct of foreign trade policy, are participating in the Course (Annex D). The Course is conducted in English with simultaneous interpretation in Russian.

14. The Course curriculum was designed as a comprehensive introduction to the structure and functioning of the multilateral trading system, and includes lectures on international trade theory, the main aspects of the work of the GATT, and the results of the Uruguay Round of Multilateral Trade Negotiations. Particular emphasis was placed on issues such as agriculture and services, and topics of special relevance to the countries represented in the Course, such as the way regional economic integration agreements are dealt with in GATT. The programme includes a Tariff Negotiations Simulation Exercise.

### IV. Acknowledgements

15. The Director-General expresses his gratitude to the Swiss Government for its continued financing of the Special Trade Policy Courses for Eastern and Central European and Central Asian countries, as well as the workshop on negotiating techniques included in the Course programmes, and to the Government of the United States of America for its initiative in proposing and financing the Special GATT Course for Officials from the Russian Federation and Ukraine. He would like to express his appreciation to the Government of Spain for its cooperation in organizing the study tour for the 77th Trade Policy Course, and to the Governments of the Netherlands and Denmark for having hosted the 78th Trade Policy Course. Furthermore, he would like to extend his thanks to the Permanent Missions, and the international organizations and bodies, namely the International Monetary Fund, the World Bank, the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, the International Trade Centre UNCTAD/GATT, the World Intellectual Property Organization, and the United Nations Development Programme, for the continued cooperation and contributions made to the GATT training activities.

ANNEX A

Area Distribution of Participants in the Regular Courses  
from December 1955 to October 1994

|                          | Fellowship<br>Holders | Non-Fellowship<br>Participants |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| <u>Africa</u>            | <u>425</u>            | <u>4</u>                       |
| (Forty-seven countries)  |                       |                                |
| (Five organizations)     |                       |                                |
| Algeria                  | 6                     |                                |
| Angola                   | 1                     |                                |
| Benin                    | 13                    |                                |
| Botswana                 | 1                     |                                |
| Burkina Faso             | 3                     |                                |
| Burundi                  | 11                    |                                |
| Cameroon                 | 12                    |                                |
| Central African Republic | 12                    |                                |
| Chad                     | 4                     |                                |
| Comoros                  | 3                     |                                |
| Congo                    | 13                    |                                |
| Côte d'Ivoire            | 9                     |                                |
| Egypt                    | 33                    | 1                              |
| Equatorial Guinea        | 3                     |                                |
| Ethiopia                 | 8                     |                                |
| Gabon                    | 7                     |                                |
| Gambia                   | 5                     |                                |
| Ghana                    | 22                    | 1                              |
| Guinea                   | 7                     |                                |
| Guinea-Bissau            | 2                     |                                |
| Kenya                    | 14                    |                                |
| Lesotho                  | 3                     |                                |
| Liberia                  | 1                     |                                |
| Libya                    | 2                     |                                |
| Madagascar               | 23                    |                                |
| Malawi                   | 16                    |                                |
| Mali                     | 12                    |                                |
| Mauritius                | 4                     |                                |
| Morocco                  | 10                    |                                |
| Mozambique               | 2                     |                                |
| Niger                    | 3                     |                                |
| Nigeria                  | 23                    | 1                              |
| Rwanda                   | 4                     |                                |
| Senegal                  | 15                    |                                |
| Sierra Leone             | 6                     |                                |
| Somalia                  | 3                     |                                |
| South Africa             | 1                     |                                |
| Sudan                    | 10                    |                                |
| Swaziland                | 1                     |                                |
| Tanzania                 | 17                    |                                |
| Togo                     | 16                    |                                |

