The following communication, dated 17 September 1991, has been received from the Permanent Mission of Uruguay.

The Permanent Delegation of Uruguay to the United Nations Office and other international organizations at Geneva presents its compliments to the GATT secretariat and has the honour to refer to the autonomous liberalization measures put into force in Uruguay as from 10 September 1991.

Pursuant to the Decree in question, goods which on 10 September 1991 were subject to global tariff rates:

(a) of 15 per cent became subject to a rate of 10 per cent;
(b) of 25 per cent became subject to a rate of 20 per cent;
(c) of 35 per cent and 40 per cent became subject to a rate of 30 per cent.

These tariffs are applicable to all goods in the customs tariff.