Preparatory Committee

NOTE ON SIXTH MEETING

1. The Preparatory Committee held its sixth meeting on 5-7 May 1986 under the Chairmanship of the Director-General.

2. At this meeting the Committee considered the following matters: agriculture; dispute settlement; quantitative restrictions and other non-tariff measures; tropical products; tariffs; MTN agreements and arrangements; subsidies; structural adjustment and trade policy; trade in counterfeit goods and other aspects of intellectual property; exports of domestically prohibited goods; textiles and clothing; problems of trade in certain natural resource products; exchange rate fluctuations and their effects on trade; trade in services; Article XVII; Article XXIV; renegotiation of concessions (Article XXVIII); notification and surveillance; compensatory trade; functioning of the GATT system; trade-related investment measures; restrictive business practices; relationship between the new round and monetary and financial developments; modalities and institutional arrangements for the new round; participation in the multilateral trade negotiations; commodity price stabilization; workers' rights.

3. The Chairman announced that at its seventh meeting, on 9-12 June, the Committee would continue to discuss the terms of its recommendations to Ministers.