1. At its meeting of 13 January 1977, the Group "Non-Tariff Measures" adopted procedures for negotiations on non-tariff measures not dealt with multilaterally (MTN/NTM/26, paragraph 5 and Annex). A note by the secretariat dealing with the procedures which it would adopt in relation to notifications submitted in accordance with those procedures was circulated in MTN/NTM/W/82.

2. The following notification has been received from the United States.

The Group Non-Tariff Measures established procedures at its 13 January 1977 meeting for notifying non-tariff measures of trade interest that are not now being dealt with multilaterally in the MTN. The agreed procedures are set forth in the Annex to document MTN/NTM/26. In accordance with these procedures the United States is notifying the measures indicated in the attached lists.

These notifications reflect the full range of United States interests expressed to the United States Government by various advisory groups, including members of the business community regarding non-tariff measures of trade interest. It should be indicated to the countries concerned that the United States wishes to hold consultations on these measures for purposes of clarifying the actual situation with respect to specific measures, sometimes maintained on particular products. Such consultations will be essential in our process of selecting those measures, if any, on which the United States will submit formal requests to developed countries or indicative lists to developing countries on 1 November 1977, under the NTM Group procedures (MTN/NTM/35).

The delegations concerned are invited to contact Mr. W. Douglas Newkirk (United States Delegation to the Multilateral Trade Negotiations) for the purpose of scheduling consultations at a mutually convenient time. It is hoped that such consultations would be held at an early date to ensure adequate time to prepare for submitting requests and indicative lists on 1 November.
State trading

State-trading corporations account for a major portion of Indian trade.
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