AIRGRAM

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GATT/AIR/479

2 JULY 1965

SUBJECT: MEETING OF COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT

AS ADVISED IN GATT/AIR/472, THE NEXT MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE WILL OPEN ON 8 JULY, AT 3 P.M. AT THE PALAIS DES NATIONS, GENEVA.

THE ATTENTION OF CONTRACTING PARTIES IS DRAWN TO THE FOLLOWING MATTERS (DOCUMENT REFERENCES IN PARENTHESES) WHICH ARE RELEVANT TO THIS MEETING.

A. REPORTS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

TWO OF THE GROUPS ESTABLISHED BY THE COMMUTTEE HAVE PREPARED REPORTS FOR SUBMISSION TO THE COMMITTEE, NAMELY:

- 1. THE AD HOC GROUP FOR THE EXAMINATION OF PRODUCTS OF EXPORT INTEREST TO LESS-DEVELOPED COUNTRIES (COM.TD/A/2;ALSO DECOM.TD/A/W/3); AND
- 2. THE GROUP ON RESIDUAL RESTRICTIONS (COM.TD/B/2).

IN ADDITION, THE COMMITTEE WILL HAVE BEFORE IT A REPORT BY THE SECRETARIAT, PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AGREED REPORTING PROCEDURES (L/2410, PARAS. 8-13). THE REPORT BY THE SECRETARIAT WILL ALSO DEAL WITH REPORTS RECEIVED FROM CONTRACTING PARTIES IN THIS CONTEXT (REF: GATT/AIR/452).

B. OTHER MATTERS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

THE FOLLOWING GROUPS, ESTABLISHED BY THE COMMITTEE AT ITS MARCH MEETING, HAVE SINCE MET AND RECORD MOTES, OR SUMMARIES OF DISCUSSIONS, ARE AVAILABLE, AS INDICATED, FOR INFORMATION OF THE COMMITTEE.

- (i) AD HOC GROUP ON THE EXPANSION OF TRADE, INCLUDING PREFERENCES, AMONG LESS-DEVELOPED COUNTRIES; (COM.TD/D/2)
- (ii) WORKING GROUP ON PREFERENCES (BY INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES); (COM.TD/E/2)
- (iii) AD HOC GROUP ON LEGAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL AGREEMENT; (COM.TD/F/2)
- (iv) GROUP OF EXPERTS ON ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE MEASURES; (COM.TD/H/2)

IN ADDITION, A FIRST REPORT ON THE MEETING OF THE EXPERT GROUP ON TRADE AND AID STUDIES, HELD IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO THE COMMITTEE'S MEETING, IS EXPECTED TO BE AVAILABLE FOR INFORMATION.

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