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Communication from Greece

The secretariat has received the following communication from the permanent representative of Greece:

"With reference to the matters now under consideration in the Trade Negotiations Committee and the Sub-Committee on the Participation of the Less-Developed Countries, in whose work my delegation will participate, I have the honour to advise you that Greece intends to take part in the Kennedy Round negotiations. I wish to point out, however, that because of my country's special situation, having regard to its association with the Common Market and its economic structure as well as its stage of industrialization, the responsible services in Athens have had to embark on a thorough study of complex questions relating to my country's participation in the Kennedy Round.

"I must, therefore, inform you that Greece reserves the right to present, at a later date, proposals concerning the conditions in which it would consider its participation in the Kennedy Round to be equitable."