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SECRETARIAT NOTE

DRAFT PROTOCOL ON TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS

There is circulated herewith a revision proposed by the delegation of the United States of America of the draft protocol which was attached to document GATT/1/1 of 18 February 1948. It will be noted that the United States delegation suggests that the protocol be limited to changes of the authentic texts only.

There is also attached a list of corrections to Schedule XX proposed by the same delegation.

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DRAFT PROTOCOL TO THE GENERAL AGREEMENT
ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

THE GOVERNMENTS OF the Commonwealth of Australia, the Kingdom of Belgium, the United States of Brazil, Burma, Canada, Ceylon, the Republic of Chile, the Republic of China, the Republic of Cuba, the Czechoslovak Republic, the French Republic, India, Lebanon, the Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg, the Kingdom of the Netherlands, New Zealand, the Kingdom of Norway, Pakistan, Southern Rhodesia, Syria, the Union of South Africa, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and the United States of America,

HAVING on the thirtieth day of October One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty Seven at Geneva signed the Final Act adopted at the conclusion of the Second Session of the Preparatory Committee of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Employment authenticating the text of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade;

HAVING noted that certain rectifications should be made in the authentic texts of the Schedules annexed to the said agreement,

HEREBY AGREE as follows:

SCHEDULE XX - UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Part I - Most-Favoured-Nation Tariff

Item 50 /second/

The number of the item following the first item 50 shall be "50".

Item 211

The first diameter specified in the description of products in item 211 shall be "6-5/8 inches".

Item 212 /first/

In the principal description of the first item 212 the words "clock cases withoor without" shall read "clock cases with or without".

Item 212 /second/

In the description for saucers in the second item 212 the words between the value of "\$3" and the first semi-colon thereafter shall be "per dozen".

Item 213

In item 213 the rate for the sub-description "Crystalline flake" shall be "15% ad val., but not less than 0.4125 ¢ per lb. nor more than 0.825¢ per lb."

/Item 218 (c)

Item 218 (c)

The number of the item following the third item 218 (b) shall be "218 (c)".

Item 218 (f)

In item 218 (f) the rate for the sub-description "Other" shall be "50¢ on each article or utensil, but not less than 30% nor more than 50% ad val."

Item 224

In the description of products in item 224 the word following the word "beveled" shall be "etched".

Item 226

In the principal description in item 226 the word between the words "polished" and "or" shall be "plano".

Item 317

The rate in item 317 shall be "1/4¢ per lb."

Item 355

In item 355 the rate for the immediate sub-description "If four inches in length or over, exclusive of handle (except hay forks and 4-tined manure forks)" the first time that sub-description is used shall be "4¢ each and 25% ad val."

Item 358 /first/

The rate in the first item 358 shall be "12 1/2¢ ad val., but not less than 2 1/2¢ each and 7 1/2¢ ad val."

Item 365 /sixth/

The rate in the sixth item 365 shall be "\$3 each and 15% ad val."

Item 365 /seventh/

The number of the item following the sixth item 365 shall be "365".

Item 372 /twelfth/

In the description of products in the twelfth item 372 the first word shall be "Braiding".

Item 372 /twentieth/

In the sub-description for the rate of "15% ad val." in the twentieth item 372, the five words and intervening punctuation preceding the third semi-colon shall be "tension, compression, torsion, or shear".

Item 502 /second/

The rate in the second item 502 shall be "0.03¢ per lb. of total sugars".

/Item 719

Item 719 (1), (2), (3), (4), and (5)

The second rate starting with "1/2¢ per lb." in item 719 (1), (2), (3), (4), and (5) shall be in full "1/2¢ per lb. net wt."

Item 720 (a) (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), and (6)

The immediate sub-description for the rate of "1-1/4¢ per lb." in item 720 (a) (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), and (6) shall be "Eviscerated, split, skinned, boned (if smoked), or divided into portions".

Item 745

The rate for the sub-description "Prepared or preserved, and not specially provided for" in item 745 shall be "20% ad val."

Item 764

The rates for the descriptions "Carrot", "Parsnip", "Tree and shrub", and "Flower" in item 764 shall each be "3¢ per lb."

Item 771 /second/

The weight of the bushel referred to in the second proviso to the second item 771 shall be "60 pounds".

