Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that on 25 October 1957 the Federal Republic of Germany deposited with me an instrument of ratification of the Protocol of Rectification to the French Text of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, done at Geneva on 15 June 1955. The instrument of ratification recognizes as fully binding the signature affixed by the Federal Republic of Germany to the Protocol on 20 July 1955.

Further, I have the honour to advise that the Governments of the Federation of Malaya and of Ghana deposited declarations with me on 1 and 14 November 1957, respectively, to the effect that, acting in their capacity of contracting parties to the General Agreement, they acknowledge the rights and obligations of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland in respect of Malaya and Ghana arising from the United Kingdom Government's signature of the Protocol of Rectification to the French Text, as rights and obligations of their respective Governments insofar as this Protocol is applicable to their jurisdiction.

This communication is made in accordance with paragraph IV of the Protocol.

Accept, Sir, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

E. Wyndham White,
Executive Secretary.