SUBJECT: PERU'S IMPORT RESTRICTIONS

1. ARRANGEMENTS HAVE NOW BEEN MADE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THE COUNCIL TO THE COMMITTEE ON BALANCE-OF-PAYMENTS IMPORT RESTRICTIONS, TO HOLD A CONSULTATION WITH PERU UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE XVIII:12(a) CONCERNING PERU'S INVOCATION OF ARTICLE XVIII:B AS JUSTIFICATION FOR CERTAIN TEMPORARY IMPORT RESTRICTIONS WHICH WERE IMPOSED IN MARCH 1968.

2. THE COMMITTEE ON BALANCE-OF-PAYMENTS RESTRICTIONS WILL CONVENE FOR THIS PURPOSE IN GENEVA ON 20 MAY AT 3 P.M. IT IS HOPED THAT THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE CAN BE COMPLETED BY 22 MAY.

3. THE MEASURES IMPOSED BY PERU AS NOTIFIED TO THE CONTRACTING PARTIES BY PERU, ARE CONTAINED IN DOCUMENT BOP/81, WHICH WILL BE DISTRIBUTED SHORTLY. MATERIAL PREPARED BY THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND, WHICH HAS BEEN INVITED TO CONSULT WITH THE CONTRACTING PARTIES IN THIS CONNECTION, WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

4. MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE IS SHOWN IN L/2248.

5. MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE AND THE CONSULTING CONTRACTING PARTY AS WELL AS ANY OTHER CONTRACTING PARTIES AND ASSOCIATED GOVERNMENTS WISHING TO BE REPRESENTED BY OBSERVERS AT THESE MEETINGS ARE REQUESTED TO NOTIFY ME AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OF THE NAMES OF THEIR REPRESENTATIVES.

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OBJET: RESTRICTIONS APPLIQUEES PAR LE PEROU


2. LE COMITE DES RESTRICTIONS A L'IMPORTATION (BALANCE DES PAIEMENTS) SE REUNIRA A CET EFFET A GENEVE LE 20 MAI 1968, A 15 HEURES. LE COMITE ESPERE POUVOIR TERMINER SES TRAVAUX LE 22 MAI AU PLUS TARD.

3. LES MESURES PRISES PAR LE PEROU, TELLES QU'ELLES ONT ETE NOTIFIEES AUX PARTIES CONTRACTANTES, SONT EXPOSEES DANS LE DOCUMENT BOP/81, QUI SERA DISTRIBUE SOUS PEU. LA DOCUMENTATION DU FONDS MONETAIRE INTERNATIONAL, QUI A ETE INVITE A UNE CONSULTATION AVEC LES PARTIES CONTRACTANTES A CET EGARD, SERA DISTRIBUEE AUSSI RAPIDEMENT QUE POSSIBLE.

4. LA COMPOSITION DU COMITE EST INDIQUEE DANS LE DOCUMENT L/2248.

5. LES MEMBRES DU COMITE ET LA PARTIE CONTRACTANTE APPELEE EN CONSULTATION, AINSI QUE LES AUTRES PARTIES CONTRACTANTES ET LES GOUVERNEMENTS ASSOCIES QUI DESIRERAIENT SE FAIRE REPRESENTER PAR DES OBSERVATEURS AUX CONSULTATIONS, SONT PRIES DE ME FAIRE CONNAITRE AussITOT QUE POSSIBLE LES Noms DE LEURS REPRESENTANTS.

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