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NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES

Report by the Chairman to the Trade Negotiations Committee

I. ORGANIZATION OF WORK

1. On 1 February 2002, the Trade Negotiations Committee created a Negotiating Group on Rules ("the Group") (TN/C/M/1). At its meeting of 13, 15 February and 1 March 2002, the General Council took note of the consensus regarding the appointment of officers to WTO bodies; that consensus included the appointment of Ambassador Tim Groser of New Zealand, as Chairman of the Group (WT/GC/M/73).

2. The mandate of the Group is set out in paragraphs 28 and 29 of the Doha Ministerial Declaration, which provide as follows:

"28. In the light of experience and of the increasing application of these instruments by Members, we agree to negotiations aimed at clarifying and improving disciplines under the Agreements on Implementation of Article VI of the GATT 1994 and on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures, while preserving the basic concepts, principles and effectiveness of these Agreements and their instruments and objectives, and taking into account the needs of developing and least-developed participants. In the initial phase of the negotiations, participants will indicate the provisions, including disciplines on trade distorting practices, that they seek to clarify and improve in the subsequent phase. In the context of these negotiations, participants shall also aim to clarify and improve WTO disciplines on fisheries subsidies, taking into account the importance of this sector to developing countries. We note that fisheries subsidies are also referred to in paragraph 31.

29. We agree to negotiations aimed at clarifying and improving disciplines and procedures under the existing WTO provisions applying to regional trade agreements. The negotiations shall take into account the developmental aspects of regional trade agreements."

3. The Group has met in formal sessions on 11 March, 6-8 May, 8-10 July, 16-18 October, and 25-27 November 2002, and on 3,6 and 7 February, 19-21 March, 5-7 May, 11 June, and 18-19 June 2003. The summary records for these meetings are reflected in document series TN/RL/M... . The next formal meeting of the Group is scheduled for 21-23 July 2003. The Group has also met in informal mode, most frequently in the context of its consideration of issues relating to Regional Trade Agreements ("RTAs").

4. In its meetings to date, the Group's agenda has been structured around the following subject areas: Anti-Dumping ("AD"); Subsidies and Countervailing Measures ("SCM"), including Fisheries Subsidies; and RTAs.

5. The Group to date has based its work primarily on written proposals and other submissions by participants. It was observed during the 11 March 2002 meeting that it would be useful for proposals to be as specific as possible concerning the identity of the proponent(s), the clarification or improvement sought, and the underlying rationale.

6. As of the date of preparation of this Report, a total of 129 submissions had been submitted to the Group. These submissions have been circulated as unrestricted documents and may be found in the TN/RL/W... document series. A complete list of submissions received as of the date of this report is annexed.

II. OUTSTANDING ISSUES

7. Other than the issue of observers – a question with horizontal implications – there are no outstanding procedural issues in the Group at this time. In my view, and given that some of the work of the Group is related to activities of other International Governmental Organisations ("IGOs"), it would be desirable if the issue of observer status for IGOs in the various negotiating bodies could be resolved promptly.

III. FUTURE WORK

A. ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES, INCLUDING FISHERIES SUBSIDIES

8. Paragraph 28 of the Doha Ministerial Declaration states that, in the initial phase of the negotiations, participants will indicate the provisions that they seek to clarify in the subsequent phase. Thus, the work of the Group to date in the areas of AD and SCM including fisheries subsidies has been dedicated primarily to the identification, clarification and preliminary exchange of views on the issues that participants would like to see addressed in the negotiations.

9. In my view, the work of the Group to date has been highly productive in identifying the provisions and issues for negotiation in the areas of AD and SCM. The Group has received numerous submissions from a wide range of participants suggesting the clarification and improvement of many different provisions of the Agreements in question. Many of the outstanding implementation issues referred to in paragraph 12 of the Doha Ministerial Declaration have been further pursued through submissions by developing country participants.

