

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

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## TARIFFS AND TRADE

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### ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL QUESTIONS

#### Contribution of Observer Countries towards the Costs of Documentation Services provided by the Secretariat - Progress Report

##### Note by the Secretariat

At its meeting of 19-20 October 1988, the GATT Council of Representatives approved a recommendation of the Committee on Budget, Finance and Administration to the effect that observer countries be invited to contribute as from 1 January 1989 a minimum of 1,000 Swiss francs towards the cost of documentation services provided by the Secretariat - (document L/6384, paragraph 46). This measure forms part of a set of recommendations which were approved by the Council with the aim of improving the cash situation of the GATT.

The following table shows the list of observer countries and the amounts paid as at 23 May 1989:

Country	Contribution paid towards documentation services
	Sw F
AFGHANISTAN	
ALGERIA	1,000
ANGOLA	
BAHAMAS	
BAHRAIN	
BOLIVIA	
BRUNEI-DARUSSALAM	
BULGARIA	1,000
CAPE VERDE	
CHINA	1,000
COSTA RICA	
DOMINICA	
ECUADOR	
EL SALVADOR	
EQUATORIAL GUINEA	
ETHIOPIA	
FIJI	
GRENADA	
GUATEMALA	
GUINEA	
GUINEA-BISSAU	
HONDURAS	
IRAN	
IRAQ	1,000
JORDAN	
KIRIBATI	
Sub-total	4,000

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Country	Contribution paid towards documentation services
	Sw F
Sub-total	4,000
LAO	
LEBANON	
LIBERIA	
LIBYA	
MALI	
MOZAMBIQUE	
NEPAL	
PANAMA	
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	
PARAGUAY	
QATAR	
SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS	
SAINT LUCIA	
SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES	
SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE	
SAUDI ARABIA	
SEYCHELLES	1,000
SOLOMON ISLANDS	
SOMALIA	
SUDAN	
SWAZILAND	
SYRIA	
TONGA	
TUVALU	
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	
VENEZUELA	
VIETNAM	
YEMEN, DEMOCRATIC	
TOTAL	5,000

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