

GATT/AIR/309

20 NOVEMBER 1962

SUBJECT: SUB-GROUP OF SPECIAL GROUP ON TRADE IN TROPICAL PRODUCTS

1. AT ITS MEETING HELD FROM 4-8 JUNE 1962. THE SPECIAL GROUP ON TRADE IN TROPICAL PRODUCTS ESTABLISHED A SUB-GROUP WITH THE TERMS OF REFERENCE SET OUT IN PARAGRAPH 45 OF THE REPORT (L/1817) OF THE SPECIAL GROUP.
2. THE FIRST MEETING OF THE SUB-GROUP WILL BE HELD FROM 3-7 DECEMBER AT THE PALAIS DES NATIONS, GENEVA, BEGINNING AT 3.P.M. ON 3 DECEMBER.
3. IN ORDER TO ASSIST THE SUB-GROUP IN ITS WORK, THE SECRETARIAT WILL DISTRIBUTE SHORTLY FACTUAL BACKGROUND DATA AND STATISTICS, TOGETHER WITH THREE PILOT STUDIES ON PARTICULAR TROPICAL PRODUCTS, NAMELY COFFEE, BANANAS, AND VEGETABLE SEEDS AND OILS.
4. MEMBERSHIP OF THE SUB-GROUP IS OPEN TO THOSE GOVERNMENTS WHICH ARE MEMBERS OF THE SPECIAL GROUP, NAMELY:

BRAZIL

INDIA

SWEDEN

CEYLON

INDONESIA

UNITED KINGDOM

EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY

NIGERIA

UNITED STATES

GHANA

THESE GOVERNMENTS, AS WELL AS OTHER CONTRACTING PARTIES AND GOVERNMENTS WISHING TO BE REPRESENTED BY OBSERVERS AT THE MEETING OF THE SUB-GROUP, ARE REQUESTED TO NOTIFY ME AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OF THE NAMES OF THEIR REPRESENTATIVES.

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