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PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE FIFTH SESSION OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES

The following is the agenda proposed for the Fifth Session of the Contracting Parties which will be held at Torquay. The opening meeting will take place in the Marine Spa at 3.00 p.m. on 2 November 1950.

1. ADOPTION OF AGENDA
2. STATUS OF PROTOCOLS (Report to be distributed)
3. TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS
 - a) Terms of Accession
 - b) Instrument to give Effect to Results of Negotiations among Contracting Parties
 - c) Procedure for Prolongation of assured Life of Geneva and Annex SchedulesDraft protocols, etc., have been distributed in GATT/TN.2/12.
4. CONSOLIDATION OF SCHEDULES - A proposal of the Secretariat (GATT/CP.5/4)
5. SCHEDULE IX - Cuba : Report on renegotiations with the United States (GATT/CP/71 and Amend.1 & Add.1)
6. RECTIFICATION OF SCHEDULES CONSEQUENT UPON ADHERENCE TO THE BRUSSELS CONVENTION FOR TARIFF NOMENCLATURE (GATT/CP.5/7).
7. REVIEW OF IMPORT RESTRICTIONS - A draft of the questionnaire to be sent to contracting parties to obtain information in connection with the review of import restrictions required by Article XII:4(b) and the second report on the discriminatory application of restrictions under Article XIV:1 has been distributed (GATT/CP.4/33, para. 26 and GATT/CP.5/5).
8. CONSULTATIONS ON RECENT CHANGES IN IMPORT PROGRAMMES (GATT/CP.4/31)
Consultations under Article XII with Australia, Ceylon, Chile, India, New Zealand, Pakistan, Southern Rhodesia and the United Kingdom.
9. SOUTH AFRICAN IMPORT CONTROL
It is proposed that this subject be included in the Agenda for discussion in the event that a report is received from the International Monetary Fund on the financial aspects of the restrictions (see GATT/CP.4/36).
10. CONSIDERATION OF A REVIEW OF QUANTITATIVE EXPORT RESTRICTIONS (GATT/CP.4/33 para. 27 and GATT/CP.5/3).
11. SPECIAL EXCHANGE AGREEMENTS (Report to be distributed) (GATT/CP.4/41.Rev.1)
12. ARTICLE XVIII
Notifications of existing protective measures by
 - a) Denmark GATT/CP.3/40/Add.3 & CP/77
 - b) Haiti GATT/CP.3/40 : CP/60 & Add.1
 - c) Italy GATT/CP.3/40/Add.1 : CP/49 & Add.1

13. SOUTH AFRICA - SOUTHERN RHODESIA - CUSTOMS UNION :
First Annual Report of the Customs Union Council.
14. AUSTRALIAN SUBSIDY ON AMMONIUM SULPHATE - Report by the Governments
of Australia and Chile (GATT/CP.4/39).
15. DRAFT AGREEMENT ON THE IMPORTATION OF INSECTICIDES (Letter from the
World Health Organization : GATT/CP/79).
16. THE CONTINUATION OF THE TRADE NEWS BULLETIN
17. BUDGET AND ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1951 (Statement to be
distributed).

ITEMS PROPOSED BY CONTRACTING PARTIES

(papers relating to these items will be distributed as soon as
they become available)

by Belgium :

18. EXAMINATION, UNDER THE PROCEDURES PROVIDED IN ARTICLE XXIII, OF ACTUAL
CASES OF QUANTITATIVE RESTRICTIONS APPLIED FOR PROTECTIVE PURPOSES.

by Canada :

19. ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE CONTINUING ADMINISTRATION OF THE GENERAL AGREEMENT

by Cuba :

20. THE SCOPE OF ARTICLES XXV:5 (b) and XXXV, WITH REFERENCE TO THE TARIFF
NEGOTIATIONS AND THE PROLONGATION OF THE ASSURED LIFE OF THE EXISTING
SCHEDULES

by France :

21. THE PROPOSED EUROPEAN IRON AND STEEL AGREEMENT
22. THE POSITION OF INDO-CHINA IN RELATION TO THE GATT

by France and the United Kingdom :

23. BRAZILIAN INTERNAL TAXES. Report on action by the Government of Brazil
since the Fourth Session (GATT/CP.3/42, para 17, GATT/CP.4/SR.21 and
GATT/CP/72).

by Haiti :

24. RECTIFICATIONS TO SCHEDULE XXVI (GATT/CP.5/6)

by the Netherlands

25. THE EFFECT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM PURCHASE TAX ON CERTAIN IMPORTS INTO
THE UNITED KINGDOM, WITH REFERENCE TO ARTICLE III.

by Norway :

26. INCLUSION IN THE AGREEMENT OF ARTICLES FROM CHAPTER II OF THE HAVANA CHARTER DEALING WITH EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

by Norway and the United Kingdom :

27. AMENDMENT OF ARTICLE XX TO CORRESPOND WITH ARTICLE 45 OF THE HAVANA CHARTER.

by the United States

28. FRENCH EXPORT RESTRICTIONS ON HIDES AND SKINS

29. SUGGESTIONS FOR STANDARD PRACTICES TO MINIMIZE COMMERCIAL UNCERTAINTY AND HARDSHIP UNDER THE ADMINISTRATION OF IMPORT LICENCE AND EXCHANGE CONTROL.

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30. DATE OF SIXTH SESSION

31. OTHER BUSINESS