NOTIFICATION OF CATEGORY A COMMITMENTS UNDER THE AGREEMENT ON TRADE FACILITATION

COMMUNICATION FROM MACAO, CHINA

The following communication dated 20 November 2014 to the Preparatory Committee on Trade Facilitation is being circulated at the request of Macao, China for Members' information.

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

With reference to the above, the Government of Macao, China has the honour to notify the Preparatory Committee that Macao, China hereby designates all the provisions contained in Articles 1 to 12 of the Agreement under Category A, which will be implemented upon entry into force of the Agreement, except for the following:

Art. 7: Paragraph 4 - Risk Management;
Art. 7: Paragraph 5 - Post-Clearance Audit;
Art. 9: Movement of Goods Intended for Import under Customs Control;
Art. 10: Paragraph 4 - Single Window.