At the close of the meeting of the CONTRACTING PARTIES on 8 November, after the Chairman had summed up the discussion on items 3 and 11 of the Eleventh Session agenda, a request was made that the conclusions to be recorded in the summary record be distributed for approval at a subsequent meeting.

The following is the text proposed for incorporation in the summary record:

"The CONTRACTING PARTIES agreed as follows:

1. that an item 'Plans for Tariff Reduction' be included in the agenda for the Twelfth Session;

2. concerning the information placed before the Eleventh Session by the Executive Secretary on the subject of OEEC liberalization, that the appropriate course for countries having particular problems in this connexion would be, in the first instance, to have recourse to Article XXII of the General Agreement;

3. that the CONTRACTING PARTIES take note of the assurance given on behalf of the six European countries at present engaged in developing a plan for a common market that they are prepared to submit for consideration by the CONTRACTING PARTIES in accordance with paragraph 7(a) of Article XXIV any scheme decided upon before it is submitted to their respective parliaments for ratification;

4. that the CONTRACTING PARTIES note with satisfaction that close collaboration has been established between the GATT secretariat and the OEEC regarding preparatory work for the study of a possible association, by means of a free-trade area, of OEEC members with the six countries engaged in the study of a plan for a common market;

5. that the CONTRACTING PARTIES instruct the Intersessional Committee:

(a) to follow developments in these fields,

(b) to act for them in any consultations which may be arranged with the OEEC Council,

(c) to report to the Twelfth Session."