|                         | Fellowship<br>Holders | Non-Fellowship<br>Participants |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Tunisia                 | 14                    |                                |
| Uganda                  | 8                     |                                |
| Zaire                   | 15                    | 1                              |
| Zambia                  | 9                     |                                |
| Zimbabwe                | 6                     |                                |
| Other                   | 4                     |                                |
| CEAO                    | 1                     |                                |
| CEPGL                   | 1                     |                                |
| Mano River Union        | 2                     |                                |
| OAU                     | 1                     |                                |
| UDEAC                   | 3                     |                                |
| <u>Asia</u>             | <u>311</u>            | <u>22</u>                      |
| (Excluding Middle East) |                       |                                |
| (Thirty countries)      |                       |                                |
| Afghanistan             | 1                     |                                |
| Bangladesh              | 15                    |                                |
| Bhutan                  | 1                     |                                |
| Brunei Darussalam       | 1                     |                                |
| China                   | 14                    |                                |
| Fiji                    | 4                     |                                |
| Hong Kong               | 9                     | 17                             |
| India                   | 36                    |                                |
| Indonesia               | 26                    |                                |
| Iran                    | 7                     |                                |
| Japan                   |                       | 3                              |
| Kampuchea               | 3                     |                                |
| Korea                   | 19                    |                                |
| Lao P.D.R.              | 5                     |                                |
| Macau                   | 2                     |                                |
| Malaysia                | 17                    |                                |
| Maldives                | 1                     |                                |
| Mongolia                | 3                     |                                |
| Myanmar                 | 16                    |                                |
| Nepal                   | 5                     |                                |
| Pakistan                | 23                    |                                |
| Fapua New Guinea        | 4                     |                                |
| Philippines             | 25                    |                                |
| Singapore               | 8                     |                                |
| Sri Lanka               | 24                    |                                |
| Thailand                | 23                    | 2                              |
| Tonga                   | 2                     |                                |
| Vanuatu                 | 1                     |                                |
| Viet Nam                | 14                    |                                |
| Other                   | 2                     |                                |

|   | Fellowship<br>Holders | Non-Fellowship<br>Participants |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| <u>Middle East</u>                      | <u>79</u>             | <u>1</u>                       |
| (Nine countries)                        |                       |                                |
| (One organization)                      |                       |                                |
| Iraq                                    | 3                     |                                |
| Israel                                  | 18                    | 1                              |
| Jordan                                  | 2                     |                                |
| Kuwait                                  | 1                     |                                |
| Lebanon                                 | 5                     |                                |
| Oman                                    | 1                     |                                |
| Saudi Arabia                            | 6                     |                                |
| Syria                                   | 12                    |                                |
| Turkey                                  | 30                    |                                |
| GCC                                     | 1                     |                                |
| <u>Latin America and Caribbean Area</u> | <u>397</u>            | <u>19</u>                      |
| (Twenty-six countries)                  |                       |                                |
| (Four organizations)                    |                       |                                |
| Argentina                               | 35                    |                                |
| Bahamas                                 | 1                     |                                |
| Barbados                                | 5                     |                                |
| Bolivia                                 | 15                    |                                |
| Brazil                                  | 32                    |                                |
| Chile                                   | 28                    | 1                              |
| Colombia                                | 24                    |                                |
| Costa Rica                              | 9                     | 1                              |
| Cuba                                    | 25                    | 4                              |
| Dominican Republic                      | 8                     |                                |
| Ecuador                                 | 15                    |                                |
| El Salvador                             | 7                     |                                |
| Guatemala                               | 6                     |                                |
| Guyana                                  | 2                     |                                |
| Haiti                                   | 16                    |                                |
| Honduras                                | 9                     |                                |
| Jamaica                                 | 12                    |                                |
| Mexico                                  | 21                    | 3                              |
| Nicaragua                               | 8                     | 1                              |
| Panama                                  | 7                     | 2                              |
| Paraguay                                | 17                    | 1                              |
| Peru                                    | 29                    |                                |
| Suriname                                | 1                     |                                |
| Trinidad and Tobago                     | 10                    | 2                              |
| Uruguay                                 | 18                    | 1                              |
| Venezuela                               | 18                    | 3                              |
| Andean Group                            | 3                     |                                |
| CARICOM                                 | 1                     |                                |
| LAIA                                    | 9                     |                                |
| SIECA                                   | 6                     |                                |

