GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

EXPERT GROUP EXAMINES ANTI-DUMPING LEGISLATION

At the twelfth session in 1957 the Contracting Parties instructed the secretariat to publish an analysis of the legislation and regulations of various contracting parties relating to anti-dumping and countervailing duties. This analysis was published in August 1958.

At the thirteenth session in November 1958, the Contracting Parties decided to undertake further action in this field, and the Executive Secretary was asked to convene a group of governmental experts for the purpose of exchanging information regarding certain technical requirements of existing legislation on anti-dumping and countervailing duties in their respective countries.

The group of experts, which is meeting this week, comprises representatives of the governments of Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Czechoslovakia, France, Germany, Japan, Norway, Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Sweden, Union of South Africa, United Kingdom and United States. The Organization for European Economic Co-operation, the European Economic Community, and Switzerland are represented by observers.

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