Consultative Group of Eighteen
Nineteenth Meeting
7-9 July 1982

ANNOTATED PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. It is suggested that at its nineteenth meeting the Consultative Group of Eighteen address itself to the following:


2. Co-operation on agriculture in the GATT.

3. Other business.

Item 1 - Contribution of the Consultative Group of Eighteen to the preparation of the Ministerial meeting in November 1982

2. The Consultative Group of Eighteen will receive the documentation submitted to the Preparatory Committee since the CG.18 meeting of 4-7 May 1982. The Group's attention is drawn in particular to the "First Approximation to the Final Product", as revised after discussion in the Preparatory Committee. It is also suggested that the Group should address itself to a number of major issues as follows:

(i) Consideration as to how an agreed diagnosis of the state of the world trading system could be presented in Part I of the Ministerial Declaration.

(ii) Safeguards.

(iii) Dispute settlement.

(iv) Subsidies.

(v) Elements which will condition the trading environment of the future.

Item 2 - Co-operation on agriculture in the GATT

3. A note by the secretariat listing points whose inclusion in a draft work programme on agriculture would need to be considered is submitted for the Group's consideration (CG.18/W/70).

Item 3 - Other Business