TEXTILES COMMITTEE

Accession under Paragraph 2 of Article 13

Addendum

Further to the communication circulated as document COM.TEX/6/4 the following communication has been received from the Permanent Delegation of El Salvador.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of El Salvador presents its compliments to the Director-General of GATT and has the honour to inform him, in accordance with instructions, that the Government of El Salvador accepts the de facto application of the arrangement regarding International Trade in Textiles and its accession thereto should be understood as acceptance without reservations or conditions. This acceptance must nevertheless still be considered provisional, being subject to the relevant constitutional procedure of ratification.

The Government of El Salvador has furthermore instructed this Mission to express a firm undertaking by the Government of El Salvador not to introduce new import restrictions or intensify existing ones in so far as such action, would, if El Salvador had been a contracting party to the General Agreement, be inconsistent with its obligations thereunder.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of El Salvador requests the Director-General of GATT to bring the contents of this communication to the attention of the Textiles Committee.