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Addendum

The Italian Delegation draws the attention of the CONTRACTING PARTIES to the request submitted by the Government of the United Kingdom of Libya to the Italian Government with a view to obtaining an increase in the quota of olive oil admitted duty free into Italy.

This request is mentioned in the second report submitted by the Government of the United Kingdom of Libya in accordance with the decision of the CONTRACTING PARTIES, dated 9 October 1952, relating to the application by Italy of special customs treatment for certain Libyan products by way of exception to Article 1 of the General Agreement.

This waiver covers, among other things, an annual quota of 1,000 tons of olive oil which the Libyan Government now asks to be allowed to increase to 2,500 tons a year until the end of 1955.

Such a request was submitted for consideration to the Italian Government which has accepted it in accordance with the undertaking it has assumed to contribute towards the economic assistance of the United Kingdom of Libya.

In consequence, the Italian Delegation requests authorization to make the necessary change in the Annex to the decision of 9 October 1952.