Eighth Session of the Contracting Parties completes its Work

The Eighth Session of the Contracting Parties completed its work this afternoon. The text of the concluding remarks of the Chairman, Mr. Johan Melander, are given in press release GATT/147.

The Contracting Parties elected Mr. L. Dana Wilgress, Canada, as Chairman, M. Fernando Garcia Oldini, Chile, as first Vice-Chairman, and Mr. Gunnar Seidenfaden, Denmark, as second Vice-Chairman.

The Contracting Parties decided to convene the Ninth Session at Geneva on 15 October 1954.

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