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DRAFT TEXT ON BORDER AGENCY COORDINATION

1. A Member shall ensure that its authorities and agencies involved in border and other import and export controls cooperate and coordinate in order to facilitate trade.

2. A Member shall endeavour to cooperate with bordering Members to coordinate customs procedures at specific border crossings by, among other things, aligning working days and hours.

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