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- 1. All tables in this Appendix have been updated to 1 January 1995 unless otherwise indicated.
- 2. In table I, the date referred to indicates the date of acquisition of contracting party status, whether by acceptance of Protocol of Provisional Application, by accession under Article XXIII, or by succession to contracting party status under Article XXVI:5(c).
- 3. Table II lists governments applying the General Agreement *de facto*. Concerning *de facto* application of the GATT, see the discussion at pages 855-856. Any such government may succeed to contracting party status under Article XXVI:5(c) upon certification by the Director-General that the conditions required by this Article have been met: see the discussion at pages 853-854. Governments having succeeded to contracting party status under Article XXVI:5(c) are listed in table VI(C).
- 4. Tables III, IV and V list members of and observers in the Council, and observers to sessions of the CONTRACTING PARTIES. See the discussion of observer status at pages 1009-1010 and 1017-1019. Each contracting party is listed here as an observer in the Council until the Council meeting following a request by it for membership in the Council.

# I. CONTRACTING PARTIES TO THE GENERAL AGREEMENT (1947) AS OF 1 JANUARY 1995 (128)

| Angola                       | 1994 |
|------------------------------|------|
| Antigua and Barbuda*         | 1987 |
| Argentina                    | 1967 |
| Australia                    | 1948 |
| Austria                      | 1951 |
| Bahrain                      |      |
| Bangladesh                   |      |
| Barbados                     |      |
| Belgium                      | 1948 |
| Belize                       |      |
| Benin                        | 1963 |
| Bolivia                      | 1990 |
| Botswana                     | 1027 |
| Brazil                       |      |
| Brunei Darussalam 9 December | 1003 |
| Burkina Faso 3 May           |      |
| Burundi                      | 1905 |
| Cameroon                     |      |
| Canada                       |      |
|                              |      |
| Central African Republic     |      |
| Chad                         |      |
| Chile                        |      |
| Colombia                     |      |
| Congo                        |      |
| Costa Rica                   |      |
| Côte d'Ivoire31 December     |      |
| Cuba                         |      |
| Cyprus                       |      |
| Czech Republic               |      |
| Denmark                      |      |
| Djibouti                     |      |
| Dominica                     |      |
| Dominican Republic           |      |
| Egypt                        |      |
| El Salvador                  |      |
| Fiji                         |      |
| Finland                      | 1950 |
| France                       | 1948 |
| Gabon                        | 1963 |
| Gambia                       | 1965 |
| Germany                      | 1951 |
| Ghana                        | 1957 |
| Greece                       | 1950 |
| Grenada                      |      |
| Guatemala                    | 1991 |
| Guinea, Rep. of              | 1994 |
| Guinea-Bissau                |      |
| Guyana 5 July                | 1966 |
| Haiti                        | 1950 |
| Honduras                     |      |
| Hong Kong23 April            |      |
| Hungary9.September           |      |
| Iceland                      |      |
| India                        |      |
| Indonesia24 February         |      |
| Ireland                      |      |
| Israel                       |      |
| Italy                        |      |
| Jamaica                      |      |
| Japan                        |      |
| Kenya 5 February             |      |
| Korea, Republic of           |      |
| Kuwait                       |      |
| Lesotho                      | 1988 |
| Liechtenstein 29 March       |      |
| Luxembourg                   |      |
| Macau                        |      |
| Madagascar 30 September      |      |
|                              |      |
| Malawi                       | 1704 |

| Malaysia  |   |
|---|---|
| Williaysia24 October  | 1957  |
| Maldives  | 1 1983  |
| Mali  | 1993  |
| Malta   | 1964  |
| Mauritania30 September  | 1963  |
| Mauritius   | 1970  |
| Mexico  | t 1986  |
| Morocco   |   |
| Mozambique  |   |
| Myanmar   |   |
| Namibia   | 1992  |
| Netherlands   |   |
| New Zealand   | 1948  |
| Nicaragua   |   |
| Niger   |   |
| Nigeria   |   |
| Norway  |   |
| Pakistan  |   |
| Papua New Guinea  | 1994  |
| Paraguay 6 January  |   |
| Peru  |   |
| Philippines   |   |
| Poland  |   |
| Portugal 6 May  |   |
| Romania   |   |
| Rwanda  |   |
| Qatar   |   |
| Saint Kitts and Nevis   |   |
| Saint Lucia   |   |
| Saint Vincent & the Grenadines  | 1993  |
| Sierra Leone  |   |
| Singapore   |   |
| Slovak Republic   | 1 1903  |
| Slovenia  |   |
|   |   |
| Solomon Islands   | r 1994  |
| Solomon Islands   | r 1994<br>r 1994  |
| South Africa  | r 1994<br>r 1994<br>e 1948  |
| South Africa 13 June<br>Spain 29 August   | r 1994<br>r 1994<br>e 1948<br>t 1963  |
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| South Africa         13 June           Spain         29 Augus           Sri Lanka         29 July           Suriname         22 March           Swaziland         8 February           Sweden         30 Apri           Switzerland         1 Augus           Tanzania         9 December           Thailand         20 November           Togo         20 March           Trinidad and Tobago         23 October           Tunisia         19 Augus           Turkey         17 October           Uganda         23 October           United Kingdom         1 January           United States of America         1 January           Uruguay         6 December           Venezuela         31 Augus           Yugoslavia         25 Augus           Zaïre         11 September | r 1994<br>r 1994<br>e 1948<br>t 1963<br>/ 1948<br>/ 1993<br>I 1950<br>t 1966<br>r 1961<br>r 1962<br>t 1990<br>r 1951<br>r 1962<br>t 1994<br>/ 1948<br>/ 1948<br>/ 1958<br>t 1990<br>t 1966<br>r 1951<br>r 1968  |
| South Africa         13 June           Spain         29 Augus           Sri Lanka         29 July           Suriname         22 March           Swaziland         8 February           Sweden         30 Apri           Switzerland         1 Augus           Tanzania         9 December           Thailand         20 November           Togo         20 March           Trinidad and Tobago         23 October           Tunisia         19 Augus           Turkey         17 October           Uganda         23 October           United Kingdom         1 January           United States of America         1 January           Uruguay         6 December           Venezuela         31 Augus           Yugoslavia         25 Augus                                      | r 1994<br>r 1994<br>t 1948<br>t 1963<br>/ 1948<br>t 1966<br>r 1961<br>r 1962<br>t 1962<br>t 1962<br>r 1962<br>t 1994<br>/ 1948<br>/ 1948<br>r 1953<br>t 1990<br>t 1990<br>t 1990  |

#### II. GOVERNMENTS APPLYING THE GENERAL AGREEMENT DE FACTO

Countries to whose territories the General Agreement has been applied and which now, as independent States, maintain a *de facto* application of the General Agreement pending final decisions as to their future commercial policy: updated to 1 January 1995.

