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Corrigendum

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The following amendments should be made to the statement by Mr. JARDINE (United Kingdom):

(i) Delete the first three sentences and replace by the following:

"Mr. JARDINE (United Kingdom) pointed out that for a country of such importance in international trade as the Federal Republic to continue indefinitely in breach of its obligations would do incalculable damage to the General Agreement. His delegation welcomed the steps which the Federal Republic proposed to take and its willingness to regularize the position in regard to those restrictions on which it could not take action at once. They also welcomed the spirit of understanding and co-operation on the part of other contracting parties which had made possible the draft Decision. There was no doubt that the effectiveness of the General Agreement had been in question as long as this problem remained unsolved."

(ii) Delete the penultimate sentence and replace by the following:

"Because of the positive elements in the draft Decision and in the light of the general considerations he had referred to earlier, the United Kingdom delegation would vote in favour of the draft Decision."