EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY - IMPORT LICENCES FOR DESSERT APPLES

Recourse to Article XXIII:2 by Chile

Note by the Chairman

1. At its meeting on 4 May 1988, the Council agreed to establish a panel to examine, under Article XXIII:2, the complaint by Chile. The Council Chairman was authorized, in consultation with the parties concerned, to draw up the Panel's terms of reference and to designate its chairman and members (C/M/220).

2. The agreed terms of reference for the Panel are:

"To examine, in the light of the relevant GATT provisions, the matter referred to the CONTRACTING PARTIES by Chile in document L/6329 and Add.1 and to make such findings as will assist the contracting parties in making the recommendations or in giving the rulings provided for in Article XXIII:2."

3. Agreement has also been reached on the following composition of the Panel:

Chairman: Mr. G. Maciel

Members: Ms. M. Liang
          Mr. T. Cottier