# Date of independence

3 July 1962 Algeria Bahamas 10 July 1973 Cambodia 9 November 1953 Cape Verde 5 July 1975 Comoros 6 July 1975 Equatorial Guinea 12 October 1968 12 July 1979 Kiribati Sao Tomé and Principe 12 July 1975 Seychelles 29 June 1976 Tonga 5 June 1970 Tuvalu 1 October 1978 Yemen 30 November 1967

# III. MEMBERSHIP OF THE COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES

(as of 1 January 1995; 97 members)

| Antigua and Barbuda  | Egypt              | Macau               | Singapore           |
|----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Argentina            | El Salvador        | Madagascar          | Slovak Republic     |
| Australia            | Fiji               | Malaysia            | Slovenia            |
| Austria              | Finland            | Malta               | South Africa        |
| Bahrain              | France             | Mauritania          | Spain               |
| Bangladesh           | Gabon              | Mexico              | Sri Lanka           |
| Barbados             | Germany            | Morocco             | Suriname            |
| Belgium              | Ghana              | Myanmar             | Sweden              |
| Belize               | Greece             | Netherlands         | Switzerland         |
| Bolivia              | Grenada            | New Zealand         | Tanzania            |
| Brazil               | Guatemala          | Nicaragua           | Thailand            |
| Brunei Darussalam    | Guyana             | Nigeria             | Trinidad and Tobago |
| Cameroon             | Honduras           | Norway              | Tunisia             |
| Canada               | Hong Kong          | Pakistan            | Turkey              |
| Central African Rep. | Hungary            | Paraguay            | United Kingdom      |
| Chile                | Iceland            | Peru                | United States       |
| Colombia             | India              | Philippines         | Uruguay             |
| Congo                | Indonesia          | Poland              | Venezuela           |
| Costa Rica           | Ireland            | Portugal            | Zaïre               |
| Côte d'Ivoire        | Israel             | Romania             | Zambia              |
| Cuba                 | Italy              | Saint Kitts and     | Zimbabwe            |
| Czech Republic       | Jamaica            | Nevis               | Commission of the   |
| Denmark              | Japan              | Saint Lucia         | European            |
| Dominica             | Korea, Republic of | Saint Vincent & the | Communities         |
| Dominican Republic   | Kuwait             | Grenadines          |                     |
|                      | Luxembourg         | Senegal             |                     |

### IV. OBSERVERS TO SESSIONS OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES as of 1 January 1995

#### 1. Governments

Countries applying the General Agreement on a *de facto* basis\*

Algeria\*\*
Bahamas
Cambodia
Cape Verde
Comoros
Equatorial Guinea
Kiribati
Sao Tomé and Principe

Seychelles Tonga Tuvalu Yemen Countries signatories of the Havana Final Act which have not become contracting parties (Rule 8)

Afghanistan
Ecuador\*\*
Iran
Iraq
Jordan\*\*
Lebanon
Liberia
Panama\*\*

Syrian Arab Republic

Countries not falling into the first two categories and which have been granted observer status

Albania\*\* Latvia\*\* Armenia\*\* Lithuania\*\* Azerbaijan Libyan Arab Belarus\*\* Jamahiriyah Bulgaria\*\* Moldova\*\* China\*\* Mongolia\*\* Nepal\*\* Croatia\*\* Estonia\*\* Russian Ethiopia Federation\*\*

Former Saudi Arabia\*\*
Yugoslav Somalia
Republic of Sudan

Macedonia Chinese Taipei\*\*
Guinea Turkmenistan
Kazakhstan Ukraine\*\*
Kyrgyzstan Viet Nam

Laos

#### 2. International organizations

#### United Nations (UN)

# UN bodies and specialized agencies:

Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP)

Economic Commission for Africa (ECA) Economic Commission for Europe (ECE) Economic Commission for Latin America and

the Caribbean (ECLAC)

Economic and Social Commission for

Western Asia (ESCWA)

Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) International Labour Organization (ILO) International Monetary Fund (IMF) United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) United Nations Industrial Development

Organization (UNIDO)

World Bank

World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)

#### Other organizations:

African, Caribbean and Pacific Group

of States (ACP Group) Andean Group Secretariat Arab Monetary Fund

Caribbean Community Secretariat
Central African Customs and
Economic Union (UDEAC)
Commonwealth Secretariat

Council of Europe

Customs Co-operation Council (CCC) European Free Trade Association (EFTA)

Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC)

Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)

Latin American Integration Association (ALADI)

Latin American Economic System (SELA)

League of Arab States

Organization for Economic Co-operation

and Development (OECD)

Organization of American States (OAS) Organization of the Islamic Conference Secretariat of the General Treaty on

Central American Economic Integration (SIECA) West African Economic Community (CEAO)

<sup>\*</sup>See discussion of de facto status under Article XXVI.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Currently negotiating for accession or for resumption of contracting party status.

#### V. OBSERVERS IN THE COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES AS OF 1 JANUARY 1995

#### 1. **Governments:**

#### **Contracting parties**

#### Non-contracting parties

| Angola        | Malawi                                   | Albania*                 | Kazakhstan          |
|---------------|--|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Benin         | Maldives                                 | Algeria*                 | Kyrgyzstan          |
| Botswana      | Mali                                     | Armenia*                 | Latvia*             |
| Burkina Faso  | Mauritius                                | Azerbaijan               | Lithuania*          |
| Burundi       | Mozambique                               | Belarus*                 | Moldova*            |
| Chad          | Namibia                                  | Bulgaria*                | Mongolia*           |
| Cyprus        | Niger                                    | China*                   | Nepal*              |
| Gambia        | Qatar                                    | Croatia*                 | Panama*             |
| Grenada       | Rwanda                                   | Ecuador*                 | Russian Federation* |
| Guinea-Bissau | Sierra Leone                             | Estonia*                 | Saudi Arabia*       |
| Haiti         | Swaziland                                | Former Yugoslav Republic | Sudan               |
| Kenya         | Togo                                     | of Macedonia             | Chinese Taipei*     |
| Lesotho       | Uganda                                   | Georgia                  | Turkmenistan        |
|               | ** | -                        | TT 1                |

Liechtenstein United Arab Emirates Ukraine\* Iran Jordan\* Uzbekistan

Viet Nam

#### 2. **International organizations:**

# United Nations (UN)

# UN bodies and specialized agencies:

Economic Commission for Africa (ECA) Economic Commission for Europe (ECE) Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC)

Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP)

Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) International Monetary Fund (IMF) United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)

World Bank

World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)

#### Other organizations:

African, Caribbean and Pacific Group of

States (ACP Group) Andean Group Secretariat Arab Monetary Fund

Caribbean Community Secretariat European Bank for Reconstruction and

Development (EBRD)

European Free Trade Association (EFTA)

Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC)

Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)

Latin American Integration Association (ALADI)

Latin American Economic System (SELA)

Organization for Economic Co-operation

and Development (OECD)

Organization of American States (OAS)

Secretariat of the General Treaty on Central American

Economic Integration (SIECA)

<sup>\*</sup>Currently negotiating for accession or for resumption of contracting party status.

