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INFORMATION ON ORES AND METALS

The following communication dated 21 October 1975 has been received from the Canadian delegation.

In connexion with the information on ores and metals gathered by the GATT secretariat at the request of the Group "Sector Approach", my delegation would like to submit, as a communication additional to those already contained in Annex to MTN/SEC/W/1/Add.3, the illustrative list of export measures attached to this letter.

My delegation considers that these measures, whether or not they are still in force, could be usefully included in the detailed examination of the GATT documentation on ores and metals to be undertaken by the Group "Sector Approach" at its forthcoming meeting.

Illustrative List of Export Controls
on Ores and Metals

Country	Nature of restriction	Product coverage
EC(9)	EQ	Copper waste, scrap, ash and residues
EC(9)	EQ	Aluminium, lead waste and scrap
EC(9)	EL	Ferrous scrap
Ireland	EP	Lead and lead alloys
Ireland	EP	Iron steel and manufactures thereof
Ireland	EP	Non-ferrous ores, metals and manufactures thereof
Italy	EL	Iron and steel, copper, nickel, aluminium
Italy	EL	Manganese, beryllium, titanium, cobalt
United Kingdom	EQ	Lead ores, concentrates
United Kingdom	EQ	Alloy steel scrap containing nickel
United Kingdom	EQ	Nickel and nickel alloys
United Kingdom	EP	Ferrous scrap
United Kingdom	EP	Waste, scrap and residues of: copper, copper alloys, aluminium, zinc mattes, lead and tin, nickel, high speed steel
United Kingdom	EL	Iron and steel products (BTN 73.01, 73.02, 73.04, 73.20) including castings and forgings (other than dropforgings)
United Kingdom	EL	Aluminium articles including foil
Japan	EQ	Tungsten ores; ferro molybdenum
Japan	EQ	Nickel and its alloying metal and scraps
Japan	EQ	Scraps of nickel based alloys containing by weight 4% or more nickel, and its reproduced ingots
Japan	EQ	Copper and its alloying metal, semi-fabricated and scraps

Country	Nature of restriction	Product coverage
United States	EQ	Ferrous scrap
United States	EL	Copper scrap
United States	EL	Nickel scrap, wrought, unwrought, alloys, anodes
Finland	EL	Ferrous scrap
Norway	EL	Waste and scrap of iron, steel and other metals excluding lead and zinc
Sweden	EP	Waste, scrap of copper, copper alloys, copper residues
Sweden	EP	Aluminium waste, scrap, residues
Sweden	EP	Scrap lead, nickel and cupro-nickel
Sweden	EP	Ferrous scrap
Switzerland	Export duties	Ash and residues of aluminium, lead, copper and zinc
Switzerland	Export duties	Waste and scrap of iron, copper, copper alloys, nickel, aluminium, lead and zinc

EQ: Export quota

EL: Export licensing

EP: Export prohibition