The Preparatory Committee for the World Trade Organization met for the first time today, 29 April 1994, under the Chairmanship of Mr. Peter Sutherland. The Committee discussed various organizational matters including the establishment of the following sub-committees:

- **Budget, Finance and Administration**
  - Chairman: Ambassador András SZEPESI (Hungary)

- **Services**
  - Chairman: Ambassador Luiz Felipe LAMPREIA (Brazil)

- **Trade and Environment**
  - Chairman: Ambassador Christer MANHUSEN (Sweden)

The Committee also decided to establish a fourth sub-committee on Institutional, Procedural and Legal Matters, the Chairmanship of which will be subject to further consultations.