Protocol Relating to Trade Negotiations Among Developing Countries

The Chairman of the Committee of Participating Countries provided for in the Protocol Relating to Trade Negotiations Among Developing Countries presents his compliments and wishes to advise that a special meeting of the Committee will be held on Wednesday 12 June 1974 at 10.30 a.m. in the Palais des Nations, Geneva.

Non-participating developing countries are specially invited to attend this meeting and to take part in the discussions.

The purpose of the meeting is to provide an opportunity for delegations to express their views regarding the participation of their governments in a new round of trade negotiations among developing countries. In this respect, delegations may be in a position to indicate, inter alia, the consideration given by their governments to the procedure for accession to the Protocol contained in document CPC/S/1, and to put forward any specific suggestions they might have.

The note on possible procedures for accession and steps that would serve to facilitate the process of accession to the Protocol (CPC/S/1) and the summary of the discussions which took place at the first special meeting of the Committee in November 1973 (CPC/S/2) are attached.

For the purpose of the practical arrangements for the meeting, it would be appreciated if you could inform the GATT secretariat at your earliest convenience of your Government's participation.

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