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Note by the Secretariat

Corrigendum

Paragraph 32bis should be inserted as follows:

"32bis. The representative of Hong Kong referred to TRE/W/17, which provided substantial background information on Article XX(h). He noted that the Chairman's report to the CONTRACTING PARTIES had listed the alternative approaches examined in the Group. As such, Article XX(h) provided inspiration for a hybrid approach. Given that Article XX(h) had never been tested, there was no past experience from which to benefit. However, under this approach it was possible to find a middle course between the two approaches which was neither an ex ante nor an ex post approach. Also, it was not exactly a collective interpretation nor a case law approach. He concluded by noting that these points would have to be discussed in detail in the future."

In paragraph 33, replace "Hong Kong" with "the European Communities".