PROTOCOL OF ACCESSION OF ALBANIA TO THE MARRAKESH AGREEMENT ESTABLISHING THE WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION DONE AT GENEVA ON 17 JULY 2000

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE

ENTRY INTO FORCE

I have the honour to inform you that on 9 August 2000, the Government of Albania accepted the above-mentioned Protocol, thereby recognizing as fully binding the signature affixed by its plenipotentiary on 17 July 2000.

In terms of its paragraph 8, the Protocol shall enter into force on 8 September 2000.

Pursuant to paragraph 1 of the Protocol, Albania shall become a Member of the World Trade Organization on 8 September 2000.

This notification is furnished in accordance with paragraph 9 of the Protocol.

Mike Moore
Director-General

Reference: WLI/100 11 August 2000