10. Most notable perhaps is the degree of activity with respect to AD. In this area, more than 30 participants have individually or jointly identified issues or submitted proposals for negotiation. Issues have been identified with respect to virtually every area of the *AD Agreement*, involving such diverse questions as dumping margin calculations, non-market economies, injury and causality determinations, standards for initiation of investigations, facts available, sampling, price undertakings, lesser duty, all others rates, reviews, public notice and transparency, treatment of confidential information, judicial review, special and differential treatment, public interest, concurrent application of AD and safeguard measures, technical assistance, a swift control mechanism for initiations, circumvention, duty refunds, duty absorption and trade- and market-distorting practices. This list is of course purely illustrative of the range of issues identified.¹

¹ As already foreshadowed to the Group, and in order to facilitate our work after Cancún, I intend to circulate, at an appropriate time, a compilation of all issues and proposals on AD and SCM including fisheries subsidies identified by participants to date. This compilation will be updated as required to reflect any further issues or proposals identified by participants.

11. While work on SCM started off more slowly, the level of interest and engagement is now substantial, with approximately 24 participants individually or jointly identifying issues for negotiation. In addition to a wide range of issues identified relating to Part V of the *SCM Agreement* (countervailing measures), many but by no means all of which are similar to issues relating to AD, issues have been identified with respect to the definition of subsidy, export and local content subsidies, export credits, remedies for prohibited subsidies, serious prejudice, non-actionable subsidies, subsidy notifications, special and differential treatment, natural resource and energy pricing, taxation, calculation of the amount of a subsidy, equity capital, subsidies and environment, and trade- and market-distorting practices. Again, this list is purely illustrative of the range of issues identified. The Group has also been kept informed of work under way in another forum on the elements of a possible agreement for reducing or eliminating trade-distorting subsidies in steel.

12. With respect to the sub-item of fisheries subsidies, while the level of engagement has been high, the discussion has been difficult. Many participants believe that the development of sector-specific subsidies disciplines in the fisheries sector is necessary, but certain other Members are of the view that sector-specific disciplines in this area are not warranted. While this difference of views among participants remains to be resolved, the Group's work has clarified participants' positions as well as the general nature of the results sought by different participants.

13. The Group also has before it certain proposals regarding special and differential treatment on AD/SCM which were referred to it by the Chairman of the General Council on 20 May 2003. The Group had a preliminary discussion of these proposals at its formal meeting of 18-19 June, and has scheduled a further meeting on 21-23 July to further advance its consideration of these proposals.

14. In my view, the process of issue identification has been efficient and productive. Not only does the Group have a good idea of the range of issues participants would like to address, but substantial progress has been made in clarifying the scope of the issues, both through an extensive process of oral and written questions and answers, and in some cases through the submission by participants of more detailed proposals identifying precise approaches, including proposed text, for addressing issues previously identified. Thus, while I have no doubt that further issues will be identified for negotiation either at our 21-23 July 2003 meeting or after the Cancún Ministerial Conference, it is my sense that the greater part of the issues have been identified.

15. The active and constructive approach of participants in the Group so far provides a basis for optimism that we will be able to make further progress in our work. There are however no grounds for complacency. It is clear to me that, for many participants, negotiations on AD and SCM including fisheries subsidies are a critical element in the overall balance of the Doha Development Agenda ("DDA"). Given that the DDA negotiations are to be completed not later than 1 January 2005, it is evident that the Group will have to accelerate its work after the Cancún Ministerial Conference, and that it will need to shift its emphasis from identifying issues to seeking solutions.

B. REGIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS

16. Paragraph 29 of the Doha Ministerial Declaration states that negotiations aim at clarifying and improving disciplines and procedures under the existing WTO provisions applying to RTAs, taking due account of the developmental aspects of these agreements.

17. The Group has substantively progressed in its work. The issue-identification phase has been practically completed, with issues being broadly structured as primarily "procedural" and "systemic". Procedural questions, and in particular "RTAs transparency", were identified as issues for initial consideration and have been tackled since last October, mostly in an informal mode. Systemic issues have been addressed only in formal meetings until now.

