National Treatment and Other Border Measures

NATIONAL TREATMENT

Article 4.1: National Treatment

- 1. Each Party shall accord national treatment to the goods of the other Party in accordance with Article III of the GATT 1994, including its interpretative notes, and to this end Article III of GATT 1994 and its interpretative notes, or any equivalent provision of a successor agreement to which both Parties are party, are incorporated into and made part of this Agreement.
- 2. Paragraph 1 does not apply to the measures set out in Annex 4.1.

TECHNICAL BARRIERS TO TRADE

Article 4.2: Technical Barriers to Trade

- 1. The rights and obligations of the Parties relating to standards-related measures shall be governed by the Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade, part of Annex 1A of the WTO Agreement.
- The Parties shall endeavour to enter into an agreement on mutual recognition respecting conformity assessment.

Article 4.3: Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

1. The rights and obligations of the Parties relating to sanitary and phytosanitary measures shall be governed by the Agreement on the Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures, part of Annex 1A of the WTO Agreement.

BORDER MEASURES

Article 4.4: Import and Export Restrictions

- 1. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, neither Party may adopt or maintain any prohibition or restriction on the importation of any good of the other Party or on the exportation or sale for export of any good destined for the territory of the other Party, except in accordance with Article XI of GATT 1994, including its interpretative notes. To this end Article XI of GATT 1994 and its interpretative notes, or any equivalent provisions of a successor agreements to which both Parties are party, are incorporated into and made a part of this Agreement.
- 2. The Parties reaffirm that the GATT 1994 rights and obligations incorporated by paragraph 1 prohibit, in any circumstances in which any other form of restriction is prohibited, export price requirements and, except as permitted in enforcement of countervailing and antidumping orders and undertakings, import price requirements.