



## South Africa

Ratified Agreement: Yes

Ratification Date: 2017-11-30

| Implementation Notifications (Categories A, B, C)                               | Due date   | Status  |
|---|--|---|
| Notified all category ABC designations<br><br>A - 90.3%<br>B - 9.7%<br>C - 0.0% | by 22 February 2017<br><br>Not yet notified - 0.0% | Yes   |
| Notified indicative dates in Category B   | by 22 February 2017                                | Yes   |
| Notified definitive dates in Category B   | by 22 February 2018                                | Yes   |
| Transparency notifications  |  |   |
| Notified Art. 1.4   | Category A   | Definitive implementation date 22 February 2017 |
| Notified Art. 10.4.3  | Category B   | Definitive implementation date 22 February 2038 |
| Notified Art. 10.6.2  | Category A   | Definitive implementation date 22 February 2017 |
| Notified Art. 12.2  | Category A   | Definitive implementation date 22 February 2017 |

**Legend:****Yes**

Notification presented

**No**

Notification due

**No**

Notification not yet due

| Implementation schedule |  | Indicative implementation date | Definitive implementation date             |
|-------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|
| 1.1                     | Publication  | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 1.2                     | Information available through internet             | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 1.3                     | Enquiry points                                     | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 1.4                     | Notification                                       | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 2.1                     | Comments and information before entry into force   | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 2.2                     | Consultations                                      | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 3                       | Advance rulings                                    | B                              | by 30 November 2022<br>by 22 February 2028 |
| 4                       | Procedures for appeal or review                    | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 5.1                     | Notifications for enhanced controls or inspections | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 5.2                     | Detention  | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 5.3                     | Test procedures                                    | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 6.1                     | General disciplines on fees and charges            | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 6.2                     | Specific disciplines on fees and charges           | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 6.3                     | Penalty Disciplines                                | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 7.1                     | Pre-arrival processing                             | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 7.2                     | Electronic payment                                 | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 7.3                     | Separation of release                              | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |

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| 7.4                     | Risk management  | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 7.5                     | Post-clearance audit   | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 7.6                     | Average release times  | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 7.7                     | Authorized operators   | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 7.8                     | Expedited shipments  | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 7.9                     | Perishable goods   | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 8                       | Border Agency Cooperation                                      | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 9                       | Movement of goods  | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 10.1                    | Formalities  | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 10.2                    | Acceptance of copies   | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 10.3                    | Use of international standards                                 | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 10.4                    | Single window  | B                              | by 30 November 2022<br>by 22 February 2038 |
| 10.5                    | Preshipment inspection   | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 10.6                    | Use of customs brokers   | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 10.7                    | Common border procedures                                       | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 10.8                    | Rejected Goods   | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |
| 10.9                    | Temporary admission of goods and inward and outward processing | A                              | by 22 February 2017                        |

**Implementation schedule****Indicative implementation date****Definitive implementation date**

|    |                     |   |                     |
|----|---------------------|---|---------------------|
| 11 | Transit             | A | by 22 February 2017 |
| 12 | Customs cooperation | A | by 22 February 2017 |

**Legend**

|   |                    |    |                             |                       |
|---|--------------------|----|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| A | Notified in Cat. A | Ap | Partially notified in A     |                       |
| B | Notified in Cat. B | Bp | Partially notified in B     | C>B Shift from C to B |
| C | Notified in Cat. C | Cp | Partially notified in C     | B»C Shift from B to C |
| N | Not yet notified   | E  | Extension of time requested |                       |

**Notifications and other documents**

| Symbol              | Date       | Description  |
|---------------------|------------|--|
| G/TFA/W/92          | 2023-07-05 | The role of technology transfer in building resilience: Trade Facilitation |
| G/TFA/N/ZAF/2       | 2023-03-10 | Articles 1.4, 10.6.2, 12.2.2   |
| G/TFA/N/ZAF/1/Add.1 | 2018-02-28 | Categories A and B notification - Addendum 1                               |
| G/TFA/N/ZAF/1       | 2017-12-01 | Cat. A and B notification  |

## Technical Assistance detailed information

### Legend

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|--|----------------------------|--|------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
|  C  | Notified in Cat. C         |  Cp | Partially notified in C            |  E | Extension of time requested |
| <br> | Donor arrangement notified |  | Donor arrangement not yet notified |   |                             |

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