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Communication from Germany

The secretariat has received the following communication from the Permanent Representative of Germany with the request that it be circulated to the contracting parties.

I have the honour to inform you that, through the accession of the German Democratic Republic to the Federal Republic of Germany with effect from 3 October 1990, the two German States have united to form one sovereign State, which as a single contracting party of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade remains bound by the provisions of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade. As from the date of unification, the Federal Republic of Germany will act in the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade under the designation of "Germany".