

TRADE RULES

Canadian Objectives in MTN

- . to improve GATT Code on Subsidies and Countervail
- . to develop more effective multilateral rules on the use of "safeguard measures" (eg. emergency import relief measures, voluntary export restraints and orderly marketing arrangements)

Achievements at Mid-Term Review

- . agreement on a negotiating framework for a balanced and comprehensive review of the existing GATT rules
- . agreement on a work program for substantive negotiations to begin in June 1989 to develop a comprehensive agreement on safeguards to bring all such measures under international discipline