

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

RESTRICTED

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ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL QUESTIONS

Outstanding Contributions due from Chad

Note by the Director-General

1. The Director-General hereby informs the Committee on Budget, Finance and Administration of a communication dated 28 April 1983, received from the Government of Chad, proposing the progressive reduction of its arrears of contributions. The situation with regard to contributions due from Chad is at present as follows:

	<u>US \$</u>	<u>Swiss francs</u>
Balance of 1969 contribution	1,735	
1970 Contribution	4,170	
1971 Contribution	4,580	
1972 Contribution	5,330	
1973 Contribution		25,500
1974 Contribution		27,800
1975 Contribution		31,600
1976 Contribution		40,300
1977 Contribution		42,700
1978 Contribution		45,400
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1980 Contribution		46,800
1981 Contribution		48,480
1982 Contribution		53,170
1983 Contribution		58,250
Amount outstanding to date	15,815 =====	465,400 =====

2. The Government of Chad proposes to settle its arrears of contributions which will have accumulated up to 31 December 1986 by the payment of twenty equal annual instalments, commencing in 1987. In addition, also as from 1987 Chad would pay its current contributions in full in the years for which they are due.

3. The Director-General invites the Committee on Budget, Finance and Administration to recommend that the CONTRACTING PARTIES accept the arrangement proposed by the Government of Chad for the settlement of the arrears of contributions.