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COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIRMAN OF THE  
TRADE NEGOTIATIONS COMMITTEE AT MINISTERIAL LEVEL

The Chairman of the Trade Negotiations Committee at Ministerial level, Mr. Sergio Enrique Abreu Bonilla, has requested that the following communication, dated 14 June 1993 and addressed to him by the Chairman of the Committee at Official level, Mr. Arthur Dunkel, be brought to the attention of the participants in the Uruguay Round.

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This letter is to inform you, and, through you, the members of the Trade Negotiations Committee that, as of 1 July this year, I will no longer be in a position to continue my functions as Chairman of the Trade Negotiations Committee at the officials level.

I would also like to inform you that as I am relinquishing the post of Director-General of GATT on the thirtieth of this month, I will no longer be available to chair the Group of Negotiations on Goods after that day.

I take this opportunity to send to you my best greetings and to recall our friendly meeting in February last in Geneva. I wish you and the participating governments all success in your endeavours to complete the Round in the months to come.