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The following communication dated 23 October 1964 has been received from the Minister Counsellor in the Permanent Mission of Argentina, Geneva.

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I have the honour to refer to a problem which arises from the approaching expiry, on 31 December 1964, of the Declaration on the Provisional Accession of Argentina.

As you were informed by our Chancellery in a letter dated 24 February 1964, my country intends to participate in the Kennedy negotiations with a view to full accession to the General Agreement. The present status of the negotiations, however, seems to indicate that they will extend beyond the date of expiry of our provisional accession.

Accordingly, the Argentine authorities would wish the validity of the Declaration of 18 November 1960 to be extended for two years and likewise the Decision of the same date concerning the participation of Argentina in the work of the CONTRACTING PARTIES.

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