

UNITED STATES – MEASURES RELATING TO SHRIMP FROM THAILAND

**UNITED STATES – CUSTOMS BOND DIRECTIVE FOR MERCHANDISE SUBJECT TO
ANTI-DUMPING/COUNTERVAILING DUTIES**

Communication from the Appellate Body

The following communication, dated 16 July 2008, 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 – Measures Relating to Shrimp from Thailand*, WT/DS343/AB/R and *United States – Customs Bond Directive for Merchandise Subject to Anti-Dumping/Countervailing Duties*, WT/DS345/AB/R. It will be circulated to Members of the World Trade Organization at 4 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, Mr. A.V. Ganesan and myself, as Members.
