

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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## WITHDRAWAL FROM THE AGREEMENT

### Communication from Portugal

The following communication, dated 12 June 1986 has been received from the Permanent Mission of Portugal.

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In consequence of its accession to the European Communities on 1 January 1986, Portugal as a State member of the Community became a party to the Agreement on the Implementation of Article VII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade and a member of the Committee on Customs Valuation.

As Portugal desires to be linked to the Agreement only in its capacity as a member of the Community, I have the honour to notify you that Portugal wishes to withdraw, in its individual capacity, from the Agreement on Implementation of Article VII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.