PROVISIONAL AGENDA

FOR THE THIRTEENTH SESSION OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES

Commencing on 16 October 1958

The following are the items proposed by the Intersessional Committee for the Thirteenth Session Agenda.

1. ADOPTION OF AGENDA AND ORDER OF BUSINESS

2. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

3. NOMINATION OF CHAIRMAN OF ICCICA

4. ADMISSION OF LAOS AND CAMBODIA AS CONTRACTING PARTIES

5. THE ROME TREATIES

6. EUROPEAN FREE-TRADE AREA PROPOSALS

7. FRANCO-TUNISIA CUSTOMS UNION (L/475 and L/559)

8. NICARAGUA - EL SALVADOR FREE-TRADE AREA
   Seventh Annual Report by Nicaragua

9. TRENDS AND DEVELOPMENTS IN INTERNATIONAL TRADE
   (a) Report by Panel of Experts (MGT/80/58)
   (b) Report by the CONTRACTING PARTIES' nominee as Chairman of ICCICA
   (c) Disposal of commodity surpluses

10. ARTICLE XVI: REVIEW AND "STANDSTILL"

11. BALANCE-OF-PAYMENTS IMPORT RESTRICTIONS
   (a) Review of Restrictions under Articles XII and XVIII:B
   (b) Plan for Consultations under Article XII:4(b) in 1959
(c) Consultations and Report under Article XIV:1(g)

Australia, Ceylon, Ghana, Malaya, New Zealand, Rhodesia and Nyasaland and the United Kingdom. (The consultation with New Zealand was carried out in April; see (d) below. The Intersessional Committee has recommended that the consultation with the United Kingdom be carried out early in 1959 in conjunction with the consultation with the United Kingdom under (b) above)

The Review referred to in (a) above will cover the discriminatory aspects of the application of quantitative restrictions and accordingly should be deemed as incorporating the Ninth Annual Report required under Article XIV:1(g).

(d) Report on Consultations with New Zealand under Articles XII:4(a) and XIV:1(g). (L/816)

12. GERMAN IMPORT RESTRICTIONS

13. EXPIRATION OF THE "HARD CORE" DECISION OF 5 MARCH 1955

14. FIRST ANNUAL REVIEW UNDER PARAGRAPH 6 OF ARTICLE XVIII

15. NOTIFICATIONS BY CEYLON UNDER ARTICLE XVIII (L/836/..dd.1)

16. PLANS FOR TARIFF REDUCTION

17. ACCESSION OF SWITZERLAND

18. BRAZILIAN TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS

19. CUBAN TARIFF REFORM

Item proposed by Cuba

20. PERUVIAN IMPORT CHARGES (L/827; L/828 and ..dd.1 and IC/SR.39)

21. RHODESIA AND NYASALAND TARIFF

Report by the Government of the Federation

22. ADOPTION OF THE BRUSSELS TARIFF NOMENCLATURE

Item proposed by Norway

23. ANTI-DUMPING AND COUNTERVAILING DUTIES
24. TRADE AND CUSTOMS REGULATIONS
   (a) Consular formalities
   (b) Marks of origin
   (c) Nationality of imported goods

25. RESTRICTIVE BUSINESS PRACTICES

26. FREEDOM OF CONTRACT IN TRANSPORT INSURANCE (L/462)

27. REPORTS UNDER WAIVERS
   (a) Australia/Papua - New Guinea
       Fifth Annual Report by Australia
   (b) Belgium/Import Restrictions
       Third Annual Report by Belgium
   (c) Franco-German Trade with the Saar
       First Annual Report by France and the Federal Republic of Germany
   (d) Italy/Libya
       Sixth Annual Reports by Italy and Libya and Review of Waiver
   (e) United Kingdom/Article I
       Fifth Annual Report by the United Kingdom (L/850)
   (f) United Kingdom/Dependent Overseas Territories
       Fourth Annual Report by the United Kingdom (L/844)
   (g) United States/Agricultural Adjustment Act
       Fourth Annual Report by the United States

28. CONCILIATION
   (a) French Stamp Tax (SR.12/5)
   (b) French Assistance to Exports of Wheat and Flour (IC/SR.38)
   (c) French Discrimination against Imported Agricultural Machinery (SR.12/19)
   (d) Italian Discrimination against Imported Agricultural Machinery (L/833)

29. APPLICATION OF ARTICLE XXXV TO JAPAN

30. STATUS OF THE AGREEMENT AND PROTOCOLS
31. SCHEDULES
   (a) Rectifications and Modifications
   (b) Consolidation

32. FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND BUDGET
   (a) Audited accounts for 1957 and report by auditors
   (b) Financing of 1958 budget
   (c) Budget estimates for 1959 (L/845)
   (d) Staff Rules and Regulations
   (e) Financial Regulations

33. TRAINEE PROGRAMME

34. INTERSESSIONAL ADMINISTRATION OF THE AGREEMENT
   (a) Report by Intersessional Committee
   (b) Renewal of Arrangements
   (c) Election of Intersessional Committee

35. DATE AND PLACE OF FOURTEENTH SESSION

   OTHER BUSINESS