# VI. ACCESSION AND SUCCESSION TO CONTRACTING PARTY STATUS UNDER THE GENERAL AGREEMENT

# A. ACCESSIONS UNDER ARTICLE XXXIII

(The PA column indicates those contracting parties that have gone through a process of "provisional accession;" the next table contains names of such countries with document references).

| <b>Contracting party</b>                       | Decision   | Ref.            | PA | Protocol                                  | Ref.    |
|--|--|-----------------|----|---|---------|
| Chile  | Decision of 14 September 1948                                  | I/130           |    | Geneva Protocol                           | I/130   |
| Denmark  | Decisions of 30 November 1949                                  | II/33           |    | Annecy Protocol                           | I/79    |
| Dominican<br>Republic                          | Decisions of 30 November 1949                                  | II/33           |    | Annecy Protocol                           | I/79    |
| Finland  | Decisions of 30 November 1949                                  | II/33           |    | Annecy Protocol                           | I/79    |
| Greece   | Decisions of 30 November 1949                                  | II/33           |    | Annecy Protocol                           | I/79    |
| Haiti  | Decisions of 30 November 1949                                  | II/33           |    | Annecy Protocol                           | I/79    |
| Italy  | Decisions of 30 November 1949                                  | II/33           |    | Annecy Protocol                           | I/79    |
| Liberia  | Decisions of 30 November 1949                                  | II/33           |    | Annecy Protocol                           | I/79    |
| Nicaragua                                      | Decisions of 30 November 1949                                  | II/33           |    | Annecy Protocol                           | I/79    |
| Sweden   | Decisions of 30 November 1949                                  | II/33           |    | Annecy Protocol                           | I/79    |
| Uruguay  | Decisions of 30 November 1949                                  | II/33           |    | Annecy Protocol                           | I/79    |
| Austria  | Decisions of 21 June 1951                                      | II/33-35        |    | Torquay Protocol                          | I/86    |
| Germany  | Decisions of 21 June 1951                                      | II/33-35        |    | Torquay Protocol                          | I/86    |
| Peru   | Decisions of 21 June 1951                                      | II/33-35        |    | Torquay Protocol                          | I/86    |
| Turkey   | Decisions of 21 June 1951                                      | II/33-35        |    | Torquay Protocol                          | I/86    |
| Uruguay  | Decisions of 21 June 1951                                      | II/33-35        |    | Torquay Protocol                          | I/86    |
| Japan  | Declaration of 24 October 1953<br>Decision of 11 August 1955   | 2S/31<br>4S/33  |    | Protocol                                  | 4S/11   |
| Israel   | Decision of 9 December 1961                                    | 10S/11          | PA | Protocol                                  | 11S/17  |
| Portugal                                       | Decision of 9 December 1961                                    | 10S/11          |    | Protocol                                  | 11S/20  |
| Cambodia                                       | Decision of 5 June 1962  | 11S/44          |    | Protocol (not<br>accepted by<br>Cambodia) | 11S/12  |
| Spain  | Decision of 30 June 1963                                       | 128/27          |    | Protocol                                  | 12S/27  |
| Switzerland                                    | Decision of 1 April 1966                                       | 14S/13          | PA | Protocol                                  | 14S/6   |
| Yugoslavia                                     | Decision of 20 July 1966                                       | 15S/63          | PA | Protocol                                  | 15S/53  |
| Korea  | Decision of 2 March 1967                                       | 15S/60          |    | Protocol                                  | 15S/44  |
| Argentina                                      | Decision of 4 September 1967                                   | 15S/59          | PA | Protocol                                  | 15S/36  |
| Iceland  | Decision of 4 September 1967                                   | 15S/59          | PA | Protocol                                  | 15S/38  |
| Ireland  | Decision of 4 September 1967                                   | 15S/60          |    | Protocol                                  | 15S/41  |
| Poland   | Declaration of 9 November 1959<br>Decision of 4 September 1967 | 8S/12<br>15S/60 |    | Protocol                                  | 15S/46  |
| United Arab<br>Republic (Egypt)                | Decision of 4 March 1970                                       | 17S/17          | PA | Protocol                                  | 17S/2   |
| Democratic<br>Republic of the<br>Congo (Zaïre) | Decision of 11 August 1971                                     | 18S/22          |    | Protocol                                  | 18S/3   |
| Romania  | Decision of 15 October 1971                                    | 18S/23          |    | Protocol                                  | 18S/5   |
| Bangladesh                                     | Decision of 10 November 1972                                   | 19S/6           |    | Protocol                                  | 19\$/3  |
| Hungary  | Decision of 8 August 1973                                      | 20S/17          |    | Protocol                                  | 20S/3   |
| Philippines                                    | Decision of 26 November 1979                                   | 26S/223         | PA | Protocol                                  | 26S/192 |
| Colombia                                       | Decision of 28 November 1979                                   | 26S/222         | PA | Protocol                                  | 26S/194 |

| <b>Contracting party</b> | Decision                      | Ref.    | PA | Protocol                                      | Ref.    |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|---------|----|---|---------|
| Mexico                   |                               |         |    | Draft Protocol<br>(not accepted by<br>Mexico) | 26S/256 |
| Thailand                 | Decision of 21 October 1982   | 298/7   |    | Protocol                                      | 298/3   |
| Mexico                   | Decision of 17 July 1986      | 33\$/56 |    | Protocol                                      | 33\$/3  |
| Morocco                  | Decision of 19 February 1987  | 34\$/28 |    | Protocol                                      | 34\$/3  |
| Bolivia                  | Decision of 3 August 1989     | 36S/25  |    | Protocol                                      | 37\$/5  |
| Costa Rica               | Decision of 20 November 1989  | 36S/43  |    | Protocol                                      | 37S/7   |
| El Salvador              | Decision of 13 December 1990  | 37\$/27 |    | Protocol                                      | 37S/27  |
| Tunisia                  | Decision of 12 March 1990     | 37S/41  |    | Protocol                                      | 37S/41  |
| Venezuela                | Decision of 26 July 1990      | 37S/71  |    | Protocol                                      | 37S/72  |
| Guatemala                | Decision of 28 February 1991  | 38S/16  |    | Protocol                                      | 38S/17  |
| Czech Republic           | Decision of 19 February 1993  | L/7181  |    | Protocol                                      | L/7181  |
| Slovak Republic          | Decision of 19 February 1993  | L/7182  |    | Protocol                                      | L/7182  |
| Paraguay                 | Decision of 30 June 1993      | L/7252  |    | Protocol                                      | L/7260  |
| Honduras                 | Decision of 2 March 1994      | L/7419  |    | Protocol                                      | L/7424  |
| Slovenia                 | Decision of 12 September 1994 | L/7530  |    | Protocol                                      | L/7492  |

