Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the Agreement on the Organization for Trade Cooperation, done at Geneva on 10 March 1955, was signed by the Plenipotentiaries of the following Governments on the dates indicated:

Ceylon 30 October 1957
Finland 2 November 1957
Sweden 31 October 1957

The Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland deposited with me on 21 October 1957 an instrument of acceptance which recognizes as fully binding the signature affixed by the Federation to the Agreement on 4 November 1955. In addition the permanent representative of Turkey deposited with me on 23 October 1957 a declaration recognizing as fully binding the signature affixed by Turkey to the Agreement on 21 June 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 Agreement, as rights and obligations of their respective Governments insofar as this Agreement is applicable to their jurisdiction.

The present communication is made in accordance with paragraph (a) of Article 18 of the Agreement.

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

I. Wyndham White,
Executive Secretary.