

No. 20810

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
and
EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY**

**Agreement concerning chemicals, reached on the Tokyo
Round of Multilateral Trade Negotiations (with
annex). Signed on 21 December 1979**

Authentic text: English.

Registered by the United States of America on 1 March 1982.

**ÉTATS-UNIS D'AMÉRIQUE
et
COMMUNAUTÉ ÉCONOMIQUE EUROPÉENNE**

**Accord relatif aux produits chimiques, convenu lors des
négociations commerciales multilatérales dites de
Tokyo (avec annexe). Signé le 21 décembre 1979**

Texte authentique : anglais.

Enregistré par les États-Unis d'Amérique le 1^{er} mars 1982.

AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND
THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY CONCERNING
CHEMICALS, REACHED ON THE TOKYO ROUND OF MULTI-
LATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS

December 21, 1979

To the Director-General
General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
Geneva

Negotiations relating to Schedule XX — United States

There shall be withdrawn from Schedule XX² existing concessions on the two items listed in the attached annex, which were initially negotiated with the European Economic Communities or in which the European Economic Communities has a principal supplying interest. The improved concessions on the two items, which are shown in the Annex, will be substituted for the concessions withdrawn through a rectification of Schedule XX annexed to the Geneva (1979) Protocol.³ Implementation of these conversions and concessions shall be at the stages and under the conditions specified in the Protocol, as amended by this agreement.

[Signed — Signé]⁴

On behalf of the
European Economic Communities

[Signed — Signé]⁵

On behalf of the
United States of America

ANNEX

<i>Tariff No.</i>	<i>Short description</i>	<i>Current rates of duty</i>	<i>Base rate</i>	<i>Final rate</i>	<i>1st stage reduction</i>
*445.5010	Polypropylene resins	1.3¢ per lb. + 10% <i>ad. val.</i>	15.7%	12.5%	14.5%
626.02	Unwrought zinc; other than alloys of zinc	0.7¢ per lb.	2.0%	1.5%	—

* New item 445.52.

¹ Came into force on 21 December 1979 by signature.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1189, p. 2.

³ *Ibid.*, vol. 1187, p. 2.

⁴ Signed by Anna Snow — Signé par Anna Snow.

⁵ Signed by Robert Hormats — Signé par Robert Hormats.