

GATT/AIR/1577

3 AUGUST 1979

SUBJECT: THIRTY-EIGHTH SESSION OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT

1. THE THIRTY-EIGHTH SESSION OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT WILL BE HELD ON 20 SEPTEMBER 1979 COMMENCING AT 10 A.M. IN THE CENTRE WILLIAM RAPPARD, 154 RUE DE LAUSANNE, GENEVA.
2. MEMBERS ARE EXPECTED TO FOCUS THEIR ATTENTION ON THE FUTURE WORK PROGRAMME OF THE COMMITTEE IN THE LIGHT OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS INCLUDING THE RESULTS STEMMING FROM THE MULTILATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS AND DISCUSSIONS IN OTHER GATT BODIES. NOTES CIRCULATED EARLIER BY THE SECRETARIAT ON THIS SUBJECT INCLUDE COM.TD/W/284 (OCTOBER 1978) AND COM.TD/W/288 AND ADD.1 (MARCH/APRIL 1979). A SUMMARY OF THE DISCUSSIONS AT RECENT MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE FUTURE WORK PROGRAMME ARE CONTAINED IN L/4721, PARAGRAPHS 25-30 AND COM.TD/101, PARAGRAPHS 29-38.
3. MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE AND OTHER CONTRACTING PARTIES, ASSOCIATED GOVERNMENTS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS WISHING TO BE REPRESENTED BY OBSERVERS AND NON-GATT DEVELOPING COUNTRIES WHICH PARTICIPATED IN THE MULTILATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS ARE REQUESTED TO ADVISE ME AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE OF THE NAMES OF THEIR REPRESENTATIVES.

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