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SUBJECT: NON-TARIFF MEASURES SUB-GROUP "TECHNICAL BARRIERS TO TRADE"

- 1. AS AGREED, THE NEXT MEETING OF THE SUB-GROUP "TECHNICAL BARRIERS TO TRADE" WILL BE HELD IN THE WEEK OF 8 NOVEMBER, WITH THE POSSIBILITY OF CONTINUING IN THE WEEK OF 15 NOVEMBER (MTN/NTM/21, PARAGRAPH 17). THE MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 3 P.M. ON MONDAY 8 NOVEMBER AND WILL BE HELD IN THE PALAIS DES NATIONS.
- 2. THE MAIN PAPERS BEFORE THE SUB-GROUP ARE:
  - (a) SUMMING-UP BY THE CHAIRMAN AT MEETING OF MAY 1976 (MTN/NTM/17)
  - (b) DRAFT CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PREVENTING TECHNICAL BARRIERS TO TRADE NOTE BY THE SECRETARIAT (MTN/NTM/W/49)
  - (c) POINTS BEFORE THE SUB-GROUP NOTE BY THE SECRETARIAT (MTN/NTM/W/50)
- 3. 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 COMMITTED 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 GROUP.

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