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I. INTERSESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

1. At its 18th Session (February 2000), the Technical Committee on Rules of Origin (Technical Committee or TCRO) tentatively decided to schedule its next session from 2 to 13 October 2000. However, a final decision would be taken in due course, depending on the progress in Geneva.
2. Given the slow developments on the Harmonization Work Programme in Geneva, it was decided that the next session of TCRO would be held from 5 to 9 February 2001. That session will be devoted to the permanent responsibilities of TCRO (including the implications of the HS 2002 amendments) and the examination of questions coming from the WTO Committee on Rules of Origin.

II. CONCLUSION

3. The Committee is invited to take note of the above developments in the Technical Committee on Rules of Origin.

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