

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

RESTRICTED

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Special Distribution

Multilateral Trade Negotiations

Group "Agriculture"

Sub-Group on Meat

SUMMARY OF PROPOSALS IN STATEMENT BY THE REPRESENTATIVE OF YUGOSLAVIA ON 17 JUNE 1975

To sum up we propose the following points:

1. To examine all elements which are affecting exports and imports of bovine meat without prejudice to any solution;
2. to seek reduction or elimination of the restrictive character of these elements;
3. to secure on a long-term basis stable import measures;
4. to consider non-tariff measures affecting this trade in close co-operation with other bodies dealing with this matter;
5. to provide mechanisms for close co-operation between exporters and importers of meat for the orderly development of this trade;
6. to provide an annual minimum of guaranteed imports which could not be affected by any measure of prohibition for number of years to be agreed upon;
7. to seek appropriate solutions for differential and special treatment for exports of developing countries;
8. to examine the relationship between the production of meat with the supply of feeding stuffs and its functional influence on export and prices, and to seek appropriate solutions;
9. to establish safeguards to market-disrupting effects of imports in respect of home production.