The Secretariat of ICITO/GATT is seeking to fill the position of an Economic Affairs Officer. Applications from men and women are equally welcome. Serving staff members who may be interested in this position are also invited to apply.

POST: Economic Affairs Officer

CATEGORY AND LEVEL: Professional - P.2

BASE SALARY: P.2 range:

POST ADJUSTMENT: P.2 range:

Allowances according to Staff Rules. Net salary and other emoluments are exempt from income tax and paid in Swiss francs.

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT: Initial fixed-term appointment (one year).

ORGANIZATIONAL LOCATION: Technical Cooperation Division

GENERAL FUNCTIONS: Under supervision the incumbent will be required to:

(a) analyse data on tariffs, non-tariff measures and trade flows in respect of products of export interest to developing countries;

(b) collect background information and to prepare factual notes on issues of interest to developing countries in different areas of GATT activities and the Uruguay Round;

(c) prepare studies and papers evaluating the proposals and, as appropriate, results of the Uruguay Round negotiations for developing countries;

(d) assist with preparations for country missions and seminars;

(e) attend to ad hoc technical assistance requests by developing countries in all areas of GATT activities;

(f) carry out any other assignments as requested.

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\[1\] This allowance is adjustable according to movements in the cost of living and to changes in the official United Nations rate of exchange between the US dollar and the Swiss franc. The figures mentioned above, which should be added to the base salary figures, are based on the exchange rate for March 1990.

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DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS: A university degree preferably in economics. At least five years professional experience. A good knowledge of the General Agreement and of the Uruguay Round negotiations. Ability in accurate and precise drafting. Ability to maintain good working relations with delegations and with staff in other Divisions of the Secretariat.

LANGUAGES: Ability to speak fluently and to write accurately and precisely in English or French, with a very good working knowledge of the other language. Knowledge of the third language would be an asset.

APPLICATIONS: Chief of Personnel ICITO/GATT Centre William Rappard Rue de Lausanne 154 CH-1211 Geneva 21 Switzerland

CLOSING DATE OF THIS VACANCY NOTICE: 15 May 1990