

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE RESTRICTED TBT/W/7 28 May 1980 Special Distribution

Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

LIST OF PERSONS AVAILABLE TO SERVE ON PANELS

Note by the Secretariat

The first paragraph of Annex 3 to the Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade states, <u>inter alia</u>, that "In order to facilitate the constitution of panels, the Chairman of the Committee shall maintain an informal indicative list of government officials knowledgeable in the area of technical barriers to trade and experienced in the field of trade relations and economic development. This list may also include persons other than government officials. In this connexion, each Party shall be invited to indicate at the beginning of every year to the Chairman of the Committee the name(s) of the one or two governmental experts whom the Parties would be willing to make available for such work.".

At the second meeting of the Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade held on 24 April 1980, the Chairman recalled this invitation and noted that names of persons had been received from a few Parties. The list of names communicated so far is circulated below.

| Canada | Mr. H. Douglas Mr. M. Gifford |
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| European Economic Commu and member States: | nity |
| Belgium | Mr. H. van Houtte |
| Denmark | Mr. A. Anderson |
| France | Mr. E. Robin |
| Germany | Mr. H. von Messow |
| Italy | Mr. P. Cavanna |
| United Kingdom | Mr. J.S. Linton Mr. R.J. Meadway |

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| Finland | Mr. Bergholm Mr. Kuosmanen |
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| New Zealand | Mr. T.C. O'Brien Dr. J. Yeabsley |
| Norway | Mr. E. Selmer Mr. H. Boyum Mr. K. Berger |
| Sweden | Mr. B. Agild |
| United States | Mr. D. Abelson Mr. B. Wilson |