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RESTRICTIONS ON IMPORTS FROM HUNGARY

Notifications by Contracting Parties

Addendum

1. Eight notifications of restrictions on imports from Hungary were circulated in document L/5530, dated 29 September 1983.
2. The following notifications have been received from: Argentina, Canada, Finland, Japan, Poland, South Africa and Sweden.
3. Contracting parties which have not yet submitted notifications are invited to do so without delay.

ARGENTINA

I have the honour to refer to the fifth round of consultations with the Government of Hungary held in the GATT working group established for that purpose.

In that connection, I have to inform you that imports from Hungary are effected under the general régime of the Sworn Declarations of Import Needs system of authorizations, established by Resolution S.C. No. 33/82 and its amendments with effect until 31 December 1983, and that there are no special restrictions against imports of that origin.

At the same time, I must point out that work is proceeding on case No. 104.557/81 reporting import operations involving single-phase and three-phase electric meters of various origins, including Hungary, under alleged conditions of dumping, and this resulted in the issue of Resolution S.S.C.E. and I.R. No. 32/81, which stated that the initiation of an investigation concerning the existence of dumping was called for and fixed a preventive minimum normal c.i.f. export value.

CANADA

In accordance with GATT/AIR/1932 of 15 July, we wish to inform you that Canada does not apply any discriminatory prohibitions or quantitative restrictions to imports from Hungary.

FINLAND

The Permanent Mission of Finland presents its compliments to the secretariat of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade and has the honour in response to GATT/AIR/1932 of 15 July 1983, to notify that Finland does not maintain discriminatory restrictions on imports from Hungary.

JAPAN

In response to GATT/AIR/1932, I wish to inform you as follows:

Japan does not maintain any discriminatory restrictions on imports from Hungary.

POLAND

With reference to GATT/AIR/1932 I have the honour to inform you that Poland does not maintain any discriminatory prohibitions or restrictions on imports from Hungary.

SOUTH AFRICA

I refer to your communication GATT/AIR/1932 of 15 July 1983 and have the honour to inform you that South Africa does not maintain any discriminatory prohibitions or restrictions against imports from Hungary. This position also prevailed on 31 July 1983.

SWEDEN

With reference to GATT/AIR/1932 I hereby wish to inform you that Sweden does not maintain any discriminatory prohibitions on quantitative restrictions against Hungary of the kind referred to in paragraph 4(c) of the Protocol of Accession of Hungary (document L/5318).