

**DECLARATION OF INTENT ON THE NEGOTIATING PROCESS
ADOPTED BY THE NEGOTIATING COUNCIL ON 7 MAY 1993**

This meeting of the Negotiating Council, held on 7 May 1993 at the World Trade Centre

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