

**UNITED STATES – LAWS, REGULATIONS AND METHODOLOGY FOR
CALCULATING DUMPING MARGINS ("ZEROING")**

Communication from the Appellate Body

The following communication, dated 18 April 2006, from the Chairman of the Appellate Body addressed to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 17.5 of the *Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes*.

It is my honour to provide to you the Report of the Appellate Body in *United States – Laws, Regulations and Methodology for Calculating Dumping Margins ("Zeroing")*, WT/DS294/AB/R. It will be circulated to Members of the World Trade Organization at 4:00 p.m. today, in accordance with paragraph 5 of Article 17 of the *Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes*. It is a confidential document until its circulation. The three Members of the Appellate Body who served on this appeal were: Mr. Giorgio Sacerdoti, as Presiding Member, Ms. Merit E. Janow and Mr. Yasuhei Taniguchi, as Members.