# B. PROVISIONAL ACCESSIONS

(Chronologically by date of initial Declaration)

| Switzerland    | Declaration of 22 November 1958                            | 7S/19   |
|----------------|--|---------|
| 5 WILZCI IIIII | Procès-Verbal of 8 December 1961                           | 108/12  |
|                | Second Procès-Verbal of 30 October 1964                    | 138/14  |
|                | Terminated on 1 August 1966 - date of accession            | 130/11  |
|                | Terminated on 1 Magast 1900 date of decession              |         |
| Yugoslavia     | Declaration of 25 May 1959                                 | 8S/18   |
|                | Declaration of 13 November 1962                            | 11S/50  |
|                | Procès-Verbal of 14 December 1965                          | 14S/16  |
|                | Expired on 30 June 1966; date of accession 25 August 1966  |         |
| Israel         | Declaration of 29 May 1959                                 | 8S/10   |
|                | Expired on 31 December 1961; date of accession 5 July 1962 |         |
| Tunisia        | Declaration of 12 November 1959                            | 8S/15   |
|                | Procès-Verbal of 9 December 1961                           | 10S/15  |
|                | Second Procès-Verbal of 12 December 1963                   | 12S/32  |
|                | Third Procès-Verbal of 14 December 1965                    | 14S/14  |
|                | Fourth Procès-Verbal of 14 November 1967                   | 15S/61  |
|                | Fifth Procès-Verbal of 19 November 1968                    | 16S/9   |
|                | Sixth Procès-Verbal of 16 December 1969                    | 17S/14  |
|                | Seventh Procès-Verbal of 2 December 1970                   | 18S/19  |
|                | Eighth Procès-Verbal of 9 November 1971                    | 18S/20  |
|                | Ninth Procès-Verbal of 7 November 1973                     | 20S/10  |
|                | Tenth Procès-Verbal of 21 November 1975                    | 22S/6   |
|                | Eleventh Procès-Verbal of 11 November 1977                 | 24S/4   |
|                | Twelfth Procès-Verbal of 27 November 1979                  | 26S/197 |
|                | Thirteenth Procès-Verbal of 24 November 1981               | 28S/9   |
|                | Fourteenth Procès-Verbal of 2 November 1982                | 29S/5   |
|                | Fifteenth Procès-Verbal of 1 November 1983                 | 30S/3   |
|                | Sixteenth Procès-Verbal of 8 November 1984                 | 31S/3   |
|                | Seventeenth Procès-Verbal of 6 November 1985               | 32S/3   |
|                | Eighteenth Procès-Verbal of 5 November 1986                | 33S/6   |
|                | Nineteenth Procès-Verbal of 10 November 1987               | 34S/7   |
|                | Twentieth Procès-Verbal of 7 November 1988                 | 35S/15  |
|                | Expired 31 December 1989; date of accession 12 March 1990  |         |

| <b>A</b>           | D. J. a.d. a. £ 10 N 1000                                    | 00/11          |
|--------------------|--|----------------|
| Argentina          | Declaration of 18 November 1960                              | 9S/11          |
|                    | Procès-Verbal of 7 November 1962                             | 11S/42         |
|                    | Second Procès-Verbal of 30 October 1964                      | 13S/13         |
|                    | Third Proces-Verbal of 17 November 1966                      | (590 UNTS 246) |
|                    | Terminated on 10 October 1967 - date of accession            |                |
| Egypt (United Arab | Declaration of 13 November 1962                              | 11S/46         |
| Republic)          | Procès-Verbal of 30 October 1964                             | 13S/16         |
| • /                | Second Procès-Verbal of 17 November 1966                     | L/2714         |
|                    | Third Procès-Verbal of 14 November 1967                      | 15S/62         |
|                    | Fourth Procès-Verbal of 19 November 1968                     | 16S/10         |
|                    | Fifth Procès-Verbal of 16 December 1969                      | 17S/16         |
|                    | Terminated on 8 May 1970 - date of accession                 |                |
| Iceland            | Declaration of 5 March 1964                                  | 12S/24         |
|                    | Procès-Verbal of 14 December 1965                            | 14S/12         |
|                    | Expired on 31 December 1967; date of accession 21 April 1968 |                |
| Philippines        | Declaration of 9 August 1973                                 | 20\$/8         |
| ••                 | Procès-Verbal of 21 November 1975                            | 22S/5          |
|                    | Second Procès-Verbal of 11 November 1977                     | 24S/3          |
|                    | Terminated on 27 December 1979 - date of accession           |                |
| Colombia           | Declaration of 23 July 1975                                  | 22\$/3         |
|                    | Procès-Verbal of 12 November 1976                            | 23S/3          |
|                    | Second Procès-Verbal of 14 November 1978                     | 25S/3          |
|                    | Third Procès-Verbal of 10 November 1980                      | 27S/6          |
|                    | Terminated on 3 October 1981 - date of accession             |                |
|                    |  |                |

### C. SUCCESSION TO CONTRACTING PARTY STATUS UNDER ARTICLE XXVI:5(C)

The simplified procedures for the acquisition of contracting party status under Article XXVI:5(c) adopted in 1963 provide for a certification by the Director-General to the effect that the conditions of Article XXVI:5(c) have been fulfilled and advising that the government concerned has become a contracting party. The rights and obligations of contracting parties acceding under Article XXVI:5(c) date from the date of independence of the newly-independent State or the date of a territory's autonomy in the conduct of its external commercial relations as certified by the "responsible contracting party" under Article XXVI:5(c). See further at pages 853-856.

| Contracting party        | Date of independence or<br>autonomy in commercial<br>relations | Date of admission as contracting party | Certification by<br>Director-General |
|--------------------------|--|--|--------------------------------------|
| Angola                   | 11.11.1975   | 8.4.1994                               | L/7442                               |
| Antigua and Barbuda      | 1.11.1981  | 30.3.1987                              | 34S/25                               |
| Bahrain                  | 15.8.1971  | 13.12.1993                             | L/7359                               |
| Barbados                 | 30.11.1966   | 15.2.1967                              | 15S/59                               |
| Belize                   | 21.9.1981  | 7.10.1983                              | 30S/7                                |
| Benin                    | 1.8.1960   | 12.9.1963                              | 12S/33                               |
| Botswana                 | 30.9.1966  | 28.8.1987                              | 34S/26                               |
| Brunei Darussalam        | 9.12.1993  | 31.12.1983                             | L/7358                               |
| Burkina Faso             | 5.8.1960   | 3.5.1963                               | 12S/34                               |
| Burundi                  | 1.7.1962   | 13.3.1965                              | 13S/12                               |
| Cameroon                 | 1.1.1960   | 3.5.1963                               | 12S/33                               |
| Central African Republic | 14.8.1960  | 3.5.1963                               | 12S/33                               |