18. After two slow months, discussions in the Group regained momentum at the 11 June meeting, when three formal submissions were tabled. These submissions both built upon the progress achieved in informal discussions on "RTAs transparency" and revived the debate on important systemic issues.

19. Progress achieved on "RTAs transparency" suggests that the Group is heading to a common understanding on the elements to be included in an early package improving *inter alia* the procedures relating to the timing and content of RTAs notification, and a revived, more transparent and efficient RTA review process. It is difficult at this stage to know whether such a procedural package could be ready before the Cancún Ministerial, but it remains a possible achievement.

20. A number of systemic issues are now on the table for priority discussion: RTAs and development; RTAs coverage (in particular the definition of "substantially all trade" in GATT Article XXIV:8); other (restrictive) regulations of commerce (in particular matters related to preferential rules of origin and safeguards); and the primacy of the multilateral trading system and possible RTA negative effects on third parties. The Group has also considered the question of "grandfathering" of existing RTAs and retroactive application of any new rules, but it has been generally held that no useful outcome could be achieved on that issue until the negotiations had progressed significantly.

21. On development, the Group has before it certain RTA-related S & D proposals, referred to it by the Chairman of the General Council on 20 May 2003. The Group held a preliminary discussion of these proposals at its formal meeting of 11 June, and has scheduled a meeting on 21-23 July to further advance its consideration of these proposals.

22. The Group remains committed to achieving significant results in both the disciplines and procedures related to RTAs. It plans to accelerate work on the clarification and improvement of RTA disciplines under the existing WTO provisions in the post-Cancún period.

SUBMISSIONS BY PARTICIPANTS TO THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES¹

| Symbol | Title of Document | Submitted by |
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| TN/RL/W/1 | IMPROVED DISCIPLINES UNDER THE AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES AND THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT | Canada |
| TN/RL/W/2 | NEGOTIATIONS ON REGIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS: KEY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/3 | THE DOHA MANDATE TO ADDRESS FISHERIES SUBSIDIES: ISSUES | Australia, Chile, Ecuador, Iceland, New Zealand, Peru, Philippines and the United States |
| TN/RL/W/4 | PROPOSALS ON IMPLEMENTATION RELATED ISSUES AND CONCERNS AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES/ ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT | India |
| TN/RL/W/5 | EXPORT CREDITS IN THE WTO | Brazil |
| TN/RL/W/6 | ANTI-DUMPING: ILLUSTRATIVE MAJOR ISSUES | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Japan; Korea; Mexico; Norway; Singapore; Switzerland; Thailand; Turkey |
| TN/RL/W/7 | IMPLEMENTATION ISSUES | Brazil |

¹ Until 4 July 2003.

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| TN/RL/W/9 | PROPOSAL FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA ON FISHERIES SUBSIDIES | The People's Republic of China |
| TN/RL/W/10 | SECOND CONTRIBUTION TO DISCUSSION OF THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES ON ANTI-DUMPING MEASURES | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Japan; Korea; Norway; Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; Singapore; Switzerland; and Thailand |
| TN/RL/W/11 | JAPAN'S BASIC POSITION ON THE FISHERIES SUBSIDIES ISSUE | Japan |
| TN/RL/W/12 | FISHERIES SUBSIDIES: LIMITATIONS OF EXISTING SUBSIDY DISCIPLINES | New Zealand |
| TN/RL/W/13 | SUBMISSION FROM THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES CONCERNING THE AGREEMENT ON IMPLEMENTATION OF ARTICLE VI OF GATT 1994 (ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT) | European Communities |
| TN/RL/W/14 | SUBMISSION ON REGIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS BY THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES AND THEIR MEMBER STATES | European Communities |
| TN/RL/W/15 | SUBMISSION ON REGIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS BY AUSTRALIA | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/16 | SUBMISSION ON REGIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS | Chile |
| TN/RL/W/17 | KOREA'S VIEWS ON THE DOHA DEVELOPMENT AGENDA DISCUSSIONS ON FISHERIES SUBSIDIES | Korea |
| TN/RL/W/18 | REPLIES TO THE QUESTIONS/COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON TN/RL/W/10 | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Japan; Korea; Norway; Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; Singapore; Switzerland; and Thailand |

