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Request to Join Consultations

Communication from Canada

The following communication, dated 29 May 1997, from the Permanent Mission of Canada to the Permanent Mission of the United States, the Permanent Mission of Korea and to the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 4.11 of the DSU.

Pursuant to paragraph 11 of Article 4 of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes, the Government of Canada hereby notifies you that due to its substantial trade interest, it desires to be joined in the consultations under Article XXII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994 requested by the Permanent Mission of the United States in Geneva by letter dated 23 May 1997 (WT/DS84/1, 28 May 1997), concerning Korea's internal taxes on certain alcoholic beverages.