Reference: C.N.1241.1999.TREATIES-5 (Depositary Notification)

AGREEMENT ON THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF PERISHABLE
FOODSTUFFS AND ON THE SPECIAL EQUIPMENT TO BE USED FOR SUCH
CARRIAGE (ATP)

GENEVA, 1 SEPTEMBER 1970

NETHERLANDS: NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 18 (2) (B) OF THE AGREEMENT

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary,
communicates the following:

In a communication received by the Secretary-General on 26 October 1999, the Government of
the Netherlands notified the Secretary-General, pursuant to article 18 (2) (b) of the Agreement, that
although it intended to agree to the proposed amendments relating to Article 18 and Appendix 4 of
Article I, “the Kingdom of the Netherlands has not yet met the essential conditions for acceptance of the
proposed amendments”.

Consequently, in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 2 to 5 of article 18 of the
Agreement, the proposed amendments to article 18 and Annex I, Appendix 4 will be accepted only if,
before the expiry of a period of nine months following the expiry of the period of six months indicated
in depositary notification C.N.919.1998.TREATIES-6 of 27 July 1999, (i.e. before 27 October 2000),
the Government of the Netherlands or the Government of Germany (see depositary notification
C.N.55.2000.TREATIES-1 of 7 February 2000) have not notified an objection to the proposed
amendments.

However, if the Government of the Netherlands and the Government of Germany notify the
depository of their acceptance before 27 October 2000, the amendments will be deemed accepted on the
date of receipt by the Secretary-General of the second notification of acceptance.

7 February 2000

1. Refer to depositary notification C.N.919.1998.TREATIES-6 of 27 July 1999 (Proposal
amendments to article 18 and to Annex 1, Appendix 4)

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