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ARTICLE XXVIII:5 NEGOTIATIONS

Schedule XX - United States of America

The following communication, dated 24 May 1985, has been received from the United States Permanent Mission.

The Government of the United States of America has notified the CONTRACTING PARTIES that it reserves the right, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 5 of Article XXVIII of the General Agreement, to modify Schedule XX - United States of America during the three-year period commencing 1 January 1985.

I now have the honor to ask you to notify the CONTRACTING PARTIES that the United States of America has modified the concession on orange juice in items 165.30 and 165.35 in Schedule XX - United States of America.

Concession Prior to 1 January 1985

Tariff item number	Description of product	Rate of duty
	Fruit juices, including mixed fruit juices, concentrated or not concentrated, whether or not sweetened: Not mixed and not containing over 1.0 per cent of ethyl alcohol by volume: citrus fruit: (Lime) Other:	
165.30	Not concentrated	20 cents per gal.
165.35	Concentrated	35 cents per gal.

The concession of the product in brackets is not being modified.

Concession as Modified 1 January 1985

Tariff item number	Description of product	Rate of duty
165.27	Fruit juices, including mixed fruit juices, concentrated or not concentrated, whether or not sweetened: Not mixed and not containing over 1 per cent of ethyl alcohol by volume: citrus fruit: (lime) Orange: Not concentrated and not made from a juice having a degree of concentration of 1.5 or more (as determined before correlation to the nearest 0.5 degree)	20 cents per gal.
165.29	Other	35 cents per gal.
165.32	Other: Not concentrated	20 cents per gal.
165.36	Concentrated	35 cents per gal.

The concession of the product in brackets is not being modified.

Import statistics are enclosed.¹

The United States of America is prepared to enter into consultations or negotiations in accordance with relevant provisions of Article XXVIII.

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IMPORTS OF SELECTED ITEMS
U.S. imports for consumption

(Customs value, in thousands of dollars)

TSUSA/Country	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	January-March--	
						1984	1985
16527 Fruit juices, not mixed, orange							
Belgium and Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Brazil	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Canada	0	0	0	0	0	0	508
Japan	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Korea, South	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Singapore	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
All countries	0	0	0	0	0	0	545

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

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(Customs value, in thousands of dollars)

TSUSA/Country	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	January-March--	
						1984	1985
16529 Fruit juices, not mixed, orange							
Belize-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,285
Brazil-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	221,538
Canada-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	219
France-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	32
Germany, West-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Honduras-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	657
Jamaica-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	517
Japan-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Korea, South-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Mexico-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,946
Spain-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	477
All countries-----	0	0	0	0	0	0	228,677

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

IMPORTS OF SELECTED ITEMS
U.S. imports for consumption

(Customs value, in thousands of dollars)

TSUSA/Country	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	January-March--	
						1984	1985
16530 Citrus fruit juices, other tha:							
Azores-----	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Belgium and Luxembourg--	0	0	0	3	37	2	0
Brazil-----	0	8,025	7	8	2,394	12	0
Canada-----	137	509	1,078	1,812	6,351	1,370	0
China-----	0	1/	0	0	1	0	0
Cyprus-----	1	1	1	2	7	2	0
Denmark-----	0	0	40	57	1/	0	0
Dominica-----	0	0	1/	0	0	0	0
Dominican Republic-----	0	0	2	1	27	11	0
France-----	0	0	0	27	10	0	0
Gaza Strip-----	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Germany, West-----	2	0	37	1/	121	0	0
Honduras-----	0	0	0	1/	0	0	0
Hong Kong-----	0	0	1/	4	15	0	0
Israel-----	0	11	2	0	0	0	0
Italy-----	657	568	454	318	269	59	0
Jamaica-----	3	0	0	7	8	2	0
Japan-----	4	7	14	37	86	7	0
Korea, South-----	0	1	30	0	35	0	0
Mexico-----	1,091	6,306	4,409	5,692	23,532	7,623	0
Netherlands-----	0	0	2	0	2	0	0
New Zealand-----	0	0	1	0	3	0	0
Norway-----	0	0	0	1/	0	0	0
Panama-----	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
Philippines-----	0	0	0	0	1/	0	0
Portugal-----	0	0	0	0	3	1/	0
Saudi Arabia-----	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Spain-----	0	0	27	1/	1	0	0
Sweden-----	0	1/	0	0	0	0	0
Switzerland-----	0	0	9	0	78	0	0
Taiwan-----	1	0	1	1/	0	0	0
Thailand-----	0	1/	0	0	0	0	0
Trinidad and Tobago-----	0	0	0	1/	0	0	0
United Arab Emirates-----	0	0	0	1/	0	0	0
United Kingdom-----	1	1/	1/	0	1	0	0
Yugoslavia-----	39	7	0	0	0	0	0

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U.S. imports for consumption--Continued

(Customs value, in thousands of dollars)

TSUSA/Country	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	January-March--	
						1984	1985
16530 Citrus fruit juices, other than							
Zaire-----	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
All countries-----	1,936	15,436	6,117	7,969	32,991	9,089	0

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.