PERU - ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW SCHEDULE XXXV

The following communication, dated 14 April 1992, has been received from the Permanent Mission of Peru.

The Permanent Mission of Peru to the International Organizations at Geneva presents its compliments to the secretariat of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) and has the honour to inform it that, by Supreme Decree No. 063-92-EF of 27 March 1992, Peru adopted the new Customs Tariff which is based on the Common Tariff Nomenclature of the Member States of the Andean Group (NANDINA).

The new Tariff conforms to the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System and replaces the NABANDINA, which was based on the Customs Co-operation Council nomenclature.

Due to time constraints, it will not be possible for Peru to conduct consultations under the procedures of Article XXVIII of the General Agreement before the entry into force of the NANDINA in April 1992. The Government of Peru therefore requests a temporary exemption from its obligations under Article II of the General Agreement for one year until 31 May 1993.

The documentations necessary for holding consultations will be submitted to the GATT secretariat in the near future for circulation to contracting parties as soon as possible.