1. The Committee held its twenty-second meeting on 28 May 1986, under the Chairmanship of Mr. P. Kennedy (New Zealand).

2. Parties made statements on their recent activities relating to the implementation and administration of the Agreement. The Committee agreed that in future such statements should also specify measures and arrangements established by Parties to ensure that their national authorities provide information on proposed technical regulations or rules of certification systems.

3. The Committee agreed to gather data on the facilities available in individual Parties for translation of documents relating to notifications and to revert at a later stage to the question of exchange of information on such translations, on the basis of this data.

4. The Committee heard comments on a proposal relating to requests for extension of the comment period and agreed to revert to a revised text of this proposal at its next meeting.

5. The Committee discussed a recent proposal on the ways in which the relevant ISO/IEC Guides could be used for improving the implementation of the provisions of the Agreement on mutual acceptance of test results. It also discussed possible extension of the notification provisions of the Agreement to cover standards related activities of local government bodies.

6. The Committee took note of one Party's observations on another Party's failure to notify a number of technical regulations which it had adopted recently.

7. The Committee agreed on the preparations for the seventh annual review of the implementation and operation of the Agreement to be held at its next meeting, scheduled for 13-14 October 1986.