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| TN/RL/W/19 | COUNTERVAILING MEASURES: ILLUSTRATIVE MAJOR ISSUES | Brazil |
| TN/RL/W/20 | QUESTIONS FROM THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES ON DOCUMENTS TN/RL/W/6 AND TN/RL/W/10 | European Communities |
| TN/RL/W/21 | ADVERSE TRADE AND CONSERVATION EFFECTS OF FISHERIES SUBSIDIES | United States |
| TN/RL/W/22 | COMMENTS ON DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/6 ON ANTI-DUMPING MEASURES | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/23 | COMMENTS ON DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/10 ON ANTI-DUMPING MEASURES | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/24 | SUBMISSION BY THE UNITED STATES | United States |
| TN/RL/W/25 | QUESTIONS FROM THE UNITED STATES ON PAPERS SUBMITTED TO THE RULES NEGOTIATING GROUP | United States |
| TN/RL/W/26 | SECOND SUBMISSION OF INDIA (ANTI- DUMPING AGREEMENT) | India |
| TN/RL/W/27 | COMMUNICATION FROM THE UNITED STATES BASIC CONCEPTS AND PRINCIPLES OF THE TRADE REMEDY RULES | United States |
| TN/RL/W/28/Rev.1 | GENERAL CONTRIBUTION TO THE DISCUSSION OF THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES ON ANTI-DUMPING MEASURES | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Japan; Korea; Mexico; Norway; Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; Singapore; Switzerland; Thailand; and Turkey |

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| TN/RL/W/29 | THIRD CONTRIBUTION TO DISCUSSION OF THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES ON ANTI-DUMPING MEASURES | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Japan; Korea; Norway; Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; Singapore; Switzerland; Thailand; and Turkey |
| TN/RL/W/30 | WTO NEGOTIATIONS CONCERNING THE WTO AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES | European Communities |
| TN/RL/W/31 | REPLIES TO ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS TO OUR SECOND CONTRIBUTION (TN/RL/W/10) | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Japan; Korea; Norway; Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; Singapore; Switzerland; Thailand |
| TN/RL/W/32 | SUBMISSION ON REGIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS | Turkey |
| TN/RL/W/33 | SPECIAL AND DIFFERENTIAL TREATMENT AND THE SUBSIDIES AGREEMENT | United States |
| TN/RL/W/34 | SECOND SET OF QUESTIONS FROM THE UNITED STATES ON PAPERS SUBMITTED TO THE RULES NEGOTIATING GROUP | United States |
| TN/RL/W/35 | INVESTIGATORY PROCEDURES UNDER THE ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES AGREEMENTS | United States |
| TN/RL/W/36 | MOROCCO'S VIEWS REGARDING NEGOTIATIONS ON RULES AND THE DISCIPLINES OF THE AGREEMENT ON IMPLEMENTATION OF ARTICLE VI OF GATT 1994 AND THE AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES | Morocco |
| TN/RL/W/37 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON BRAZIL'S PAPER ON COUNTERVAILING MEASURES: ILLUSTRATIVE MAJOR ISSUES (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/19) | Australia |

