The following amendments are to be made at the request of the United States delegation.

Page 1, para 1, 5th and 6th lines

The clause "... further consultations and appropriate negotiations be held in 1984." should be amended to read: "... a calendar for a second round of consultations and appropriate negotiations could be established for 1984."

Page 3, para. 13, 13th line

The sentence "However, interested countries should be cautioned to..." should be amended to read: "The United States representative cautioned interested countries to..."

Page 5, para. 19, 12th and 13th lines

The sentence "It was stated that hard core cases often remained on the table and that it was unlikely that substantial further progress could be achieved except in a somewhat different context e.g. the negotiated exchange of concessions." should be amended to read: "It was stated that hard core cases often remained on the table. Some developed countries offered the view that it was unlikely that substantial further progress could be achieved except in the context of a negotiated exchange of concessions."

Page 16, United States, 4th line

The words "this request" should be replaced by "petitions".

Page 22, United States

The sentences "Mango pickles do not fall under TSUS 14175, which covers pickled vegetables. TSUS 14808 might cover mango pickles. This request requires clarification." should be amended to read: "Mango pickles do not fall under TSUS 14175. However, they may be included in TSUS 14808, which covers prepared or preserved vegetables and is currently eligible for GSP duty-free treatment. This request requires clarification by the Government of India."

Before the sentence which reads: "This request from Peru...", the following sentence should be added: "The majority of tropical pastes and pulps are currently eligible for GSP."