| <b>Contracting party</b>       | Date of independence or<br>autonomy in commercial<br>relations | Date of admission as contracting party | Certification by<br>Director-General |
|--------------------------------|--|--|--------------------------------------|
| Chad                           | 11.8.1960  | 12.7.1963                              | 12S/33                               |
| Congo                          | 15.8.1960  | 3.5.1963                               | 12S/33                               |
| Côte d'Ivoire                  | 7.8.1960   | 31.12.1963                             | 12S/33                               |
| Cyprus                         | 16.8.1960  | 15.7.1963                              | 12S/33                               |
| Djibouti                       | 27.7.1977  | 16.12.1994                             | L/7609                               |
| Dominica                       | 3.11.1978  | 20.4.1993                              | L/7203                               |
| Fiji                           | 9.10.1970  | 16.11.1993                             | L/7325                               |
| Gabon                          | 17.8.1960  | 3.5.1963                               | 12S/33                               |
| Gambia                         | 18.2.1965  | 22.2.1965                              | 13S/12                               |
| Ghana                          | 6.3.1957   | 17.10.1957                             | 6S/9                                 |
| Grenada                        | 7.2.1974   | 9.2.1994                               | L/7412                               |
| Guinea                         | 2.10.1958  | 8.12.1994                              | L/7606                               |
| Guinea-Bissau                  | 10.9.1974  | 17.3.1994                              | L/7432                               |
| Guyana                         | 26.5.1966  | 5.7.1966                               | 14S/13                               |
| Hong Kong                      | 23.4.1986  | 23.4.1986                              | 34\$/27                              |
| Indonesia                      | 27.12.1949   | 24.2.1950                              | 1S/6                                 |
| Jamaica                        | 6.8.1962   | 31.12.1963                             | 12S/34                               |
| Kenya                          | 12.12.1963   | 5.2.1964                               | 12S/34                               |
| Kuwait                         | 19.6.1961  | 3.5.1963                               | 12S/34                               |
| Lesotho                        | 4.10.1966  | 8.1.1988                               | L/2701, 35S/25                       |
| Liechtenstein                  | 29.3.1994  | 29.3.1994                              | L/7440                               |
| Macau                          | 11.1.1991  | 11.1.1991                              | L/6806, L/6807                       |
| Madagascar                     | 25.6.1960  | 30.9.1963                              | 12S/34                               |
| Malawi                         | 6.7.1964   | 28.8.1964                              | 138/12                               |
| Malaysia                       | 31.8.1957  | 24.10.1957                             | 6S/9                                 |
| Maldives                       | 26.7.1965  | 19.4.1983                              | 30S/7                                |
| Mali                           | 20.6.1960  | 11.1.1993                              | L/7166                               |
| Malta                          | 21.9.1964  | 17.11.1964                             | 13S/12                               |
| Mauritania                     | 28.11.1960   | 30.9.1963                              | 12S/34                               |
| Mauritius                      | 12.3.1968  | 2.9.1970                               | 18S/23                               |
| Mozambique                     | 25.6.1975  | 27.7.1992                              | L/7069                               |
| Namibia                        | 21.3.1990  | 15.9.1992                              | L/7081+Add.1                         |
| Niger                          | 3.8.1960   | 31.12.1963                             | 12S/34                               |
| Nigeria                        | 1.10.1960  | 18.12.1960                             | 9S/13                                |
| Papua New Guinea               | 16.9.1975  | 16.12.1994                             | L/7610                               |
| Qatar                          | 3.9.1971   | 7.4.1994                               | L/7441                               |
| Rwanda                         | 1.7.1962   | 1.1.1966                               | 14S/13                               |
| Saint Kitts and Nevis          | 19.9.1983  | 24.3.1994                              | L/7434                               |
| Saint Lucia                    | 22.1.1979  | 13.4.1993                              | L/7200                               |
| Saint Vincent & the Grenadines | 27.10.1979   | 18.4.1993                              | L/7203                               |
| Senegal                        | 20.6.1960  | 27.9.1963                              | 12S/34                               |
| Sierra Leone                   | 27.4.1961  | 19.5.1961                              | 10S/11                               |
|                                |  |  |                                      |

| Contracting party    | Date of independence or<br>autonomy in commercial<br>relations | Date of admission as contracting party | Certification by<br>Director-General |
|----------------------|--|--|--------------------------------------|
| Singapore            | 9.8.1965   | 20.8.1973                              | 20S/19                               |
| Solomon Islands      | 7.7.1978   | 28.12.1994                             | L/7607                               |
| Suriname             | 25.11.1975   | 22.3.1978                              | 25\$/6                               |
| Swaziland            | 6.9.1968   | 8.2.1993                               | L/7179                               |
| Tanzania             | 9.12.1961  | 9.12.1961                              | 10S/14                               |
| Togo                 | 27.4.1960  | 20.3.1964                              | 12S/34                               |
| Trinidad and Tobago  | 31.8.1962  | 23.10.1962                             | 11S/44                               |
| Uganda               | 9.10.1962  | 23.10.1962                             | 11S/45                               |
| United Arab Emirates | 1.12.1971  | 8.3.1994                               | L/7422                               |
| Zambia               | 24.10.1964   | 10.2.1982                              | 298/7                                |

# D. OVERVIEW

**Note:** names in (parentheses) indicate governments which later withdrew provisional application of the General Agreement or ceased to exist. " $N^o$ " columns indicate the number of present contracting parties (not including those which later withdrew provisional application) which became contracting parties in the time period referred to; for exact dates see page 1137. Status is as of 1 January 1995.

| Year  | Govts. accepting Protocol of<br>Provisional Application or<br>acceding under Article XXXIII  | Nº | Govts. succeeding to<br>contracting party status under<br>Article XXVI:5(c)  | Nº | Total | Cumulative<br>total |
|---|--|----|--|----|-------|---------------------|
| 1947: Original contracting parties  | Australia, Belgium, Canada,<br>France, Luxembourg,<br>Netherlands, United Kingdom,<br>United States  | 8  |  | 0  | 8     | 8                   |
| 1948: Governments signatory to para. 3 of Protocol of Provisional Application | Brazil, (Republic of China),<br>Cuba, (Czechoslovakia), India,<br>(Lebanon), Myanmar, New<br>Zealand, Norway, Pakistan, South<br>Africa, Sri Lanka, (Syria),<br>Zimbabwe | 10 | _  |    | 10    | 18                  |
| 1948: Protocol<br>for Accession<br>of Signatories to<br>Geneva Final<br>Act   | Chile  | 1  |  | 0  | 1     | 19                  |
| 1949<br>(Annecy<br>Round)   | Denmark, Dominican Republic,<br>Finland, Greece, Haiti, Italy,<br>(Liberia), Nicaragua, Sweden   | 8  | -  | 0  | 8     | 27                  |
| 1950  |  | 0  | Indonesia  | 1  | 1     | 28                  |
| 1951<br>(Torquay<br>Round)  | Austria, Germany, Peru, Turkey   | 4  |  | 0  | 4     | 32                  |
| 1953  | Uruguay  | 1  |  | 0  | 1     | 33                  |
| 1955  | Japan  | 1  |  | 0  | 1     | 34                  |
| 1957  |  | 0  | Ghana, Malaysia  | 2  | 2     | 36                  |
| 1960  |  | 0  | Nigeria  | 1  | 1     | 37                  |
| 1961  |  |    | Sierra Leone, Tanzania   | 2  | 2     | 39                  |
| 1962<br>(Dillon Round)  | Israel, Portugal   | 2  | Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda  | 2  | 4     | 43                  |
| 1963  | Spain  | 1  | Benin, Burkina Faso, Cameroon,<br>Central African Republic, Chad,<br>Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Cyprus,<br>Gabon, Jamaica, Kuwait,<br>Madagascar, Mauritania, Niger,<br>Senegal | 15 | 16    | 59                  |
| 1964  | -  | 0  | Kenya, Malawi, Malta, Togo   | 4  | 4     | 63                  |

