PROTOCOL RELATING TO MILK FAT
DONE AT GENEVA ON 2 APRIL 1973

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCES

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I have the honour to inform you that the above-mentioned Protocol was accepted by the following Governments and the competent authorities of the European Communities on the dates indicated:

New Zealand 30 April 1973
Australia 11 May 1973
European Communities 17 May 1973
Japan 17 May 1973

The Government of Japan accepts the said arrangement as a gentleman's agreement, and intends to cooperate in implementing the objective of the arrangement within the limit of existing laws and regulations. It is further the understanding of the Government of Japan that due consideration will be given to the interests of importing participants in the cause of implementation of the arrangement.

United Kingdom 17 May 1973
Luxembourg 29 May 1973
France 4 June 1973
Switzerland 5 June 1973
Denmark 13 June 1973
Netherlands 28 June 1973
I have also the honour to inform you that, as a result of the above-mentioned acceptances, the Protocol, in accordance with its Article VIII:1(a), entered into force for the Governments of Australia and New Zealand on 14 May 1973, and for the other participants on the date of their acceptance.

I have furthermore the honour to send herewith a certified true copy of the above-mentioned Protocol.

This notification is furnished in accordance with the provisions of Article VIII:4(b).

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Director-General