THIRD COMMITTEE: COMMERCIAL POLICY  
SUMMARY RECORD OF TWENTIETH MEETING (III a)  
Held at the Capitol, Havana, Cuba  
Tuesday 30 December 1947 at 4.00 p.m.  
Chairman: Mr. L. D. WILGRESS (Canada)

1. Composition of Sub-Committee C.  
The CHAIRMAN announced that the delegation of Norway because it did not include any technical experts had asked to be excused from membership of the Sub-Committee on Article 32 through 39. The Sub-Committee had recommended that the delegation of South Africa should be appointed to Sub-Committee C to replace Norway. The recommendation was approved.

2. Reference of Article 42 to Joint Sub-Committee of Committees II and III.  
The CHAIRMAN announced that the Joint Sub-Committee of Committees II and III had recommended that all the proposals on Article 42 should be referred to the Joint Sub-Committee of Committees II and III. This required a reconsideration of the Committee's decision to divide the proposals on Article 42 into two groups, namely, those concerning new preferential arrangements and those concerning customs unions. In the opinion of the Joint Sub-Committee these two problems were inseparable. It was agreed to refer to the Joint Sub-Committee also proposals on Article 42, which had originally been referred to Sub-Committee D.

3. Composition of Sub-Committee A.  
Mr. MELANDER (Norway), asked that a member of the Norwegian delegation be included on the Sub-Committee on Articles 16, 17, 18 and 19. Norway was particularly interested in Article 18 and 19 and wished to participate in the discussion of these Articles.  
Mr. SEIDENFADEN (Denmark), said that the Danish delegation was mainly interested in Articles 16 and 17. He suggested Denmark might relinquish membership on Sub-Committee A when the discussion of these Article was concluded.  
It was agreed that the representative of Norway would take the place of the delegate for Denmark in Sub-Committee A when Articles 18 and 19 came to be discussed.  
The meeting rose at 4.10 p.m.