

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

L/2391

13 March 1965

Limited Distribution

ADMISSION OF BURUNDI AS A CONTRACTING PARTY

Certification by the Executive Secretary

On 1 July 1962 Burundi acquired full responsibility for matters covered by the General Agreement and became qualified, in the sense of paragraph 5(c) of Article XXVI, to become a contracting party.¹

By letter dated 26 February 1965 the Government of Burundi has advised that it wishes to be deemed a contracting party to the General Agreement under the provisions of Article XXVI:5(c). Since the conditions required by Article XXVI:5(c) have been met, Burundi has become a contracting party; its rights and obligations date from 1 July 1962.

The concessions specified in Section B of Schedule II will henceforth comprise a new Schedule LV relating to Burundi and formal provision for the establishment of this new Schedule will be made through the procedure for certification of rectifications and modifications to the Schedules to the General Agreement.

¹See GATT/AIR/302 of 2 October 1962.