|  | Fellowship<br>Holders | Non-Fellowship<br>Participants |
|--|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| <u>Europe</u><br>(Thirteen countries)  | <u>121</u>            | <u>11</u>                      |
| Bulgaria   | 14                    | 1                              |
| Cyprus   | 2                     |                                |
| Czechoslovakia   | 1                     | 2                              |
| Finland  | 3                     |                                |
| Germany, Fed. Rep. of  |                       | 2                              |
| Greece   | 19                    |                                |
| Hungary  | 11                    |                                |
| Malta  | 4                     | 1                              |
| Poland   | 17                    | 3                              |
| Portugal   | 7                     | 1                              |
| Romania  | 20                    |                                |
| Spain  | 1                     | 1                              |
| Yugoslavia   | 22                    |                                |
| <b>TOTAL</b><br>(One hundred and twenty-five<br>countries and ten organizations) | <b>1,333</b>          | <b>57</b>                      |

ANNEX BParticipants in the Regular Courses in 19941. Trade Policy Course (77th Course - Spanish) - January-April 1994

| Country            | Name and Title   |
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| Argentina          | Mrs. Mercedes G. ENRICO, Economist, Directorate of International Economic Negotiations, Department of Trade and Industry, Ministry of the Economy, Buenos Aires.           |
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| Bolivia            | Miss Geovana E. MIRANDA VILLARREAL, Adviser on Multilateral Affairs, Ministry of Trade and Industry, La Paz.   |
| Brazil             | Mrs. Maria Fátima BERARDINELLI ARRAES DE OLIVEIRA, Coordinator, Department of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Industry, Trade and Tourism, Rio de Janeiro.                      |
| Brazil             | Mr. Newton DIAS PASSOS, Assistant for Economic Affairs, Balance-of-Payments Division, Economic Department, Central Bank of Brazil, Brasilia.                               |
| Chile              | Mr. Alan E. MARTINEZ SORIANO, Foreign Trade Analyst, Trade Policy Department, Central Bank of Chile, Santiago.   |
| Chile              | Miss Jeannette J. VENEZAS VIDELA, Deputy Head, Asia-Pacific Department, Directorate-General of International Economic Relations, Ministry of External Relations, Santiago. |
| Colombia           | Mr. Luis A. ALFONSO GUTIERREZ, Expert, Sub-Directorate of Integration Relations and Multilateral Organizations, Ministry of Foreign Trade, Bogotá.                         |
| Colombia           | Mr. Raúl TORRES SALAMANCA, Deputy Director of Multilateral Organizations and Economic Conferences, Ministry of External Relations, Bogotá.                                 |
| Costa Rica         | Mr. Rodolfo JIMENEZ MORALES, Adviser on Trade Economics, Advisers' Office, San José.   |
| Cuba               | Mrs. Ileana E. CALDERIN GONZALEZ, Trade Policy Expert, Ministry of Foreign Trade, Havana.  |
| Dominican Republic | Miss Ana María CASILLA DE LEON, Economist, International Organizations Division, Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of External Relations, Santo Domingo.            |



| Country     | Name and Title  |
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| Ecuador     | Mr. Cristian ESPINOSA CAÑIZARES, Second Secretary, Directorate-General of GATT Affairs, Ministry of External Relations, Quito.  |
| El Salvador | Mr. Eduardo A. AYALA GRIMALDI, Legal Adviser, Directorate of International Negotiations and Economic Integration, Ministry of the Economy, San Salvador.  |
| Guatemala   | Mr. Walter I. FLORES ROMERO, Adviser, Directorate-General of External Trade, Ministry of the Economy, Guatemala City.   |
| Honduras    | Miss Suyapa L. ANDINO SANCHEZ, Trade Policy Expert, Ministry of the Economy and Trade, Tegucigalpa.   |
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| Peru        | Miss Zoraida A. OLANO SILVA, Director of Fiscal Studies, Ministry of the Economy and Finance, Lima.   |
| Uruguay     | Mr. Oscar E. RANCAÑO ROBAINA, Foreign Trade Expert, Directorate-General of Foreign Trade, Ministry of the Economy and Finance, Montevideo.  |
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| Venezuela   | Mr. Pedro E. REVOLLO SALAZAR, First Secretary, Sectoral Directorate-General of International Economy and Cooperation, Ministry of External Relations, Caracas.  |