Item 775 /second/

The number of the item following the first item 775 shall be "775".

Item 806 (b)

The immediate sub-description for the rate of "20¢ per gal. on the quantity of unconcentrated natural fruit juice contained therein as shown by chemical analysis" in item 806 (b) shall be "Lime juice".

Item 902 /second/

The number of the item following the first item 902 shall be "902".

Item 905

The second paragraph referred to in the description of products in item 905 shall be "904".

Item 909 /third/

In the third item 909 the rate for the sub-description "Terry-woven" shall be "22-1/2¢ per lb., but not less than 20% nor more than 35% ad val."

Item 913 (a)

The rate in item 913 (a) for the sub-description "Wholly or in chief value of cotton or other vegetable fiber and india rubber, and valued at 40 cents or more per pound" shall be "20% ad val."

Item 919 /second/

The rate in the second item 919 shall be "15¢ per doz. pieces and 5% ad val."

/Item 1011

Item 1011

In the description of products in item 1011 the word following the second comma shall be "wholly".

Item 1102 (b) /first/

In the note following the first item 1102 (b) the last item referred to shall be "1119".

Item 1107

In item 1107 the rate for the sub-description "Wholly or in chief value of Angora rabbit hair" shall be "40¢ per lb. and 15% ad val.".

Item 1109 (a)

The number of the item immediately following item 1108 shall be "1109 (a)".

Item 1110

The rate in item 1110 shall be "33¢ per lb. and 25% ad val.".

Item 1114 (a)

The rate for the first sub-description in item 1114 (a) shall be "25¢ per lb. and 20% ad val.".

Item 1115 (b)

The number of the item immediately following item 1115 (a) shall be "1115 (b)".

Item 1305

The rate in item 1305 shall be "25% ad val., but not less than 27-1/2¢ per lb.".

Item 1409 /second/

The minimum thickness specified in the second item 1409 shall be "0.008 inch".

Item 1413 /seventh/

The rate in the seventh item 1413 shall be "27-1/2% ad val.".

Item 1502 /first/

In the sub-description for the rate of "10% ad val." in the first item 1502 the two words and punctuation before the words "hockey sticks" shall be "rubber, field".

Item 1503 /third/

In the proviso to the third item 1503 the words, figures and punctuation following the date of "January 1, 1945," shall be "shall be reduced by 50 per centum of such rate, except that, in the case of articles provided for in any item 1513 in Schedule III of the trade agreement
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between the United States and Mexico of December 23, 1942, the rate applicable on January 29, 1943 shall be so reduced by 50 per centum."

Item 1527 (c) (1) and (2)

In item 1527 (c) (1) and (2) a final parenthesis shall be inserted at the end of the sub-description for the rate of "65% ad val."

Item 1528 /second/

The sub-description for the rate of "10% ad val." in the second item 1528 shall be "Diamonds".

Item 1528 /third/

The rate in the third item 1528 shall be "10% ad val."

Item 1529 (a) /first/

The sub-descriptions indented under the sub-description "Made full guage on a machine of 12 point or finer:", and the rates for said sub-descriptions, shall be as follows:

- "Wholly or in chief value of cotton and made with independent beams..... 40% ad val.
- "Wholly or in chief value of silk..... 40% ad val.
- "Other..... 45% ad val."

Item 1530 (b) (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), and (7)

The number of the item following item 1530 (a) shall be "1530 (b) (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), and (7)".

Item 1537 (b) /first/

In the principal description in the first item 1537 (b) the words between the word "them" and the word "material" shall be "is the component".

Item 1545

The immediate sub-description for the rate of "4% ad val." in item 1545 shall be "Hardhead or reef".

Item 1547 (b)

- (a) The number of the item following item 1547 (a) (1) and (3) shall be "1547 (b)".
- (b) The rate in item 1547 (b) shall be "10% ad val."

Item 1604

The number of the item following item 1602 shall be "1604".

Item 1609

The word "unprepared" in item 1609 shall be followed by a semi-colon.

/Item 1786

Item 1786

The words preceding the first comma in the description of products in item 1786 shall be "Tin in bars".

Item 1803 (2)

The number of the item following item 1803 (1) shall be "1803 (2)".
