

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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PROVISIONAL ACCESSION OF ARGENTINA, SWITZERLAND AND THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

At its meeting on 28-30 October the Council of Representatives decided to open for acceptance instruments extending the Declarations which provide for the provisional accession of Argentina, Switzerland and the United Arab Republic.

In accordance with the instructions of Council, the following instruments have been prepared and are now open for acceptance at the office of the secretariat:

Second Procès-Verbal Extending the Declaration on the Provisional Accession of Argentina

Second Procès-Verbal Extending the Declaration on the Provisional Accession of Switzerland¹

Procès-Verbal Extending the Declaration on the Provisional Accession of the United Arab Republic

The texts of these three instruments are annexed hereto.

These Procès-Verbaux can be accepted either by signature or by letter addressed to the Executive Secretary by the Head of State or the Minister for Foreign Affairs. At the meeting of the Council of Representatives referred to above, attention was drawn to the desirability that the parties to the Declarations should arrange for their acceptance of these Procès-Verbaux before the expiry of the Declarations on 31 December 1964, so as to avoid any interruption in the validity of the Declarations and in the application of the General Agreement between the governments which have acceded provisionally and the other parties to the Declarations.

¹This Procès-Verbal was accepted by the Government of Switzerland on 6 November 1964.

SECOND PROCES-VERBAL EXTENDING THE DECLARATION ON THE
PROVISIONAL ACCESSION OF ARGENTINA TO THE
GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

The parties to the Declaration of 18 November 1960 on the Provisional Accession of Argentina to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (hereinafter referred to as "the Declaration" and "the General Agreement", respectively),

ACTING pursuant to paragraph 4 of the Declaration,

AGREE that:

1. The period of validity of the Declaration is extended for a further two years by changing the date in paragraph 4 to "31 December 1966".
2. This Procès-Verbal shall be deposited with the Executive Secretary of the CONTRACTING PARTIES to the General Agreement. It shall be open for acceptance, by signature or otherwise, by Argentina and by the participating governments to the Declaration. It shall become effective between the Government of Argentina and any participating government as soon as it shall have been accepted by the Government of Argentina and such government.
3. The Executive Secretary shall furnish a certified copy of this Procès-Verbal and a notification of each acceptance thereof to the Government of Argentina, to each contracting party to the General Agreement, to each government which has acceded provisionally thereto and to each government which enters into negotiations for accession.

DONE at Geneva this thirtieth day of October one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, in a single copy in the English and French languages, both texts being authentic.

SECOND PROCES-VERBAL EXTENDING THE DECLARATION ON THE
PROVISIONAL ACCESSION OF SWITZERLAND TO THE
GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

The parties to the Declaration of 22 November 1958 on the Provisional Accession of Switzerland to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (hereinafter referred to as "the Declaration" and "the General Agreement", respectively),

ACTING pursuant to paragraph 8 of the Declaration,

AGREE that:

1. The validity of the Declaration is extended for a further three years by changing the date in paragraph 8 to "31 December 1967", on the understanding that, in the course of the current trade negotiations or otherwise, the Government of Switzerland and the CONTRACTING PARTIES will seek solutions to the problems confronting Switzerland in its relationship with the General Agreement in order to make its full accession possible.
2. This Procès-Verbal shall be deposited with the Executive Secretary of the CONTRACTING PARTIES to the General Agreement. It shall be open for acceptance, by signature or otherwise, by the parties to the Declaration. It shall become effective between the Government of Switzerland and any participating government as soon as it shall have been accepted by the Government of Switzerland and such government.
3. The Executive Secretary shall furnish a certified copy of this Procès-Verbal and a notification of each acceptance thereof to the Government of Switzerland, to each contracting party to the General Agreement, to each government which has acceded provisionally thereto and to each government which enters into negotiations for accession.

DONE at Geneva this thirtieth day of October one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, in a single copy in the English and French languages, both texts being authentic.

PROCES-VERBAL EXTENDING THE DECLARATION ON THE PROVISIONAL
ACCESSION OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC TO THE
GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

The parties to the Declaration of 13 November 1962 on the Provisional Accession of the United Arab Republic to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (hereinafter referred to as "the Declaration" and "the General Agreement", respectively),

ACTING pursuant to paragraph 4 of the Declaration,

AGREE that:

1. The period of validity of the Declaration is extended for two years by changing the date in paragraph 4 to "31 December 1966".
2. This Procès-Verbal shall be deposited with the Executive Secretary of the CONTRACTING PARTIES to the General Agreement. It shall be open for acceptance, by signature or otherwise, by the United Arab Republic and by the participating governments to the Declaration. It shall become effective between the Government of the United Arab Republic and any participating government as soon as it shall have been accepted by the Government of the United Arab Republic and such government.
3. The Executive Secretary shall furnish a certified copy of this Procès-Verbal and a notification of each acceptance thereof to the Government of the United Arab Republic, to each contracting party to the General Agreement, to each government which has acceded provisionally thereto and to each government which enters into negotiations for accession.

DONE at Geneva this thirtieth day of October one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, in a single copy in the English and French languages, both texts being authentic.