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| TN/RL/W/38 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON THE US PAPER ON BASIC CONCEPTS AND PRINCIPLES OF THE TRADE REMEDY RULES (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/27) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/39 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES' SUBSIDIES PAPER (TN/RL/W/30) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/40 | INTERVENTION BY INDIA ON THE PROPOSAL BY THE EC CAPTIONED WTO NEGOTIATIONS CONCERNING THE WTO AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES (TN/RL/W/30) | India |
| TN/RL/W/41/Rev.1 | IMPROVED RULES UNDER THE AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES – NON-ACTIONABLE SUBSIDIES PARAGRAPH 10.2 OF THE DOCUMENT ON IMPLEMENTATION-RELATED ISSUES AND CONCERNS | Venezuela and Cuba |
| TN/RL/W/42 | QUESTIONS TO THE UNITED STATES ON TN/RL/W/24 | United States |
| TN/RL/W/43 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON THE UNITED STATES' PAPER ON INVESTIGATORY PROCEDURES UNDER THE ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES AGREEMENTS (TN/RL/W/35) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/44 | TREATMENT OF CONFIDENTIAL AND NON-CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION UNDER ARTICLE 6.5 OF THE WTO ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/45 | REPLIES TO QUESTIONS TO OUR FIRST CONTRIBUTION (TN/RL/W/6) | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Japan; Korea; Norway; Singapore; Switzerland and Thailand |

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| TN/RL/W/46 | FOURTH CONTRIBUTION TO THE DISCUSSION OF THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES ON ANTI-DUMPING MEASURES | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Korea; Japan; Mexico; Norway; Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; Singapore; Switzerland; Thailand and Turkey |
| TN/RL/W/47 | SUBMISSION FROM CANADA RESPECTING THE AGREEMENT ON IMPLEMENTATION OF ARTICLE VI OF THE GATT 1994 (THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT) | Canada |
| TN/RL/W/48/Rev.1 | ANTI-DUMPING ACTIONS IN THE AREA OF TEXTILES AND CLOTHING: DEVELOPING MEMBERS' EXPERIENCES AND CONCERNS | Bangladesh; Brazil; the People's Republic of China; Colombia; Costa Rica; Egypt; Guatemala; Hong Kong, China; India; Indonesia; Korea; Macao, China; Maldives; Pakistan; Paraguay; Peru; Thailand and Vietnam. |
| TN/RL/W/49 | COMMUNICATION FROM THE UNITED STATES ATTACHING A COMMUNIQUÉ FROM THE ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT (OECD) | United States |
| TN/RL/W/50 | CIRCUMVENTION | United States |
| TN/RL/W/51 | QUESTIONS PERTAINING TO THE UNITED STATES' PAPER ON BASIC CONCEPTS AND PRINCIPLES OF THE TRADE REMEDY RULES | United States |
| TN/RL/W/52 | JAPAN'S CONTRIBUTION TO DISCUSSION ON FISHERIES SUBSIDIES ISSUE | Japan |
| TN/RL/W/53 | REPLIES TO QUESTIONS PRESENTED TO THE UNITED STATES ON SUBMISSION TN/RL/W/27 | United States |
| TN/RL/W/54 | THIRD SET OF QUESTIONS FROM THE UNITED STATES ON PAPERS SUBMITTED TO THE RULES NEGOTIATING GROUP | United States |

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| TN/RL/W/55 | POSITION PAPER TO BE PRESENTED BY THE ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT ON THE DOHA DECLARATION CONCERNING THE NEGOTIATIONS ON THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT | Egypt |
| TN/RL/W/56 | EGYPTIAN PAPER CONTAINING COMMENTS ON THE CONTRIBUTIONS SUBMITTED IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE DOHA NEGOTIATIONS ON THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT | Egypt |
| TN/RL/W/57 | EGYPTIAN PAPER CONTAINING QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS ON THE CONTRIBUTIONS SUBMITTED IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE DOHA NEGOTIATIONS ON THE SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES AGREEMENT | Egypt |
| TN/RL/W/58 | SUBSIDIES IN THE FISHERIES SECTOR: POSSIBLE CATEGORIZATIONS | Argentina, Chile, Iceland, New Zealand, Norway, and Peru |
| TN/RL/W/59 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON THE THIRD CONTRIBUTION FROM A NUMBER OF COUNTRIES (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/29) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/60 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON MOROCCO'S PAPER ON ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES AGREEMENTS (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/36) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/61 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON VENEZUELA'S SUBMISSION ON NON-ACTIONABLE SUBSIDIES UNDER THE AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/41) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/62 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON CANADA'S SUBMISSION ON THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/47) | Australia |