| Year                       | Govts. accepting Protocol of<br>Provisional Application or<br>acceding under Article XXXIII | Nº | Govts. succeeding to<br>contracting party status under<br>Article XXVI:5(c)  | Nº | Total | Cumulative<br>total |
|----------------------------|---|----|--|----|-------|---------------------|
| 1965                       |   | 0  | Burundi, Gambia  | 2  | 2     | 65                  |
| 1966                       | Switzerland, Yugoslavia   | 2  | Guyana, Rwanda   | 2  | 4     | 69                  |
| 1967<br>(Kennedy<br>Round) | Korea, Argentina, Ireland, Poland   | 4  | Barbados   | 1  | 5     | 74                  |
| 1968                       | Iceland   | 1  |  | 0  | 1     | 75                  |
| 1970                       | Egypt   | 1  | Mauritius  | 1  | 2     | 77                  |
| 1971                       | Zaire, Romania  | 2  |  | 0  | 2     | 79                  |
| 1972                       | Bangladesh  | 1  |  | 0  | 1     | 80                  |
| 1973                       | Hungary   | 1  | Singapore  | 1  | 2     | 82                  |
| 1978                       |   | 0  | Suriname   | 1  | 1     | 83                  |
| 1979<br>(Tokyo Round)      | Philippines   | 1  |  | 0  | 1     | 84                  |
| 1981                       | Colombia  | 1  |  | 0  | 1     | 85                  |
| 1982                       | Thailand  | 1  | Zambia   | 1  | 2     | 87                  |
| 1983                       |   | 0  | Belize, Maldives   | 2  | 2     | 89                  |
| 1986                       | Mexico  | 1  | Hong Kong  | 1  | 2     | 91                  |
| 1987                       | Morocco   | 1  | Antigua and Barbuda, Botswana  | 2  | 3     | 94                  |
| 1988                       |   | 0  | Lesotho  | 1  | 1     | 95                  |
| 1990                       | Bolivia, Costa Rica, El Salvador,<br>Tunisia, Venezuela                                     | 5  |  | 0  | 5     | 100                 |
| 1991                       | Guatemala   | 1  | Macau  | 1  | 2     | 102                 |
| 1992                       |   | 0  | Mozambique, Namibia  | 2  | 2     | 104                 |
| 1993                       | Czech Republic, Slovak Republic   | 2  | Dominica, Mali, Swaziland,<br>Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent & the<br>Grenadines, Fiji, Brunei<br>Darussalam, Bahrain  | 8  | 10    | 114                 |
| 1994<br>(Uruguay<br>Round) | Paraguay, Honduras, Slovenia  | 3  | Angola, Djibouti, Grenada,<br>Guinea-Bissau, Republic of<br>Guinea, Liechtenstein, Papua<br>New Guinea, Qatar, St.Kitts and<br>Nevis, Solomon Islands, United<br>Arab Emirates | 11 | 14    | 128                 |
| TOTAL                      |   | 64 |  | 64 | 128   | 128                 |

#### VII. ACCEPTANCES OF TOKYO ROUND AGREEMENTS

Status as of 1 June 1995. The table below refers to the following agreements, all done at Geneva on 12 April 1979 unless otherwise specified, which are open for acceptance by governments contracting parties to the GATT and by the European Economic Community. <sup>1</sup>

- 1. Agreements which entered into force on 1 January 1980:
- (ADP) Agreement on Implementation of Article VI of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, 26S/171, 1186 UNTS 2. Acceptance of this Agreement carries denunciation of the Agreement on Implementation of Article VI of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade done in 1967 (all parties to the 1967 Agreement have accepted the 1979 Agreement except Portugal and Malta).
- (SCM) Agreement on Interpretation and Application of Articles VI, XVI and XXIII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, 26S/56, 1186 UNTS 204.
- (LIC) Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures, 26S/154, 1186 UNTS 372.
- (AIR) Agreement on Trade in Civil Aircraft, 26S/162, 1186 UNTS 170; the Annex to this Agreement was amended by the Protocol (1986) Amending the Annex to the Agreement on Trade in Civil Aircraft, 34S/22, ... UNTS ..., which entered into force on 1 January 1988.
- (TBT) Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade, 26S/8, 1186 UNTS 276.
- 2. Agreements which entered into force on 1 January 1981:
- (VAL) Agreement on Implementation of Article VII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, 26S/116, 1235 UNTS 126, and Protocol to the Agreement on Implementation of Article VII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, 26S/151, 1235 UNTS 238, done at Geneva on 1 November 1979; upon entry into force of the Agreement on 1 January 1981, the provisions of the Protocol were deemed to be an integral part of the Agreement.
- (GPR) Agreement on Government Procurement, 26S/33, 1235 UNTS 258; this agreement was amended by the Protocol Amending the Agreement on Government Procurement, 34S/12, ... UNTS ..., which entered into force on 14 February 1988 upon its acceptance by all Parties to the Agreement.

In addition, the following two agreements, done in 1979, were open for acceptance bygovernments members of the United Nations, or of one of its specialized agencies, and by the European Economic Community. These agreements have now terminated. Information on acceptances of these agreements can be found in previous editions of this book or in the *GATT Status of Legal Instruments*.

Arrangement Regarding Bovine Meat, 26S/84, 1186 UNTS 344. On 15 April at Marrakesh, Morocco, the International Bovine Meat Agreement was opened for acceptance; Article VI:1(c) of this Agreement provides that acceptance thereof carries denunciation of the Arrangement Regarding Bovine Meat effective on the date of entry into force of the Agreement Establishing the WTO. On 17 June 1994, the International Meat Council composed of the signatories to the Arrangement decided to extend the Arrangement only until the date of entry into force of the Agreement Establishing the WTO and the International Bovine Meat Agreement, and decided that the Arrangement Regarding Bovine Meat would terminate as of that date. The Arrangement duly terminated on 1 January 1995

International Dairy Arrangement, 26S/91, 1186 UNTS 54. Acceptance of the International Dairy Arrangement carried denunciation of the Arrangement Concerning Certain Dairy Products done in 1970, and the Protocol Relating to Milk Fat, done in 1973. All parties to the 1970 Arrangement and the 1973 Protocol had accepted the 1979 Arrangement or otherwise withdrawn. On 15 April at Marrakesh, Morocco, the International Dairy Agreement was opened for acceptance; Article VIII:1(c) of this Agreement provides that acceptance thereof carries denunciation of the International Dairy Arrangement effective on the date of entry into force of the Agreement Establishing the WTO. In September 1994 the International Dairy Products Council composed of the signatories to the Arrangement decided to extend the Arrangement only until the date of entry into force of the Agreement Establishing the WTO and the International Dairy Agreement, and decided that the International Dairy Arrangement would terminate as of that date. The Arrangement duly terminated on 1 January 1995.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Also open for acceptance by governments having provisionally acceded to the GATT, and open to accession by any other government on terms to be agreed between that government and the parties to the agreement in question.

