THE RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR SESSIONS OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES

AMENDMENT OF RULES 10, 11 AND 12 AGREED UPON BY THE CONTRACTING PARTIES

ON 26 OCTOBER 1956

The amended text of Rules 10, 11 and 12 read as follows:

Rule 10

A Chairman and two Vice-Chairmen shall, not later than the seventh day following the opening date of each regular session, be elected from among the representatives. They shall hold office until their successors in office are elected.

Rule 11

If the Chairman is absent from any meeting or part thereof, one of the Vice-Chairmen shall preside. If no Vice-Chairman is available, the CONTRACTING PARTIES shall elect a chairman for that meeting or that part of the meeting.

Rule 12

If the Chairman ceases to represent a contracting party, or is so incapacitated that he can no longer hold office, the CONTRACTING PARTIES shall designate one of the Vice-Chairmen to perform the functions of the Chairman pending election of a new Chairman in accordance with rule 10.