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COMMUNICATION FROM CHILE

The following communication, dated 30 November 1990, has been received from the Permanent Delegation of Chile.

I have the honour to inform you, and through your good offices the other countries participating in the Uruguay Round (Group on Access), that Chile's offer consists of considering a tariff binding 3 points below the present binding of 35 per cent, with the exception of a small number of tariff headings. We also have in mind commitments in the non-tariff area, taking the form of the signing of some of the Tokyo Round Codes, that is to say the Anti-Dumping Code, the Government Procurement Code and the Customs Valuation Code.

The above offer is subject to the actual progress and results in the negotiations as a whole, as well as due regard for the Mid-Term Declaration concerning the "need for an approach to be elaborated to give credit for bindings", and to our receiving appropriate recognition for the liberalization measures taken by Chile.

Consequently, if the above offer on bindings should come about, it will mean binding almost all Chile's customs tariff at a rate of 32 per cent instead of the present 35 per cent.