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LIST OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND CONTACTS

International organizations with which the secretariat maintains working relations are listed below, giving the indication of the address to be used for official correspondence. In letters to heads of organizations, the name of the person should not be indicated unless the communication is sent on a personal (and not on an official) basis. For information, the name of the head of the organization is given below the official address within parentheses. The names and titles of officials who are dealing with matters of interest to the GATT secretariat are also listed.

A. UNITED NATIONS AND REGIONAL COMMISSIONS

1. United Nations (UN)

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Mr. G. Palthey,  
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Mr. Albert Dollinger,  
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3. United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)

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Mr. P. R. Romero,  
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7. Economic Commission for Europe (ECE)

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8. Economic Commission for Latin America (ECLA)

(Comisión Económica para América Latina (CEPAL))

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9. United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

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10. United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR)

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B. SPECIALIZED AGENCIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS

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2. Bureau international des tarifs douaniers

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3. Customs Co-operation Council (CCC)  
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4. Communautés Européennes

Communauté économique européenne (CEE)  
(European Economic Community) (EEC)

Communauté européenne du charbon et de l'acier (CECA)  
(European Coal and Steel Community) (ECSC)

Communauté européenne de l'énergie atomique  
(European Atomic Energy Community) (EURATOM)

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5. Council of Europe

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(League of Arab States)

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8. Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)  
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(Mr. Diakha Dieng)

10. Organisation de l'Unité africaine (OUA)  
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11. Organization of American States (OAS)

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(Mr. William G. Demas)

15. East African Community

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