

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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Multilateral Trade Negotiations

Trade Negotiations Committee

PROCES-VERBAL

The Chairman has drawn up the following text of a Procès-Verbal on the basis of discussions with delegations.

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1. Having participated in the Multilateral Trade Negotiations, the representatives of the Governments and the EEC Commission agree that the texts listed below in respect of which they have signed the present Procès-Verbal embody the results of their negotiations. They acknowledge that the texts may be subject to rectifications of a purely formal character that do not affect the substance or meaning of the texts in any way except as otherwise indicated in the text on tariff negotiations.
 2. These representatives agree that by signing the present Procès-Verbal they indicate their intention to submit the relevant texts or legal instruments to be formulated on the basis of the said texts for the consideration of their respective authorities with a view to seeking approval of, or other decisions on, the relevant texts or instruments in accordance with appropriate procedures in their respective countries. Representatives may indicate that their signature evidences their intention to seek approval or decision.
 3. Representatives may indicate that their signature to the present Procès-Verbal relates only to certain of the texts listed below which they will specify.
 4. It is appreciated that some delegations participating in the Multilateral Trade Negotiations may not be in a position to sign the present Procès-Verbal immediately in relation to all or certain of the texts listed below. They are invited to do so at their earliest convenience.

5. It is recognized that representatives of least-developed countries participating in the multilateral trade negotiations may need time to examine the results of the negotiations in the light of paragraph 6 of the Tokyo Declaration before they can sign the Procès-Verbal.
6. The representatives signing the present Procès-Verbal agree that the work on safeguards referred to in paragraph 3(d) of the Tokyo Declaration should be continued within the framework and in terms of that Declaration as a matter of urgency, taking into account the work already done, with the objective of reaching agreement before 15 July 1979.
7. Texts (k) and (l) are the result of negotiations only amongst the representatives of certain governments identified in the documents.
8. The representatives have taken note of the statements made in relation to various texts at the TNC meeting of 11 April 1979 as contained in MTN/P/5.

Texts

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| (a) Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade | MTN/NTM/W/192/Rev.5 |
| (b) Agreement on Government Procurement | MTN/NTM/W/211/Rev.2 and Add.1 |
| (c) Agreement on Interpretation and Application of Articles VI, XVI and XXIII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade | MTN/NTM/W/236 and Corr.1 |
| (d) Arrangement on Bovine Meat | Annex to MTN/ME/8 |
| (e) International Dairy Arrangement
(i) | MTN/DP/8, Annexes A and B |
| or | |
| (ii) | MTN/DP/8, Annex C |
| (f) Agreement on Implementation of Article VII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
(i) | MTN/NTM/W/229/Rev.1 |
| or | |
| (ii) | MTN/NTM/W/229/Rev.1 as amended by MTN/NTM/W/222/Rev.1 |
| (g) Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures | MTN/NTM/W/231/Rev.2 |
| (h) Multilateral Agricultural Framework | MTN/27 |
| (i) Texts prepared by Group "Framework" | MTN/FR/W/20/Rev.2 |
| (j) Tariff Negotiations | MTN/26/Rev.1 |
| (k) Agreement on Trade in Civil Aircraft prepared by a number of delegations | MTN/W/38, Corr.1 and Add.1 |
| (l) Agreement on Implementation of Article VI of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade prepared by a number of delegations
(i) | MTN/NTM/W/232, Add.1/Rev.1, Add.2 and Corr.1 |
| or | |
| (ii) | MTN/NTM/W/232, Add.1/Rev.1, Add.2 and Corr.1 as amended by MTN/NTM/W/241/Rev.1 |

COUNTRY X

Representative

In relation to

Representative A

All texts

COUNTRY Y

Representative

Representative B

In relation to

Texts (a), (c)