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| TN/RL/W/63 | SENIOR OFFICIALS' STATEMENT ON ANTI-DUMPING NEGOTIATIONS | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Japan; Korea; Mexico; Norway; Singapore; Switzerland; the Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; Thailand and Turkey |
| TN/RL/W/64 | REPLIES TO THE QUESTIONS MADE BY THE AUSTRALIAN DELEGATION IN DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/37 | Brazil |
| TN/RL/W/65 | KOREA'S COMMENTS ON CANADA'S SUBMISSION ON THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT (TN/RL/W/47) | Korea |
| TN/RL/W/66 | PROPOSAL OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA ON THE NEGOTIATION ON ANTI-DUMPING | China |
| TN/RL/W/67 | NEGOTIATIONS ON ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES – REFLECTION PAPER OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES ON A SWIFT CONTROL MECHANISM FOR INITIATIONS | European Communities |
| TN/RL/W/68 | INTERVENTION BY INDIA ON THE SUBMISSION BY THE UNITED STATES ON SPECIAL AND DIFFERENTIAL TREATMENT AND THE SUBSIDIES AGREEMENT | India |
| TN/RL/W/69 | KOREA'S VIEWS ON THE SUGGESTED CATEGORIZATION OF FISHERY SUBSIDIES | Korea |
| TN/RL/W/70 | PRELIMINARY REPLIES TO THE QUESTIONS BY AUSTRALIA CONTAINED IN DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/61 | Venezuela and Cuba |
| TN/RL/W/71 | RESPONSES BY THE UNITED STATES TO QUESTIONS FROM AUSTRALIA ON INVESTIGATORY PROCEDURES UNDER THE ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES AGREEMENTS | United States |

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| TN/RL/W/72 | IDENTIFICATION OF CERTAIN MAJOR ISSUES UNDER THE ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES AGREEMENTS | United States |
| TN/RL/W/73 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON THE ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT'S POSITION PAPER CONCERNING THE NEGOTIATIONS ON THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT (TN/RL/W/55) | Egypt |
| TN/RL/W/74 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA'S PAPER ON ANTI-DUMPING (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/66) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/75 | COMMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA ON THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES' PAPER: REFLECTION PAPER ON A SWIFT CONTROL MECHANISM FOR INITIATIONS (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/67) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/76 | PROPOSAL ON SUNSET | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Japan; Korea; Norway; the Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; Singapore; Switzerland; Thailand and Turkey |
| TN/RL/W/77 | POSSIBLE APPROACHES TO IMPROVED DISCIPLINES ON FISHERIES SUBSIDIES | United States |
| TN/RL/W/78 | SUBSIDIES DISCIPLINES REQUIRING CLARIFICATION AND IMPROVEMENT | United States |
| TN/RL/W/79 | PRELIMINARY COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS BY THE ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT ON THE CONTRIBUTIONS SUBMITTED IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE DOHA NEGOTIATIONS ON THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT AND ON THE AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES | Egypt |

