GATT/AIR/1279

4 MAY 1976

SUBJECT: GROUP "AGRICULTURE" - SUB-GROUP ON GRAINS

1. THE SUB-GROUP ON GRAINS WILL CONVENE ON 24 MAY 1976. THE MEETING WILL BE HELD IN ROOM XXIII PALAIS DES NATIONS AND WILL START AT 10 A.M.

2. IT WILL BE RECALLED THAT THE SUB-GROUP, BENEFITING FROM INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS HELD IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DECISION MADE AT THE FOURTH SESSION (MTN/GR/4,PARA-GRAPH 5), HAS AGREED TO CONTINUE THE EXAMINATION OF ALL THE ELEMENTS OF ALL PROPOSALS THAT HAVE BEEN MADE OR MAY BE MADE WITH REGARD TO THE THREE INTERRELATED CATEGORIES OF TOPICS LISTED IN PARAGRAPH 5 OF MTN/GR/1 (MTN/GR/4, PARAGRAPH 7).

3. THE SUB-GROUP HAS ALSO AGREED TO CONTINUE AND AM TO CONCLUDE AT THIS SESSION THE EXAMINATION AND ANALYSIS OF EXPORT AND IMPORT MEASURES MAINTAINED BY INDIVIDUAL COUNTRIES (MTN/GR/4, PARAGRAPH 8). DELEGATIONS OF COUNTRIES WHOSE MEASURES WERE NOT EXAMINED AT THE LAST SESSION ARE INVITED TO BE FREPARED FOR SUCH EXAMINATION AT THIS SESSION. THE SUB-GROUP FURTHERMORE AGREED THAT IT MIGHT ADDRESS ITSELF TO OTHER TOPICS COVERED BY THE DOCUMENTATION BEFORE IT. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN MTN/GR/W/8 AND ADDENDA, AS WELL AS ANY CORRECTIONS TO BE MADE IN THIS DOCUMENT SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO THE SECRETARIAT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

4. THE MEETING IS OPEN TO THOSE COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE INDICATED THEIR DECISION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MULTILATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS AND HAVE THUS ASSUMED MEMBERSHIP OF THE TRADE NEGOTIATIONS COMMITTEE. SUCH MEMBERS ARE ACCORDINGLY INVITED TO INFORM ME AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OF THE NAMES OF THEIR REPRESENTATIVES WHO WILL ATTEND THE MEETING OF THE SUB-GROUP.

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