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Request for Extension of Time-Limit

The following communication dated 16 November 1978 has been received from the Permanent Mission of Czechoslovakia.

I have the honour to inform you that consultations and negotiations are being carried out by Czechoslovakia under the provisions and procedures of paragraph 1 of Article XXVIII for the conversion of specific rates of duties in Schedule X into ad valorem duties. Such consultations and negotiations should in accordance with Article XXVIII:1 be concluded before 1 January 1979.

It has now become clear that these consultations or negotiations will not be completed by 31 December 1978.

In these circumstances the delegation of Czechoslovakia requests the Council that the time-limit for conclusion of the consultations and negotiations be extended to 30 June 1979.

I would appreciate if this request can be considered by the Council at its next meeting.

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