## Abbreviations and Acronyms

NGO Non-governmental organization

NTB Non-Tariff Barrier

OAS Organization of American States

OECD Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development

PEMEX Petroleos Mexicanos
QRs Quantitative restrictions
R&D Research and development

SAGITs Sectoral Advisory Groups on International Trade

SME Square-metre equivalents
SPS Sanitary and phytosanitary
TIP Technology Inflow Program
TPLs Tariff-preference levels

TRIMs Trade-related investment measures
TRIPs Trade-related intellectual property

TRQ Tariff rate quota
UHT Ultra-high temperature

UN United Nations

UNCITRAL United Nations International Commission on Trade Law

UPOV International Convention for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants

USDA United States Department of Agriculture
USITC United States International Trade Commission.
USTR Office of the U.S. Trade Representative

WHO World Health Organization

WIPO World Intellectual Property Organization

Competition is your best friend. If there's no competition, then you become fat and lazy.

Len Vanderlugt, President, Aldershot Greenhouses Ltd.

If you run your business well and do your pricing properly, free trade won't hurt you.

Greg Parker, Food Roll Sales (Niagara) Ltd.

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