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| TN/RL/W/80 | CLARIFICATIONS SOUGHT BY INDIA ON THE SUBMISSIONS BY THE UNITED STATES (TN/RL/W/35) AND CANADA (TN/RL/W/47) | India |
| TN/RL/W/81 | COMMUNICATION FROM ARGENTINA | Argentina |
| TN/RL/W/82 | SUBMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES TO THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES – FISHERIES SUBSIDIES | European Communities |
| TN/RL/W/83 | PROPOSAL ON REVIEWS | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Japan; Korea; Norway; Singapore Switzerland; The Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; and Thailand |
| TN/RL/W/84 | QUESTIONS FROM JAPAN CONCERNING PAPERS ON THE FISHERIES SUBSIDIES ISSUE | Japan |
| TN/RL/W/85 | GENERAL CONTRIBUTION TO DISCUSSION OF THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES ON THE AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/86 | GENERAL CONTRIBUTION TO DISCUSSION OF THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES ON THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/87 | REPLIES TO THE QUESTIONS POSED BY AUSTRALIA CONCERNING THE DOCUMENT PROVIDED BY MOROCCO | Morocco |
| TN/RL/W/88 | COMMENTS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA ON THE UNITED STATES PROPOSAL ON FISHERIES SUBSIDIES (TN/RL/W/77) | China |
| TN/RL/W/89 | COMMENTS BY AUSTRALIA ON THE US' PAPER ON SUBSIDIES DISCIPLINES REQUIRING CLARIFICATION AND IMPROVEMENT (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/78) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/90 | ARTICLE 9.4 OF THE WTO ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT: DUMPING MARGINS FOR EACH SAMPLED EXPORTER BASED ON FACTS AVAILABLE | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/91 | "LIKE PRODUCT" WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE WTO ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT | Australia |

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| TN/RL/W/92 | RESPONSES FROM CANADA TO CERTAIN QUESTIONS POSED BY KOREA IN TN/RL/W/65, AUSTRALIA IN TN/RL/W/62, EGYPT IN TN/RL/W/79 AND INDIA IN TN/RL/W/80 | Canada |
| TN/RL/W/93 | PROPOSAL ON FACTS AVAILABLE | Brazil; Chile; Colombia; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Israel; Japan; Korea; Norway; Singapore Switzerland; The Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; and Thailand |
| TN/RL/W/94 | REPLIES TO THE QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS OF WTO MEMBERS CONCERNING THE PROPOSAL OF CHINA (TN/RL/W/66) | China |
| TN/RL/W/95 | ELEMENTS OF A STEEL SUBSIDIES AGREEMENT | United States |
| TN/RL/W/96 | QUESTIONS FROM KOREA ON THE UNITED STATES PAPER ON SUBSIDIES DISCIPLINES | Korea |
| TN/RL/W/97 | KOREA'S COMMENTS ON THE SUBMISSION FROM THE UNITED STATES (TN/RL/W/77) | Korea |
| TN/RL/W/98 | IDENTIFICATION OF ADDITIONAL ISSUES UNDER THE ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES AGREEMENTS | United States |
| TN/RL/W/99 | INDIA'S REPLIES TO QUESTIONS FROM THE UNITED STATES ON ITS SUBMISSIONS (TN/RL/W/4 AND TN/RL/W/26) | India |
| TN/RL/W/100 | EGYPT'S PRELIMINARY COMMENTS ON THE CONTRIBUTIONS SUBMITTED IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE DOHA NEGOTIATIONS ON THE AGREEMENTS ON ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES (TN/RL/W/72) | Egypt |
| TN/RL/W/101 | EGYPTIAN PAPER CONTAINING REPLIES TO QUESTIONS POSED BY AUSTRALIA IN DOCUMENT NUMBER TN/RL/W/73 | Egypt |
| TN/RL/W/102 | EGYPT'S PRELIMINARY COMMENTS ON THE CONTRIBUTIONS SUBMITTED IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE DOHA NEGOTIATIONS ON THE AGREEMENTS ON ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES (TN/RL/W/78) | Egypt |

