SIXTH PROTOCOL OF RECTIFICATIONS AND MODIFICATIONS

Requests for Rectification and Modification of Schedules

1. At the Tenth Session the rectifications and modifications submitted by several contracting parties for inclusion in the Fifth Protocol of Rectifications and Modifications could not be accepted by the Working Party because they were submitted too late for other delegations to check them and give their approval.

2. A much larger number of modifications resulting from negotiations under Article XXVIII is to be expected for inclusion in the Sixth Protocol of Rectifications and Modifications which, it is presumed, the CONTRACTING PARTIES will draw up at the Eleventh Session. More time should, therefore, be allowed for the examination of lists, and this examination can be best carried out by contracting parties in their own capitals where they can count on the aid of all their experts and on full documentation.

3. It is therefore suggested that all requests for rectifications and modifications be sent to the secretariat at the latest by 15 August 1956 so that copies may be submitted to other contracting parties well before the opening of the Session. These requests should be prepared in a form suitable for inclusion in a protocol (see model annexed hereto).

4. Contracting parties are also requested to supply to the secretariat translations of their lists in order that a draft corrigendum to the non-authentic texts can be prepared. The need for translations is particularly stressed on this occasion because of the magnitude and importance of the changes involved.
MODEL FOR PREPARATION OF TEXTS FOR THE
SIXTH PROTOCOL OF RECTIFICATIONS AND MODIFICATIONS

SCHEDULE XXXX - RURITANIA

The Government of Ruritania requests that the following rectifications and modifications be included in the Protocol to be drawn up at the Eleventh Session.

SCHEDULE XXXX - RURITANIA (GENEVA)

*Item 1111

This item shall read:

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SCHEDULE XXXX - RURITANIA (ANNECY)

Item 2222

This item shall read:

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ETC.

Notes:

1. The asterisk (*) should be used for the convenience of the contracting parties in examining the draft texts, to indicate rectifications so that those will be readily distinguishable from modifications resulting from action under Article XXVIII or other procedures.

2. Where the replacement of an entire schedule is involved the text should read:

"SCHEDULE XXXX - RURITANIA

"The existing text of Geneva (or Annecy, or Torquay) Schedule XXXX shall be replaced by the following:

"SCHEDULE XXXX - RURITANIA

"This Schedule is authentic only in the _________ language

PART I

Most-Favoured-Nation Tariff

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