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Certain Footwear

Addendum

EXTENSION OF TIME-LIMIT

The following joint communication, dated 28 March 1979, has been received from the Permanent Missions of the European Communities and Australia.

GATT document L/4099/Add.8 dated 9 January 1979 contains a communication from the delegations of Australia and of the European Communities agreeing that the ninety-day period set forth in Article XIX, paragraph 3(a) with respect to Australian Article XIX action on imports of certain footwear would expire on 31 March 1979.

These consultations, however, could not be concluded within the period referred to above. Therefore the Governments of Australia and of the European Communities have agreed that their reciprocal rights and obligations under the General Agreement will be maintained and, for this purpose, have agreed that the ninety-day period set forth in Article XIX, paragraph 3(a) shall be considered to expire on 30 June 1979.

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