2. Trade Policy Course (78th Course - English) - August-November 1994

| Country    | Name and Title  |
|------------|---|
| Bangladesh | Mr. Golam RASUL, Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Commerce, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka.  |
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| Ethiopia   | Mr. Kifle ASFAW, Assistant Economist, Ministry of Planning and Economic Development, Addis Ababa.                                 |
| Fiji       | Mr. Lenaitasi T. KORODRAU, Senior Economist, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Suva.   |
| Guyana     | Miss Rajdai P. JAGARNAUTH, Senior Foreign Trade Officer, Ministry of Trade, Tourism and Industry, Georgetown.                     |
| Hong Kong  | Mr. Ka-hei Albert TANG, Trade Officer (Textiles Controls) Europe, Trade Department, Kowloon.                                      |
| India      | Mr. Syed T. RAZA, Export Promotion Officer, Ministry of Commerce, New Delhi.  |
| Indonesia  | Mrs. A.C. YAMANAH, Head, GATT-Uruguay Round Section, Directorate for External Trade Relations Jakarta Pusat.                      |
| Jordan     | Mr. Abedhalim I.M. MHISEN, Economic Researcher, Ministry of Planning, Amman.  |
| Korea      | Mr. Seung-Won SEO, Deputy Director, Multilateral Trade Affairs Division, Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy, Gwachun.         |
| Macau      | Miss Cristina GOMES PINTO MORAIS, Senior Economist, Research Department, Macau Economic Services, Macau.                          |
| Mongolia   | Mrs. Puntsagnorov NARANGUA, Head, International Trade and Cooperation Department, Ministry of Trade and Industry, Ulaanbaatar.    |
| Mozambique | Mr. Nicolau L. SULULO, Economist, Mozambique Institute of Export Promotion, Maputo.   |
| Nigeria    | Mr. Anumba A. ADIGWE, Principal Commercial Officer, Multilateral Trade Division, Federal Ministry of Commerce and Tourism, Abuja. |
| Pakistan   | Mr. Mukhtar H. SHAH, Deputy Secretary (Imports Coordination), Ministry of Commerce, Islamabad.                                    |

| Country      | Name and Title   |
|--------------|--|
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| Peru         | Miss Maria Rosa QUIROZ SOLANO, Consultant, Latin American and Caribbean Trade Information and Foreign Trade Support Programme (PLACIEX), Lima.           |
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| South Africa | Mr. Tshediso J. MATONA, Advisor to the Minister, Ministry of Trade and Industry, Pretoria.   |
| Tanzania     | Mr. Yusufu S. KASHANGWA, Trade Policy Officer, Board of External Trade, Dar-es-Salaam.   |
| Thailand     | Mr. Ek CHAYA-NGAM, Economist, Multilateral Trade Division, Department of Business Economics, Ministry of Commerce, Bangkok.                              |
| Vanuatu      | Mr. Roy M. JOY, Head, Trade Division, Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce, Ministry of Economic Affairs, Port Vila.                               |
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| Zimbabwe     | Mr. Anselmo NHARA, Senior Administrative Officer, Ministry of Industry and Commerce, Harare.   |

