COUNCIL
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COMMITTEE ON BALANCE-OF-PAYMENTS RESTRICTIONS

Proposed programme of consultations for 1994

1. Consultations in the Committee on Balance-of-Payments Restrictions in accordance with the relevant provisions of the General Agreement and the Declaration on Trade Measures Taken for Balance-of-Payments Purposes are proposed to be held in 1994 with the following contracting parties:

(a) May/June

Consultation under Article XII with Poland and simplified consultations with Sri Lanka and Tunisia.

(b) September

Simplified consultations with India and Pakistan unless an earlier date is agreed upon, possibly in July.

(c) October/November

Simplified consultations with Egypt and Bangladesh. Consultation with South Africa under the balance-of-payments provisions of the GATT.

In addition to the 1994 Programme, the Committee is expected to finish its 1993 consultation with Israel in the first half of the year.

2. In fixing the dates for these consultations, account is taken of the dates of previous consultations with the respective contracting parties, as well as the schedule of consultations of the International Monetary Fund.