At its meeting of April 1975, the Sub-Group "Quantitative Restrictions" agreed that the two draft texts on Licensing Procedures reproduced on pages 15-19 of MTN/NTM/W/2 should be the starting point for the Sub-Group's continuing work, and that delegations so desiring would propose in writing to the secretariat for distribution, specific alterations to the two draft texts giving the reasons therefor, in time for discussion at the next meeting of the Sub-Group. (MTN/NTM/2, paragraph 9(i) and (vii), and GATT/AIR/1167.)

The following communication has been received from the delegation of Austria.

With reference to paragraph 9(vii) of document MTN/NTM/2, I should like to inform you that Austria proposes the following specific alterations to the two draft texts on import licensing as contained in document MTN/NTM/W/2:

1. Annex I - automatic import licensing
   Austria proposes the deletion of paragraph 4 of this Annex (page 16 of document MTN/NTM/W/2)

2. Annex II - licensing to administer import restrictions
   Austria proposes the deletion of paragraph 1 of this Annex (page 17 of document MTN/NTM/W/2).