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REPORT (2000) OF THE COMMITTEE ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES

I. ORGANIZATION OF THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE

1. This Report focuses on the period since the Committee's last annual report (G/L/341), that is, 3 November 1999 – 7 November 2000 (hereinafter "the review period"). During the review period, the Committee held two regular meetings and one special meeting. Regular meetings of the Committee were held on 9-10 May 2000 (G/SCM/M/25) and 7 November 2000 (G/SCM/M/26). The special meeting was held on 20 December 1999 (G/SCM/M/22). Pursuant to the Committee's decisions at its regular meeting in October 1998, the OECD and the ACP Group were invited on an *ad hoc* basis to attend these meetings.

2. As of the beginning of the review period, Mr. Jan Söderberg (Sweden) was Chairperson, and Mr. Piotr Derwich (Poland) was Vice Chairperson, of the Committee. At its regular meeting in May 2000, the Committee elected Ms. Usha Dwarka-Canabady (Mauritius) as Chairperson, and Mr. Hiromi Yano (Japan) as Vice Chairperson, of the Committee. Pursuant to the Committee's Rules of Procedure, they took office at the end of that meeting.

II. OBSERVERSHIP – INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS INTERGOVERNMENTAL

3. During the period of review, the Committee considered the requests for observership in the Committee of Comesa and the Gulf Organization for Industrial Consulting. The Committee decided to ask the Chairperson to conduct consultations in respect of these requests and to report back at an appropriate time.

III. PERMANENT GROUP OF EXPERTS

4. The Committee is required by Article 24.3 of the Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures ("SCM Agreement") to establish a Permanent Group of Experts ("PGE"). The tasks assigned to the PGE by the Agreement are to provide assistance to a Panel, on request, with regard to whether a measure is a prohibited subsidy; to provide Members with confidential advisory opinions on the nature of any subsidy proposed to be introduced or currently maintained by that Member; and to provide the Committee with advisory opinions on the existence and nature of any subsidy. As of the beginning of the period under review, the members of the Permanent Group of Experts were: Mr. A.V. Ganesan; Mr. Gary Horlick; Professor R.G. Flores Junior; Dr. Marco Bronckers; and Mr. Robert Martin.

5. At its regular meeting in May 2000, the Committee elected Mr. Hyung-Jin Kim to replace Mr. Martin, whose term of office had expired in Spring 2000. As indicated in document G/SCM/28, Mr. A. V. Ganesan resigned his membership in the PGE effective 18 May 2000, in view of his appointment to the Appellate Body as of 1 June 2000. At the Committee's 7 November 2000 regular meeting, the Chairperson reported that, based on the results of the consultations that she and the Vice Chairperson had held in respect of the replacement of Mr. Ganesan, whose term of office expires in

Spring 2002, she was not in a position to make a recommendation for Mr. Ganesan's replacement. Accordingly, the Committee decided that the Chairperson and Vice Chairperson should continue their consultations and convene a special meeting of the Committee to decide this matter at an appropriate time.

IV. NOTIFICATION OF SUBSIDIES

6. 1998 new and full notifications. Pursuant to Article 25.1 of the Agreement and Article XVI:1 of GATT 1994, all Members of the Committee were required to submit a new and full notification of subsidies to the Committee by 30 June 1998. As of 7 November 2000, only 28 WTO Members¹ had notified subsidies pursuant to Article 25 of the Agreement and Article XVI of GATT 1994. In addition, 18 Members had notified that they maintain no subsidies notifiable pursuant to these provisions. These notifications may be found in document series G/SCM/N/38/... . Seventy-four Members had submitted no notification as of the close of the period covered by this Report. A table indicating the status of 1998 subsidy notifications is reproduced in Annex A to this Report.

7. Pursuant to the procedures agreed at its November 1999 special meeting, the Committee at its regular meeting in May 2000 reviewed the 1998 new and full notifications of notifications of Hong Kong, China and Macau, China. At its November 2000 meeting, the Committee reviewed the 1998 new and full notifications of Bolivia, Cyprus, Norway (Suppl.1) and United Arab Emirates.

8. 1997, 1999, and 2000 updating notifications. Article 25.1 of the Agreement requires that updating notifications be submitted by 30 June 1997, 30 June 1999, and 30 June 2000. As of 7 November 2000, 41 updating notifications for 1997, 33 updating notifications for 1999, and 21 updating notifications for 2000 had been received². These notifications may be found in document series G/SCM/N/25/..., G/SCM/N/48/..., and G/SCM/N/60/.... See Annexes B and C to this Report for the status of the 1999 and 2000 updating notifications. At its regular meetings in May and November 2000, the Committee continued its review of 1997 and 1999 updating notifications and began its review of 2000 updating notifications.

