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The Government of Cambodia has advised that it does not, for the moment, envisage accepting the Protocol for the Accession of Cambodia to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade. It hopes that Cambodia can continue in the capacity of a provisional member of GATT pending the first results of the implementation of the new economic and financial reforms.

The words "provisional member" refer to the Decision of 17 November 1958 on "arrangements for the accession of Cambodia" (7th Supplement, page 17). In paragraph 3 of that Decision contracting parties which are prepared to continue the de facto application of the General Agreement in their relations with Cambodia, until such time as Cambodia accedes to the General Agreement, are invited to notify the Executive Secretary. The following contracting parties are applying the General Agreement to Cambodia under this arrangement:

Australia	Gabon	New Zealand
Austria	Germany, Fed. Rep of	Niger
Belgium	Ghana	Nigeria
Brazil	Greece	Norway
Durma	Haiti	Pakistan
Cameroon	India	Peru
Canada	Indonesia	Senegal
Central African Republic	Italy	Sierra Leone
Ceylon	Ivory Coast	Southern Rhodesia
Chad	Jamaica	Sweden
Chile	Kenya	Tanganyika and Zanzibar
Congo (Brazzaville)	Kuwait	Togo
Cuba	Luxemburg	Trinidad and Tobago
Cyprus	Madagascar	Uganda
Czechoslovakia	Malawi	United Kingdom
Dahomey	Malaysia	United States
Denmark	Mauritania	Upper Volta
Finland	Netherlands	Uruguay
France		

Other contracting parties which are prepared to apply the Agreement <u>de facto</u> to Cambodia should notify the Executive Secretary of their intention.

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