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Communication from Mexico

The following communication, dated 30 May 1990, has been received from the Permanent Mission of Mexico.

With reference to the Decision of the CONTRACTING PARTIES of 5 December 1989 (L/5521) granting Mexico a waiver from the provisions of Article II of the General Agreement in respect of application of the Harmonized System until 30 June 1990, I would appreciate your advising the CONTRACTING PARTIES that Mexico requests an extension until 31 December 1990 of the time-limit established in that Decision.

This extension is being requested because, although the documentation concerning Schedule LXXVII-Mexico was submitted on 16 October 1989, it will not be possible to finalize, within the period of the extension granted until 30 June 1990, the negotiations and/or consultations provided for in the established procedures for transposing national tariffs into the Harmonized System. These negotiations and/or consultations are being conducted with the contracting parties which expressed their interest in accordance with the above-mentioned procedures.