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Negotiating Group on Safeguards

MEETING OF 29 MAY 1990

Note by the Secretariat

1. The Negotiating Group met on 29 May 1990 under the Chairmanship of Ambassador G. Maciel of Brazil.

A. Draft text of a comprehensive agreement (MTN.GNG/NG9/W/25/Rev.1)

2. On 29 May 1990, the Group received from its Chairman a revision of the draft text of a comprehensive agreement on safeguards which was circulated during the previous meeting held in April 1990. The Chairman reported to the Group the changes made in the text and expressed the hope that further informal consultations would eliminate some of the brackets in the text. He said that he would use the suggestions he had received from delegations as a basis for another revision for the Group's consideration by the next meeting in July.

3. The Chairman accepted a request by the representative of Chile that the next revision of the draft text would be circulated in all GATT official languages.

B. Other business

4. It was agreed that the next meeting of the Group should be held on 2, 3 and 5 July 1990.