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AGREEMENT ON THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF PERISHABLE FOODSTUFFS
AND ON THE SPECIAL EQUIPMENT TO BE USED FOR SUCH CARRIAGE (ATP)
CONCLUDED AT GENEVA ON 1 SEPTEMBER 1970

OBJECTION BY THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY TO
AMENDMENTS PROPOSED BY DENMARK TO ANNEX 3 TO THE AGREEMENT

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary, and referring to depositary notification C.N.248.1981.TREATIES-5 of 29 September 1981 concerning certain amendments proposed by Denmark to annex 3 of the Agreement on the International Carriage of Perishable Foodstuffs and on the Special Equipment to be used for such Carriage (ATP) concluded at Geneva on 1 September 1970 with regard to the temperature conditions for the international carriage of milk and butter, communicates the following:

In a communication received on 2 March 1982, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany, in accordance with the provisions of article 18 (2) (a) of the Agreement, that is to say, within the period of six months following the communication by the Secretary-General of the proposed amendments, informed the Secretary-General that it entered an objection to the said amendments, with the following explanatory statement:

(Translation) The question of the extent to which temperatures higher than those envisaged in the ATP Agreement can be laid down through bilateral agreements requires careful examination both at the national and, jointly, at the international levels. Such concerted action cannot be achieved within the envisaged period of six months.

Consequently, in accordance with the provisions of article 18, paragraph 4, of the Agreement, the amendments in question are deemed not to have been accepted.

15 March 1982

Attention: Treaty Services of Ministries of Foreign Affairs and of international organizations concerned