9. Status report on subsidy notifications. The Secretariat circulated an updated status report on subsidy notifications in document G/SCM/26, which was discussed at the Committee's May 2000 regular meeting. A further updated version of this document (G/SCM/29) was considered at the meeting of the Working Party on Subsidy Notifications (see below).

10. Committee decisions concerning subsidy notifications. At its May 2000 regular meeting, the Committee decided, in view of the poor and declining compliance with the subsidy notification obligations, (1) that each Member with any subsidy notifications outstanding undertook to bring itself fully up to date with its notification obligations, including for the 2000 update, before the end of the summer break, and it was suggested that Members with more than one notification outstanding could make a single "best efforts" notification covering all of the time periods for which a notification was due, putting most emphasis on the most recent periods; and (2) that the Working Party on Subsidy Notifications be reconvened to seek a longer-term solution to the problem of compliance with the subsidy notification obligations, with a meeting of the Working Party to be held back-to-back with the Committee's regular meeting in November 2000 (G/SCM/27).

V. WORKING PARTY ON SUBSIDY NOTIFICATIONS

11. Pursuant to the Committee's decision, the Working Party on Subsidy Notifications met on 6 November 2000. At that meeting, two topics were discussed: (1) ways to reduce the burden of

¹The EC is counted as one Member.

²The EC is counted as one Member.

subsidy notification while maintaining transparency; and (2) procedures for the review of the 2001 new and full notifications which will be due on 30 June 2001. It was decided that the Secretariat should circulate a questionnaire to Members concerning the specific problems that they face in making notifications. The Chairperson also would send reminders to the Members that have never notified, and would as well take the opportunity of the presence of capital-based delegations in Geneva at the time of such countries' Trade Policy Reviews in 2001 to informally raise this issue with them. The two topics will be pursued further in informal consultations and/or additional meetings of the Working Party, as appropriate, and the Working Party will again meet back-to-back with the Committee's May 2001 regular meeting.

VI. REVIEW OF THE OPERATION OF ARTICLES 6.1, 8 AND 9

12. Article 31 of the Agreement provides that the provisions of paragraph 1 of Article 6 and the provisions of Article 8 and Article 9 shall apply for a period of five years, beginning with the date of entry into force of the WTO Agreement. Article 31 further provides that, not later than 180 days before the end of this period, the Committee shall review the operation of those provisions, with a view to determining whether to extend their application, either as presently drafted or in a modified form, for a further period. The Committee held a special meeting on 20 December 1999 to conclude the review under Article 31 which had commenced earlier in 1999. At that meeting, no consensus was reached by the Committee to extend those provisions, either as drafted or in modified form.

VII. REVIEW OF THE OPERATION OF ARTICLE 27.6

13. Article 27.6 of the Agreement contains a provision for determining whether a developing country Member has reached export competitiveness in a product. Article 27.6 also requires the Committee to review the operation of this provision five years from the date of entry into force of the WTO Agreement. At its May 2000 regular meeting, the Committee concluded its review of this provision which had commenced at its November 1999 regular meeting, without prejudice to the possibility of reconsideration of this issue in the future should any Member so request.

VIII. NOTIFICATION AND EXAMINATION OF COUNTERVAILING DUTY LAWS AND/OR REGULATIONS

14. As of 7 November 2000, pursuant to Article 32.6 and in accordance with a decision by the Committee, 84 Members³ had notified the Committee of their domestic countervailing duty legislation or made communications in this respect to the Committee (G/SCM/N/1 and addenda). Thirty-nine Members had not, as yet, made notifications under Article 32.6 of the Agreement. A table indicating the status of these notifications is reproduced in Annex D to this Report.

15. During the review period, the Committee reviewed the notifications regarding countervailing duty legislation of the following Members: Argentina; Australia; Chile; Estonia; India; Kyrgyz Republic; Malaysia; Thailand; and Turkey. Written questions and answers regarding these reviews may be found in documents of the G/SCM/Q1/... series.

16. During the review period, the Committee also had before it for further review the previously-reviewed legislative notifications of the European Communities and the United States, pursuant to procedures adopted by the Committee at its joint special meeting with the Committee on Anti-Dumping Practices in April 1996.

³The EC is counted as one Member.

IX. SEMI-ANNUAL REPORTS ON COUNTERVAILING ACTIONS

17. Notifications for 1 July-31 December 1999. As of 7 November 2000, seven Members had notified countervailing actions taken during the period 1 July-31 December 1999. Fifty-seven Members had notified the Committee that they had not taken any countervailing duty action during this period. The remaining Members had not submitted a notification. These semi-annual reports were circulated in document series G/SCM/N/56. The status of semi-annual reports is set out in Annex E to this Report.

