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UNITED STATES BAN ON IMPORTS OF STEEL PIPES AND TUBES
FROM THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

Communication from the Commission of the European Communities

Addendum

The following communication, dated 18 December 1984, has been received from the delegation of the European Communities.

Further to its statement on 30 November 1984 at the fortieth Session of the CONTRACTING PARTIES, and as confirmed in the session of the GATT Council on 17 December, the Delegation of the European Communities wishes to request immediate consultations under Article XXIII:1 of the General Agreement regarding the United States ban on imports of steel pipes and tubes from the European Communities, introduced on 29 November 1984.