General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade

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Statement made by M. Max Flechet, Secretary of State for Economic Affairs of France, at the Plenary Meeting on 28 October 1959

Corrigendum (English text only)

Page 4, second paragraph:

The first sentence should read as follows:

"I emphasize this point because the idea is of course vital for the future of international trade and in particular for the GATT; indeed, it provides a test for the so-called 'normal' clauses that constitute the general law in the General Agreement and have, until now, been applied much less frequently than the exceptions - I should say the waiver clauses - written into the GATT."