The texts prepared by the Group "Framework" have been circulated to all MTN participants in document MTN/FR/6. In order to make the texts available to all contracting parties, including those who have not participated in the Multilateral Trade Negotiations, the text will be circulated as document L/4885 and made available at the Session.

It is suggested that following the introduction of this matter by the Director-General/Chairman of the Trade Negotiations Committee and any subsequent discussion, the Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES propose that the CONTRACTING PARTIES adopt decisions in each case as follows:

Points 1 and 4

"Differential and More Favourable Treatment" and

"Reciprocity and Fuller Participation of Developing Countries."

It is proposed that an opening sentence be inserted reading:

"Following negotiations within the framework of the Multilateral Trade Negotiations, the CONTRACTING PARTIES decide as follows

1. Notwithstanding ... etc."

[follows text of MTN/FR/6, page 1/1-1/3]

The Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES should note that the CONTRACTING PARTIES agree to adopt the Decision by consensus.
Point 2A

"Draft Declaration on Trade Measures for Balance-of-Payments Purposes."

The Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES should note that the CONTRACTING PARTIES decide to adopt the Declaration by consensus.

Point 2B

"Safeguard Action for Development Purposes."

The Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES should note that the CONTRACTING PARTIES agree to adopt the Decision by consensus.

Point 3

"Understanding regarding Notification, Consultation, Dispute Settlement and Surveillance."

The Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES should note that the CONTRACTING PARTIES decide to adopt the Understanding by consensus.