# KEY:

A : Accepted (includes acceptance subject to ratification)
S : Signed (acceptance pending)
W : Accepted and later withdrew

O : Observer

<sup>\*</sup>Subject to reservation, condition and/or declaration

|                               | ADP            | SCM           | LIC         | AIR | ТВТ | VAL          | GPR |
|-------------------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|-----|-----|--------------|-----|
|                               |                |               |             |     |     | +            |     |
| CONTRACTING DARTIES TO CATE A | ND THE EUDODE  | AN FOONOMIC O | OMMUNITY    |     |     | Prot.        |     |
| CONTRACTING PARTIES TO GATT A | IND THE EUROPE | AN ECONOMIC C | OWWINIONITY |     |     |              |     |
| Antigua and Barbuda           |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Argentina                     | S              | S             | S           | 0   | S   | A*           | 0   |
| Australia                     | Α              | A*            | Α           | О   | Α   | Α            | 0   |
| Austria                       | Α              | Α             | Α           | Α   | A   | Α            | Α   |
| Bahrain                       |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Bangladesh                    | 0              | 0             | 0           | 0   | 0   | 0            | 0   |
| Barbados                      |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Belgium                       |                |               |             | Α   | А   |              |     |
| Belize                        |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Benin                         |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Bolivia                       |                |               | А           |     |     | A*           |     |
| Botswana                      |                |               |             |     |     | Α            |     |
| Brazil                        | A              | А             | 0           | 0   | A   | A*           | 0   |
| Brunei Darussalam             |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Burkina Faso                  |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Burundi                       |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Cameroon                      |                |               |             | 0   |     | 0            | 0   |
| Canada                        | A              | А             | А           | А   | A   | A*           | A   |
| Central African Republic      |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Chad                          |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Chile                         | О              | А             | А           |     | А   | 0            | 0   |
| Colombia                      | A              | A*            | 0           |     | 0   | A*           |     |
| Congo                         |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Costa Rica                    |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Côte d'Ivoire                 | О              | 0             | 0           |     | О   | 0            | 0   |
| Cuba                          | 0              | 0             | 0           |     | 0   | 0            | 0   |
| Cyprus                        |                |               |             |     |     | Α            |     |
| Czech Republic                | А              |               | А           |     | А   | Α            |     |
| Denmark                       |                |               |             | A*  | A*  |              |     |
| Dominica                      |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Dominican Rep.                |                |               | 0           |     |     |              | 0   |
| Egypt                         | Α              | Α             | A           | A   | Α   | 0            | 0   |
| El Salvador                   |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| European Economic Community   | A              | Α             | A           | A   | A   | A            | A   |
| Fiji                          |                |               |             |     |     |              |     |
| Finland                       | A              | A             | Α           | 0   | A   | Α            | A   |
| France                        |                | <u> </u>      | <u> </u>    | A   | A   | 1            | Ť.  |
| Gabon                         |                | 0             | 0           | 0   | 0   | <del> </del> | 0   |
| Gambia                        |                | Ť             | Ť           |     | Ť   | 1            | Ť   |
| Germany                       |                |               |             | A*  | A*  |              |     |
| Jonnally                      |                |               |             |     | γ.  |              |     |

|                                   | ADP      | SCM        | LIC | AIR          | ТВТ    | VAL<br>+ | GPR |
|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|-----|--------------|--------|----------|-----|
|                                   |          |            |     |              |        | Prot.    |     |
| Ghana                             | 0        | 0          | 0   | 0            | 0      |          |     |
| Greece                            |          |            |     | S            | A      |          |     |
| Grenada                           |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Guatemala                         |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Guinea-Bissau                     |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Guyana                            |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Haiti                             |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Honduras                          |          |            |     | İ            |        |          |     |
| Hong Kong                         | A        | Α          | A   |              | A      | Α        | A   |
| Hungary                           | A        | 0          | A   |              | A*     | A        | 0   |
| Iceland                           |          |            |     |              |        | ,        |     |
| India                             | A        | A          | A   | 0            | A      | A*       | О   |
| Indonesia                         | 0        | A*         | 0   | 0            | A      | 0        | 0   |
| Ireland                           | <u> </u> | γ <b>7</b> |     | A            |        |          |     |
|                                   | 0        | A*         | 0   | 0            | Α<br>^ | 0        | A   |
| Israel                            | 0        | r^         | U   |              | Α      | <u>ν</u> | r\  |
| Italy                             | +        | 0          |     | Α            | A      |          |     |
| Jamaica                           | +        | 0          | 0   | <del> </del> |        |          | 0   |
| Japan                             | A        | Α          | Α   | Α            | A      | А        | A   |
| Kenya                             |          |            | _   |              |        |          | 0   |
| Korea, Republic of                | A        | Α          | 0   |              | Α      | Α        | O** |
| Kuwait                            |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Lesotho                           |          |            |     |              |        | Α        |     |
| Luxembourg                        |          |            |     | Α            | A      |          |     |
| Macau                             |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Madagascar                        |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Malawi                            |          |            |     |              |        | A*       |     |
| Malaysia                          | 0        | 0          | 0   |              | A      | 0        | 0   |
| Maldives                          |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Mali                              |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Malta                             | 0        | 0          | 0   | 0            | 0      |          | 0   |
| Mauritania                        |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Mauritius                         |          |            |     | О            |        |          |     |
| Mexico                            | Α        | 0          | A   |              | A      | A*       |     |
| Morocco                           |          |            |     |              | A      | A*       |     |
| Mozambique                        |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Myanmar                           |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Namibia                           |          |            |     |              |        |          |     |
| Netherlands                       |          |            |     | А            | A      |          |     |
| Netherlands with respect to Aruba |          |            |     |              |        |          | Α   |
| New Zealand                       | A        | Α          | Α   |              | A      | A*       | 0   |
| Nicaragua                         | 0        | 0          | 0   |              | 0      | 0        | 0   |
| Niger                             | †        | <u> </u>   |     |              | 1      |          | ĺ   |
| Nigeria                           | 0        | 0          | Α   | 0            | 0      | 0        | 0   |
| Norway                            | A        | A          | A   | A            | A      | A        | A   |
| Pakistan                          | A        | A          | A   | ,            | A      | 0        | ,   |
| Paraguay                          | r        | y 7.       | V 1 |              | ,      |          |     |
|                                   | 0        | 0          | 0   |              | 0      | 0        | 0   |
| Peru                              |          | A*         |     |              |        |          |     |
| Philippines  Delend               | 0        |            | A   |              | Α      | 0        | 0   |
| Poland                            | Α        | S          | Α   | 0            | 0      | S        | 0   |

