The following clause is suggested for addition to Article 25 of the United States Draft Charter:

**Subsidies**

**Article 25 - addition of paragraph 5**

5. Paragraphs 2 and 3 of this Article shall not be construed to prevent Members from operating schemes designed to stabilize returns to primary producers over a period of years; provided, that the level at which returns to producers is stabilized over a period of years is not so high in relation to world price levels in the commodity concerned over the same period as to constitute an infringement of the objectives of the charter; and provided, that the Members operating such scheme shall, upon the request of any other Member having an important interest in the trade in that product, or upon the request of the Organization, consult promptly with the other Member or with the Organization regarding the possibility of seeking solution on a multilateral basis of the particular problems involved.