GATT TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS

Eighteenth Group Starts Work

The eighteenth group of government officials holding fellowships granted by the United Nations under its Technical Assistance Programme has joined the GATT secretariat for a six-month period of training for French-speaking officials. Including the present group, more than 125 officials have to date undertaken this training course.

The training course is not limited to the operation of GATT; it includes also the general problems which have to be taken into account in the formation of an efficient commercial policy, especially in less-developed countries. The course is practical in its methods and the officials participate in the day-to-day work of the GATT secretariat, including attendance at the sessions of the Contracting Parties and committees or sub-groups established by them.

The group which joined the GATT secretariat in August 1964 comprises the following officials:

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