THIRD COMMITTEE: COMMERCIAL POLICY

SUB-COMMITTEE A (ARTICLES 16, 17, 18, 19)

AGENDA FOR THE TENTH MEETING
To be Held on Monday, 29 December 1947, 10.30 a.m.

(Note: References are to items in Revised Annotated Agenda, Section A, document E/CONF.2/C.3/6)

ARTICLE 17 - REDUCTION OF TARIFFS AND ELIMINATION OF PREFERENCES

1. Amendments to rules for negotiations; criteria for determining failure to negotiate
   Item 40 - balance of payments and monetary reserves (Chile)
   Item 36 - revision of negotiated agreements because of economic conditions (Mexico)
   Item 42 - adjustment of custom duties to compensate for internal taxes or charges reduced or eliminated under Articles 18 and 35 (Venezuela)
   (see document E/CONF.2/C.3/6, Corr.2)

2. Failure to negotiate; role of Organization (Tariff Committee)
   Item 26 - second sentence (Uruguay)
   Item 38 - (Uruguay)
   Item 39 - (Peru)
   Item 43 - (Peru and Uruguay)

3. Relationship of new or existing bilateral agreements to obligations under Article 17
   Item 44 and 47 - (Norway and Geneva Note)

4. Relationship of negotiations leading to General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade to obligations under Article 17
   Item 44 - (United States)