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Article 13

Paragraph 6 to be added at the end of Article 13:

The Organization shall not raise any objection against any non-discriminatory protective measure instituted by a Member for the purpose of its economic development, if a measure of a similar nature is maintained under similar conditions by any other Member of the Organization in accordance with Article 14.

Reason

This will allow under-developed countries facing new problems in the course of effecting their programmes of development to adopt measures which are not more restrictive than measures already in force in other Member countries similarly placed but with the advantage of an earlier start.