On page 2, insert after paragraph 4, the following two paragraphs:

Mr. VIRATA (Philippines) supported the Burmese proposal since it would hasten the progress of emancipation of dependent territories. The discussion of the question need not be postponed since the separate customs territories were invited to the Conference in view of their important contribution to trade, since furthermore these territories were autonomous in the conduct of their external commercial relations, and since finally almost every member of the Conference expressed sympathy for the equal status of all those invited to the Conference in the discussion which had taken place on voting rights.

The CHAIRMAN stated he did not propose to postpone a decision in principle since all agreed to that principle, but the consideration of the final draft of the Burmese proposal as amended by Belgium would be taken up when the text had been circulated.