# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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### SUBSIDIES

## Notifications Pursuant to Article XVI:1

#### FINLAND

The Permanent Mission of Finland has submitted amendments to the notification of subsidies contained in document L/5102/Add.3/Suppl.1.

- I. Promotion of export marketing
  - (c) Amount of subsidy
    In 1982 95,0 million FIM
- II. Investment grants for the use of domestic fuels
  - (c) Amount of subsidy
    In 1982 71,9 million FIM
- III. Interest rate grant
  - (b) Incidence

The interest rate grant is paid to Finnish firms and municipal heating and power plants. The grant is the difference between normal lending rates for investment loans and 7,25%.

- (c) Amount of subidy

  The amount of the subsidies in 1982 was 0,4 million FIM.
- ' IV. Guarantees for small and medium size industry
  - (b) Incidence

The guarantees are intended for industrial enterprises and workshops with an annual turnover not exceeding 150 million FIM. Guarantee of debtors' promissory notes; premium for the first and each of the following years is 0,7 % of loans guaranteed.

- V. Compensation for foreign exchange losses and interest rate
  - (b) Incidence

Grants are paid to small exporters. No new grants have been given since January 1982 but to meet the earlier obligations a small amount is still included in the budget.

(c) Amount of subsidy

In 1992 0,9 million FIM.

# VI. Grants and loans for product development

(c) Amount of subsidy

The amount of subsidies is as follows:

1982

A: 50,0 million FIM

B. 92,5 " "

C: <u>10,0</u> " "

D: <u>30,0</u> ""