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Procedure for joint consideration of questions relating to accession

The Working Party consider it desirable that there be established without delay a procedure for joint discussion of questions relating to accession between representatives of the Contracting Parties and of Acceding governments. The Working Party suggest the following procedure.

- 1) That when the Contracting Parties transmit to the Tariff Negotiations Committee the substance of Interim Reports numbers 1 and 2 of the Working Party, it should be suggested that the Tariff Negotiations Committee establish a Joint Working Party on Accession.
- 2) The future procedure might then be as follows. the Contracting Parties have considered the reports of its Working Party on Accession, the subject matter of these reports and the views of the Contracting Parties thereon should be remitted to the Joint Working Party on Accession for report to the Tariff Negotiations Committee.