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| TN/RL/W/103 | FOURTH SET OF QUESTIONS FROM THE US ON PAPERS SUBMITTED TO THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES | United States |
| TN/RL/W/104 | AGREEMENTS ON ANTI-DUMPING PRACTICES AND SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES ILLUSTRATIVE COMMON ISSUES | Brazil; Chile; Costa Rica; Hong Kong, China; Japan; Korea; Norway; Switzerland; Thailand and Turkey |
| TN/RL/W/105 | SUBMISSION OF THE ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT ON THE CLARIFICATION OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT | Egypt |
| TN/RL/W/106 | QUESTIONS FROM INDIA ON AUSTRALIA'S PAPER ON 'GENERAL CONTRIBUTION TO THE DISCUSSION OF THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES ON THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT' | India |
| TN/RL/W/107 | OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS BY VENEZUELA ON DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/78 SUBMITTED BY THE UNITED STATES CONCERNING PROHIBITED SUBSIDIES AND OTHER SUBJECTS UNDER THE WTO AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES | Venezuela |
| TN/RL/W/108 | PRELIMINARY ANSWERS OF CUBA AND VENEZUELA TO THE QUESTIONS PROVIDED BY EGYPT REGARDING DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/41 | Cuba and Venezuela |
| TN/RL/W/109 | QUESTIONS FROM HONG KONG, CHINA ON PAPERS SUBMITTED TO THE NEGOTIATING GROUP ON RULES | Hong Kong, China |
| TN/RL/W/110 | IDENTIFICATION OF ISSUES UNDER THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT THAT NEED TO BE IMPROVED AND CLARIFIED WITHIN THE CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS ON WTO RULES | Egypt |
| TN/RL/W/111 | KOREA'S VIEW ON THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE SUNSET SYSTEM | Korea |
| TN/RL/W/112 | IMPROVED DISCIPLINES UNDER THE AGREEMENT ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES | Canada |

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| TN/RL/W/114 | DISCUSSION PAPER ON REGIONAL TRADING ARRANGEMENTS | India |
| TN/RL/W/115 | POSSIBLE APPROACH TO STRENGTHEN THE DISCIPLINES RELATING TO FISHERIES SUBSIDIES | Chile |
| TN/RL/W/116 | SUBMISSION ON REGIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS | Korea |
| TN/RL/W/117 | SUBMISSION ON REGIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS | Australia; Chile; Hong Kong, China; Korea and New Zealand |
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| TN/RL/W/121 | REPLIES TO QUESTIONS FROM INDIA (TN/RL/W/106) AND HONG KONG, CHINA (TN/RL/W/109) ON AUSTRALIA'S GENERAL CONTRIBUTION ON ANTI-DUMPING (TN/RL/W/86) AND "LIKE PRODUCT" (TN/RL/W/91) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/122 | COMMENTS BY AUSTRALIA ON THE PROPOSAL BY VARIOUS MEMBERS ON REVIEWS (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/83) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/123 | COMMENTS BY AUSTRALIA ON THE PROPOSAL BY VARIOUS MEMBERS ON SUNSET REVIEWS (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/76) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/124 | COMMENTS BY AUSTRALIA ON THE PROPOSAL BY VARIOUS MEMBERS ON FACTS AVAILABLE (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/93) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/125 | COMMENTS BY AUSTRALIA ON THE UNITED STATES' PAPER ON CERTAIN MAJOR ISSUES UNDER THE ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES AGREEMENTS (DOCUMENT TN/RL/W/72) | Australia |
| TN/RL/W/126 | EGYPT'S PAPER CONTAINING COMMENTS ON THE CONTRIBUTIONS SUBMITTED IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE DOHA NEGOTIATIONS ON THE ANTI-DUMPING AGREEMENT AND ON THE SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES AGREEMENT | Egypt |
| TN/RL/W/127 | REPLY TO THE QUESTIONS OF THE UNITED STATES ² CONCERNING THE PROPOSAL OF CHINA (TN/RL/W/66) | China |
| TN/RL/W/128 | EGYPT'S PAPER REPLYING TO THE QUESTIONS POSED BY THE UNITED STATES IN DOCUMENT NUMBER TN/RL/W/103 | Egypt |

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| TN/RL/W/129 | CONCEPT PAPER ON TRADE REMEDY RULES-EVIDENCE OF TRADE DISTORTING PRACTICES | Hong Kong, China |
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