

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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## ARTICLE XIX - ACTION BY THE UNITED STATES

### Specialty Steel

#### Extension of Time-Limit

#### Addendum

The following joint communication, dated 30 November 1983, has been received from the delegation of the European Communities and the United States.

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GATT document L/5524 dated 20 July 1983 contains a communication from the United States concerning action under GATT Article XIX in respect of certain articles of specialty steel beginning 20 July 1983.

The European Communities have engaged in consultations with the United States pursuant to Article XIX; these consultations have not yet been concluded.

In these circumstances, the United States and 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:3(a) shall be considered to expire on 14 January 1984.