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PROTOCOL AMENDING THE GENERAL AGREFMENT TO INTRODUCE A PART IV ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT

Establishment of Authentic Text in Spanish

Note by the Secretariat

The Final Act of the second special session which authenticated the text of the Protocol in the English and French languages provided that the text of the Protocol in the Spanish language would be authenticated at the twenty-second session. The Spanish text as distributed in document L/2328/Add.2 has been approved without amendment and the following draft decision is put forward for consideration by the CONTRACTING PARTIES.

Draft Decision

Considering that the CONTRACTING PARTIES, by the Final Act of the second special session held in Geneva on 8 February 1965, authenticated, in the English and French languages the text of the Protocol amending the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade to Introduce a Part IV on Trade and Development, and agreed to authenticate the text in the Spanish language at their twenty-second session, and

Considering that, after taking into account such comments as were received from contracting parties upon a preliminary draft, the secretariat circulated to all contracting parties on 12 February 1965, in document L/2328/Add.2, a Spanish text of the Protocol with the statement that, subject to any comments that might be received by 5 March, this text would be submitted for approval during the twenty-second session of the CONTRACTING PARTIES, and

Considering that no comments on the text in document L/2328/Add.2 have been received by the secretariat,

The CONTRACTING PARTIES

Hereby authenticate the Spanish text of the Protocol amending the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade to Introduce a Part IV on Trade and Development, as set forth in document L/2328/Add.2, and instruct the Executive Secretary to insert it in pages 22 to 31 of the Protocol and to notify each contracting party of this Decision when transmitting to each a certified copy of the Protocol in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 7 of the Protocol.