18. Notifications for 1 January-30 June 2000. As of 7 November 2000, seven Members had notified countervailing actions taken during the period 1 January-30 June 2000. Forty-nine Members had notified the Committee that they had not taken any countervailing action during this period. The remaining Members had not submitted a notification. These semi-annual reports were circulated in document series G/SCM/N/62. The status of semi-annual reports is set out in Annex E to this Report.

19. A table summarising notifications of new countervailing duty actions taken by Members during the period 1 July 1999 - 30 June 2000 and measures in force as of 30 June 2000 is reproduced in Annex F to this Report.

X. REPORTS ON ALL PRELIMINARY OR FINAL COUNTERVAILING DUTY ACTIONS

20. Pursuant to Article 25.11 of the Agreement, Members are to report to the Committee without delay all preliminary and final countervailing actions taken. Guidelines for the information to be contained in these reports are set forth in G/SCM/3. As of 7 November 2000, reports of preliminary and final countervailing actions had been received during the review period from Australia; Canada; Chile; the European Communities; Mexico; South Africa, and the United States (G/SCM/N/55, 57, 58, 59, 61, 63, 64, 65, and 66). The Committee reviewed the notifications of preliminary and final actions at its regular meetings in May and November 2000.

XI. OTHER MATTERS DISCUSSED BY THE COMMITTEE

21. Other issues. During the period of review, the Committee also considered the following issue:

- Questions posed by Iceland regarding the 1999 updating notification of the European Communities.

22. Other business. During the period of review, the following items were raised under "Other Business":

- Brazil – Expiry of the countervailing measure on imports of desiccated coconut from the Philippines – Request by the Philippines;
- United States – Byrd Amendment – Request by Japan.

ANNEX A

1998 NEW AND FULL SUBSIDY NOTIFICATIONS (G/SCM/N/38/...)

Member		Member		Member		Member	
Angola	None	Denmark	X	Kenya	None	Romania	None
Antigua & Barbuda	None	Finland	X	Korea	X	Rwanda	None
Argentina	X	France	X	Kyrgyz Republic ²	None	St. Kitts & Nevis	N
Australia	X	Germany	X	Kuwait	None	St. Lucia	None
Bahrain	X	Greece	X	Latvia	X	St. Vincent & Grenadines	None
Bangladesh	None	Ireland	X	Lesotho	None	Senegal	None
Barbados	None	Italy	X	Liechtenstein	N	Sierra Leone	None
Belize	None	Luxembourg	X	Macau, China	N	Singapore	X
Benin	N	Netherlands	X	Madagascar	None	Slovak Republic	N
Bolivia	N	Portugal	X	Malawi	None	Slovenia	X
Botswana	None	Spain	X	Malaysia	None	Solomon Islands	None
Brazil	None	Sweden	X	Maldives	None	South Africa	None
Brunei Darussalam	None	United Kingdom	X	Mali	None	Sri Lanka	None
Bulgaria	None	Ecuador	N	Malta	None	Suriname	None
Burkina Faso	None	Egypt	X	Mauritania	None	Swaziland	None
Burundi	None	El Salvador	None	Mauritius	None	Switzerland	X
Cameroon	None	Fiji	None	Mexico	X	Tanzania	None
Canada	X	Gabon	None	Mongolia	None	Thailand	X
Central African Rep.	None	Gambia	X	Morocco	None	Togo	None
Chad	None	Ghana	N	Mozambique	None	Trinidad & Tobago	None
Chile	X	Grenada	None	Myanmar	None	Tunisia	None
Colombia	None	Guatemala	N	Namibia	X	Turkey	X
Congo	None	Guinea Bissau	None	New Zealand	N	Uganda	None
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	None	Guinea, Rep. of	None	Nicaragua	None	United Arab Emirates	N
Costa Rica	X	Guyana	None	Niger	None	United States	X
Côte d'Ivoire	None	Haiti	None	Nigeria	None	Uruguay	X
Cuba	None	Honduras	None	Norway	X	Venezuela	None
Cyprus	X	Hong Kong, China	N	Pakistan	None	Zambia	N
Czech Republic	None	Hungary	None	Panama	X	Zimbabwe	N
Djibouti	None	Iceland	X	Papua New Guinea	None		
Dominica	N	India	X	Paraguay	N		
Dominican Rep.	None	Indonesia	None	Peru	None		
EC	X	Israel	X	Philippines	None		
Austria	X	Jamaica	None	Poland	X		
Belgium	X	Japan	X	Qatar	N		
		Jordan ¹	N				

"N" means that the Member has indicated that it maintains no notifiable subsidies.

