FORTY-SIXTH GATT TRADE POLICY COURSE
OPENS IN GENEVA

The forty-sixth Commercial Policy Course organized by GATT opened today. The course, for French-speaking officials from developing countries, will run until 12 December. There are twenty participants, drawn from as many countries.

Each year since 1955 the GATT secretariat organizes in Geneva two trade policy courses: one in English from February to June, and the other in French from August to December. The courses are open to officials from developing countries, whether or not members of GATT, who have, or may in future have, responsibilities in the formulation and conduct of foreign trade policy in their countries.

The courses, which have a practical orientation, aim at giving the participants greater understanding of trade policy matters and full knowledge of the work being done by GATT. It is hoped in this way to make them better prepared for the tasks awaiting them in their own administrations. Lectures are also given on the work done by other international organizations in the field of trade policy. As in all recent courses, special attention will be paid to the current Tokyo Round of multilateral trade negotiations in GATT.

Fellowships for these courses are provided by the United Nations Development Programme.

Since the programme was set up, 627 officials from 101 countries and two regional organizations have participated in the commercial policy courses. In addition to GATT secretariat officials, many guest lecturers are invited to contribute, including senior officials of government delegations and international organizations, university professors, etc.
LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

Benin
Mr. Adolphe DANVIDE, Officer, Directorate of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Trade and Tourism, Cotonou.

Brazil
Miss Maria-Theresa LAZARO, Secretary of Embassy, Trade Policy Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Brasilia.

Central African Empire
Mr. Fidèle SELENGOU MA, Head of the Research and Documentation Bureau, Ministry of State for Trade and Industry, Bangui.

Colombia
Mr. Carlos CAMACHO Mendoza, Foreign Trade Technician, Division of International Organizations, Colombian Institute of Foreign Trade, Bogota.

Cuba
Mrs. Margarita RUIZ Bravo, Trade Policy Specialist, Ministry of Foreign Trade, Havana.

Ghana
Mr. Daniel B. ARTHUR, Foreign Trade Officer, Ministry of Trade and Tourism, Accra.

Guinea-Bissau
Mr. Agualdo EMBALO, Director of Imports, Ministry of Trade, Bissau.

Haiti
Miss Joselaine JUSME, Foreign Trade Technician, Department of Trade and Industry, Port-au-Prince.

Lebanon
Mr. Kamal SALLOUM, Customs Controller, Higher Customs Board, Beirut.

Morocco
Miss Rajae KADILI, Chief of Service, Directorate of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Trade and Industry, Rabat.

Portugal
Mrs. Carminda ROQUE Lino, Economist, Representation of the Territory of Macao, Office of the Prime Minister, Lisbon.

Rwanda
Mr. Véaste SENYANA, Bureau Chief "Imports", Department of the Economy, Ministry of Finance and the Economy, Kigali.

Senegal
Mr. Doudou DIANE, Head of the Legislation and Regulations Division, Directorate of Customs, Dakar.
Syria
Mr. Mohamed NAKCHBANDI, Deputy Director of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Economy and Foreign Trade, Damascus.

Togo
Mr. Abéda PIYINDA, Head of the Foreign Trade Division, Ministry of Trade and Transport, Lomé.

Tunisia
Miss Arbia OUENZERFI, Foreign Affairs Secretary, Directorate of International Co-operation, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Tunis.

Turkey
Mr. Tuncay OZANTURK, Adviser, General Secretariat of Foreign Trade, Ankara.

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Mr. Rodolfo PEREZ Blanco, Adviser, Trade Policy Department, General Directorate of Foreign Trade, Montevideo.

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Miss Jasna STRUKELJ, Economic Relations Adviser, Committee for Economic Relations with Foreign Countries of the Republic of Slovenia, Ljubljana.

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Mr. Ntomboji TSHIMANGA, Bureau Chief, Department of Foreign Trade, Kinshasa.