|                                 | ADP | SCM | LIC | AIR | ТВТ | VAL        | GPR |
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| Portugal                        |     | W   |     | Α   | Α   |            |     |
| Romania                         | Α   | 0   | А   | Α   | Α   | Α          | 0   |
| Rwanda                          |     |     |     |     | S   |            |     |
| Saint Lucia                     |     |     |     |     |     |            |     |
| Saint. Vincent & the Grenadines |     |     |     |     |     |            |     |
| Senegal                         | 0   | 0   | 0   |     | 0   |            |     |
| Sierra Leone                    |     |     |     |     |     |            |     |
| Singapore                       | Α   | 0   | Α   | 0   | Α   | 0          | A   |
| Slovak Republic                 | Α   |     | А   |     | Α   | Α          |     |
| South Africa                    | 0   | 0   | Α   |     |     | Α          | 0   |
| Spain                           | W   | W   |     | Α   | Α   |            |     |
| Sri Lanka                       | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0          |     |
| Suriname                        |     |     |     |     |     |            |     |
| Sweden                          | Α   | А   | А   | Α   | Α   | Α          | A   |
| Switzerland                     | Α   | Α   | Α   | Α   | Α   | Α          | А   |
| Tanzania                        | 0   | 0   | 0   |     | О   |            |     |
| Thailand                        | 0   | 0   | 0   |     | Α   | 0          | 0   |
| Togo                            |     |     |     |     |     |            |     |
| Trinidad and Tobago             | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0          | 0   |
| Tunisia                         | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | Α   |            |     |
| Turkey                          | 0   | Α   | 0   | 0   | 0   | A*         | 0   |
| Uganda                          |     |     |     |     |     |            |     |
| United Arab Emirates            |     |     |     |     |     |            |     |
| United Kingdom                  |     |     | A*  | A*  | A*  | A*         | A*  |
| United States                   | W   | W   | W   | Α   | W   | W          | А   |
| Uruguay                         | 0   | Α   |     |     |     |            |     |
| Venezuela                       |     | 0   | 0   |     |     |            |     |
| Zaire                           | 0   | 0   | 0   |     | 0   | 0          | 0   |
| Zambia                          |     |     |     |     |     |            |     |
| Zimbabwe                        |     |     |     |     |     | A*         | 0   |
| OTHER                           |     |     |     |     |     |            |     |
| Bulgaria***                     | 0   | 0   | 0   |     | 0   | 0          |     |
| China                           | 0   |     | 0   |     | 0   | 0          | 0   |
| Chinese Taipei                  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0          | 0   |
| Ecuador                         | 0   | 0   | 0   |     | 0   | 0          | 0   |
| Panama                          |     |     |     |     |     |            |     |
| Russian Federation              | 0   |     | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0          |     |

<sup>\*\*</sup>Korea has been invited by the signatories to be present in the Informal Working Group on Government Procurement from October 1991, pending its formal accession to the Agreement on Government Procurement.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Bulgaria negotiated a schedule of tariff concessions in the Tokyo Round.

# VIII. MEMBERS OF THE WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

As of 1 August 1995, the following Governments had accepted the Marrakesh Agreement Establishing the World Trade Organization. The membership of each in the World Trade Organization is effective as of the dates indicated.

| Antigua and Barbuda      |        | Lesotho  |     |      |
|--------------------------|--------|--|-----|------|
| Argentina                |        | Luxembourg   | -   |      |
| Australia                |        | Macau  | •   |      |
| Austria                  |        | Malawi   |     |      |
| Bahrain                  | y 1995 | Malaysia   | ıry | 1995 |
| Bangladesh               | y 1995 | Maldives   | ay  | 1995 |
| Barbados                 |        | Mali   |     |      |
| Belgium                  | y 1995 | Malta  | ıry | 1995 |
| Belize                   | y 1995 | Mauritania   | ay  | 1995 |
| Botswana                 | y 1995 | Mauritius  | iry | 1995 |
| Brazil                   | v 1995 | Mexico   | iry | 1995 |
| Brunei Darussalam        |        | Morocco 1 Janua  |     |      |
| Burkina Faso             |        | Myanmar  | -   |      |
| Canada                   |        | Namibia  |     |      |
| Central African Republic |        | Netherlands - for the Kingdom in Europe  |     | .,,, |
| Chile 1 Januar           |        | and for the Netherlands Antilles   | rv  | 1995 |
| Colombia                 |        | New Zealand 1 January 1 Ja | •   |      |
| Costa Rica 1 Januar      |        | Nigeria  | •   |      |
| Côte d'Ivoire 1 Januar   |        | Norway 1 Januar 1 Jan |     |      |
| Cuba                     |        | Pakistan 1 Janua   | -   |      |
| Czech Republic 1 Januar  |        | Paraguay 1 Janua   | -   |      |
| Denmark 1 Januar         |        | Peru 1 Janua   |     |      |
|                          |        |  |     |      |
| Djibouti                 |        | Philippines 1 Januar 2 Januar  | -   |      |
| Dominica                 |        | Poland 1 July 2018   | •   |      |
| Dominican Republic       |        | Portugal 1 Januar 2 J |     |      |
| Egypt                    |        | Romania  |     |      |
| El Salvador              | ,      | Saint Lucia  | -   |      |
| European Community       |        | Saint Vincent & the Grenadines   |     |      |
| Finland                  |        | Senegal  |     |      |
| France1 Januar           |        | Singapore  | -   |      |
| Gabon                    |        | Slovak Republic  |     |      |
| Germany                  |        | South Africa   |     |      |
| Ghana                    |        | Spain  | •   |      |
| Greece 1 Januar          |        | Sri Lanka  | •   |      |
| Guinea Bissau            | y 1995 | Suriname   |     |      |
| Guyana1 Januar           | y 1995 | Swaziland  | ıry | 1995 |
| Honduras                 | y 1995 | Switzerland  | ıly | 1995 |
| Hong Kong                | y 1995 | Sweden   | ıry | 1995 |
| Hungary1 Januar          | y 1995 | Tanzania   | ıry | 1995 |
| Iceland                  | y 1995 | Thailand   | ıry | 1995 |
| India                    | y 1995 | Togo   | ay  | 1995 |
| Indonesia                | y 1995 | Trinidad and Tobago  | ch  | 1995 |
| Ireland                  | y 1995 | Tunisia  | ch  | 1995 |
| Israel                   |        | Turkey   | ch  | 1995 |
| Italy                    |        | Uganda   | ıry | 1995 |
| Jamaica                  |        | United Kingdom   | -   |      |
| Japan                    |        | United States  | •   |      |
| Kenya                    |        | Uruguay  | •   |      |
| Korea 1 Januar           |        | Venezuela 1 Janua  | •   |      |
| Kuwait                   |        | Zambia 1 Janua   | -   |      |
| Januar,                  | , 2000 | Zimbabwe   |     |      |
|                          |        |  | -11 |      |