ANNEX C

Fourth Special Trade Policy Course for Eastern and Central  
European and Central Asian Countries (English)  
24 May - 22 July 1994

| Country                       | Name and Title   |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Albania                       | Miss Leida KOKONA, Director, International Relations Department, Ministry of Industry and Trade, Tirana.                                 |
| Armenia                       | Mr. Vahram HAKOPIAN, Chief Specialist, Foreign Trade Policy Department, Ministry of Economy, Yerevan.                                    |
| Belarus                       | Mr. Alexei ILNITSKI, Deputy Chief, Customs Control Organization Division, Customs Committee, Minsk.                                      |
| Belarus                       | Mr. Vladimir M. SERPIKOV, Chief Expert, Section of International Economic Organizations, Ministry for Foreign Economic Relations, Minsk. |
| Bulgaria                      | Mr. Rakovski S. LASHEV, First Secretary, Foreign Economic Policy Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Sofia.                         |
| Bulgaria                      | Mr. Dragomir K. NEDELTCHEV, Expert, Tariff and Non-Tariff Barriers Unit, Multilateral Trade Department, Ministry of Trade, Sofia.        |
| Croatia                       | Mr. Branko GRAČANIN, Senior Adviser, Government of the Republic of Croatia, Zagreb.  |
| Czech Republic                | Mr. František PEER, Director of Division, Ministry of Industry and Trade, Prague.  |
| Estonia                       | Mr. Ants TOOM, Executive Officer, Foreign Trade Department, Ministry of Economy, Tallinn.  |
| Hungary                       | Mr. Erik SZARVAS, Chief of Section, Ministry of International Economic Relations, Budapest.  |
| Kazakhstan                    | Miss Dina K. HIBINSKAYA, Senior Specialist, Department of External Economic Policy, Ministry of Economy, Almaty.                         |
| Latvia                        | Miss Zaiga LIEPINA, Desk Officer (GATT), International Economic Relations Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Riga.                 |
| Lithuania                     | Miss Gitana GRIGAITYTE, Second Secretary, Trade Division, Department of Economic Relations, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Vilnius.        |
| Former Yug. Rep. of Macedonia | Mr. Zoran JOLEVSKI, Adviser, Ministry of Foreign Relations, Skopje.  |

| Country            | Name and Title   |
|--------------------|--|
| Moldova            | Mr. Liviu GUMOVSKI, Specialist of External Trade Regulation, Ministry of Foreign Economic Relations, Kishinev.   |
| Poland             | Mr. Piotr W. DERWICH, Chief Specialist, Multilateral Treaties Department, Ministry of Foreign Economic Relations, Warsaw.  |
| Romania            | Mr. Mircea COSTINEANU, Third Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Bucharest.  |
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| Slovenia           | Mr. Iztok GRMEK, Senior Assistant, Department for Economic Relations, Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Ljubljana.   |
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ANNEX D

Special GATT Course for Officials from the Russian Federation and Ukraine (English)  
17 October - 18 November 1994

| Country            | Name and Title  |
|--------------------|---|
| Russian Federation | Miss Elena V. BANDOURA, Senior Specialist, Ministry of Foreign Economic Relations, Moscow.  |
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|                    | Mr. Iouri A. CHTCHERBANINE, Main Counsellor, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Moscow.   |
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|                    | Mr. Valery SKARBOVENKO, Chief Specialist, Ministry of Agriculture, Moscow.  |
|                    | Mr. Anatoli SOUSLINE, Deputy Head of Division, Ministry of Economy, Moscow.   |

| Country | Name and Title   |
|---------|--|
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|         | Mr. Vladimir IVACHTCHENKO, Deputy Head of Industry Development Department, Ministry of Industry, Kiev.                                 |
|         | Mr. Yuri V. KARAKAI, Chief Economist, Ministry of Foreign Economic Relations, Kiev.  |
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|         | Mr. Vladimir MOSKALENKO, Deputy Head of Department of Multilateral Economic Cooperation, Ministry of Foreign Economic Relations, Kiev. |
|         | Mr. Leonid NESTER, Deputy Head of Department of Law and International Agreements, Ministry of Foreign Economic Relations, Kiev.        |
|         | Mr. Vassili PARFENOV, Head of Department, Ministry of Finance, Kiev.   |
|         | Mr. Olexander N. PYATA, Advanced Economist, Ministry of Foreign Economic Relations, Kiev.  |
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