COMMUNICATION FROM NICARAGUA

The following communication, dated 18 September 1986, has been received from the delegation of Nicaragua as a proposed amendment to document PREP.COM(86)W/47/Rev.2.

IV. SUBJECTS FOR NEGOTIATIONS

Trade Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights, including Trade in Counterfeit Goods

Replace the title and its content by the following:

Trade Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights

Noting the inter-relationship between international trade and protection of intellectual property rights, as recognized in the General Agreement, the operation of relevant GATT provisions, including Articles IX:6 and XX(d), will be reviewed with the aim, through negotiations, of clarifying and elaborating them, in order to reduce arbitrary and unjustifiable discrimination in and disguised restrictions on international trade.

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