GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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COMMITTEE ON TECHNICAL BARRIERS TO TRADE

Meeting of 28 February 1984

Note from the Chairman

1. The Committee held its fifteenth meeting on 28 February 1984. It elected Mr. H.W. Verbeek (Federal Republic of Germany), Chairman and Mr. P. Molson (Canada), Vice-Chairman, for 1984.

2. The Committee heard statements from a number of signatories on the implementation and administration of the Agreement.

3. The Committee discussed proposals on handling of comments on notifications, application of Article 2.5 (Preambular part) and technical assistance. It agreed to revert to these items at its next regular meeting.

4. The Committee heard presentations by the Secretary-General of the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardization (CENELEC) and by the representative of Pacific Area Standards Congress (PASC), on the basis of agreed lists of questions.

5. The Committee agreed to a procedure for determining its agenda and setting its work plan.