

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

1956 TARIFF CONFERENCE

Tariff Negotiations Committee

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ELEVENTH MEETING

Held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva,  
on Wednesday, 23 May 1956, at 3 p.m.

Chairman: Mr. P.A. Forthomme (Belgium)

- Subjects discussed:
1. Closing remarks
  2. Opening for signature of the Sixth Protocol of Supplementary Concessions
  3. Closing of the Conference

### 1. Closing remarks

The Chairman's statement is reproduced in Press Release GATT/292.

Mr. L. Dana Wilgress, Chairman of the CONTRACTING PARTIES, made a statement which is reproduced in Press Release GATT/293.

Statements were then made by the following speakers. They are reproduced in press releases as indicated:

The Hon. H. Prochnow (United States)	Press Release GATT/294
Mr. G. Ferlesch (Italy)	Press Release GATT/295
Baron Bentinck (Kingdom of the Netherlands)	Press Release GATT/296
Mr. H. Klein (Federal Republic of Germany)	Press Release GATT/297
Mr. C. Sanders (United Kingdom)	Press Release GATT/298
Mr. F. Gundelach (Denmark)	Press Release GATT/299
Mr. J. Poincaré (High Authority of the European Coal and Steel Community)	Press Release GATT/300

### 2. Opening for signature of the Sixth Protocol of Supplementary Concessions

The Committee agreed that the Sixth Protocol of Supplementary Concessions be opened for signature.

3. Closing of the Conference

The Chairman, thanking all delegations for the spirit of friendly understanding which they had shown during the Conference, declared the 1956 Tariff Conference closed.

The meeting rose at 5.10 p.m.