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PARTICIPATION IN THE KENNEDY ROUND

Notification by United Arab Republic

The following notification has been received from the Government of the United Arab Republic.

Following our request dated 7 October 1964, in which we informed you of the desire of the United Arab Republic Government to carry out the necessary procedures with a view to our full accession, I have the honour to reassure you of our intention to take part in the trade negotiations (Kennedy Round) with a view to fulfil the necessary steps to our final accession.

In this regard I would like to say that we shall do our best to follow the procedures approved by the Trade Negotiations Committee for the participation of the less-developed countries in the trade negotiations. It is evident that the United Arab Republic being fully interested in trade of agricultural products, would not be able to table its final offers before defining rules to govern and methods to be employed in the creation of acceptable conditions of access to world markets in agricultural products.