NOTIFICATION OF CATEGORY A COMMITMENTS UNDER THE AGREEMENT ON TRADE FACILITATION

COMMUNICATION FROM LAO PDR

The following communication dated 15 September 2015 to the Preparatory Committee on Trade Facilitation is being circulated at the request of Lao PDR for Members' information.

Pursuant to the Ministerial Decision of 7 December 2013, (WT/MIN(13)/36, WT/L/911), the preparatory Committee on Trade Facilitation established under the General Council (herein referred to as "Preparatory Committee") shall, inter alia, receive Members' Notifications of category A commitments under the Agreement of Trade Facilitation (hereinafter referred to as "Agreement").

With reference to the above, the Government of Lao PDR has the honour to notify the Preparatory Committee that Lao PDR hereby designates the following provisions contained in Section 1 of the Agreement under category A, which will be implemented upon entry into force of the Agreement:

Article 1.1 Publication
Article 1.2 Information Available Through Internet
Article 1.3 Enquiry Points
Article 1.4 Notification
Article 4 Procedures for Appeal or Review
Article 5.1 Notifications for Enhanced Controls or Inspections
Article 5.2 Detention
Article 6.2 Specific Disciplines on Fees and Charges for Customs Processing Imposed on or in Connection with Importation and Exportation
Article 7.1 Pre-arrival Processing
Article 9 Movement of Goods Intended for Import under Customs Control
Article 10.5 Preshipment Inspection
Article 10.6 Use of Customs Brokers
Article 10.9 Temporary Admission of Goods and Inward and Outward Processing