"X" means that the Member notified subsidies.

"None" means that no notification was submitted.

¹Became a Member on 11 April 2000.

²Became a Member on 20 December 1998.

ANNEX B

1999 UPDATING SUBSIDY NOTIFICATIONS (G/SCM/N/48/...)

Member		Member		Member		Member	
Angola	None	Finland	X	Jordan ²	N	Qatar	None
Antigua & Barbuda	None	France	X	Kenya	None	Romania	None
Argentina	X	Germany	X	Korea	X	Rwanda	None
Australia	X	Greece	X	Kyrgyz Republic	None	St. Kitts & Nevis	None
Bahrain	X	Ireland	X	Kuwait	None	St. Lucia	None
Bangladesh	None	Italy	X	Latvia ³	X	St. Vincent & Grenadines	None
Barbados	None	Luxembourg		Lesotho	None	Senegal	None
Belize	None	Netherlands	X	Liechtenstein	N	Sierra Leone	None
Benin	N	Portugal	X	Macau, China	N	Singapore	N
Bolivia	N	Spain	X	Madagascar	None	Slovak Republic	None
Botswana	None	Sweden	X	Malawi	None	Slovenia	X
Brazil	None	United Kingdom	X	Malaysia	None	Solomon Islands	None
Brunei Darussalam	None	Ecuador	X	Maldives	None	South Africa	None
Bulgaria	None	Egypt	None	Mali	None	Sri Lanka	None
Burkina Faso	None	El Salvador	None	Malta	None	Suriname	None
Burundi	None	Estonia ¹	None	Mauritania	None	Swaziland	None
Cameroon	None	Fiji	None	Mauritius	None	Switzerland	X
Canada	X	Gabon	None	Mexico	X	Tanzania	None
Central African Rep.	None	Gambia	None	Mongolia	None	Thailand	None
Chad	None	Ghana	X	Morocco	None	Togo	None
Chile	X	Grenada	N	Mozambique	None	Trinidad & Tobago	None
Colombia	None	Guatemala	None	Myanmar	None	Tunisia	None
Congo	None	Guinea Bissau	N	Namibia	X	Turkey	X
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	None	Guinea, Rep. of	None	New Zealand	N	Uganda	None
Costa Rica	X	Guyana	None	Nicaragua	None	United Arab Emirates	N
Côte d'Ivoire	None	Haiti	None	Niger	None	United States	None
Cuba	None	Honduras	None	Nigeria	None	Uruguay	X
Cyprus	None	Hong Kong, China	None	Norway	X	Venezuela	None
Czech Republic	None	Hungary	N	Pakistan	None	Zambia	N
Djibouti	None	Iceland	None	Panama	None	Zimbabwe	None
Dominica	None	India	X	Papua New Guinea	None		
Dominican Rep.	None	Indonesia	None	Paraguay	None		
EC	X	Israel	None	Peru	None		
Austria	X	Jamaica	X	Philippines	None		
Belgium	X	Japan	X	Poland	X		
Denmark							

"N" means that the Member has indicated that it maintains no notifiable subsidies.

"X" means that the Member notified subsidies.

"None" means that no notification was submitted.

¹Became a Member on 13 November 1999.

²Became a Member on 11 April 2000.

³Became a Member on 10 February 1999.

ANNEX C
2000 UPDATING SUBSIDY NOTIFICATIONS
(G/SCM/N/60/...)

Member		Member		Member		Member	
Albania ¹	None	Denmark	X	Japan	X	Poland	None
Angola	None	Finland	X	Jordan ³	X	Qatar	None
Antigua & Barbuda	None	France	X	Kenya	None	Romania	None
Argentina	None	Germany	X	Korea	X	Rwanda	None
Australia	None	Greece	None	Kyrgyz Republic	None	St. Kitts & Nevis	None
Bahrain	X	Ireland	X	Kuwait	None	St. Lucia	None
Bangladesh	None	Italy	None	Latvia	None	St. Vincent & Grenadines	None
Barbados	None	Luxembourg	X	Lesotho	None	Senegal	None
Belize	None	Netherlands	X	Liechtenstein	N	Sierra Leone	None
Benin	None	Portugal	X	Macau, China	N	Singapore	N
Bolivia	None	Spain	X	Madagascar	None	Slovak Republic	None
Botswana	None	Sweden	X	Malawi	None	Slovenia	X
Brazil	None	United Kingdom	None	Malaysia	None	Solomon Islands	None
Brunei Darussalam	None	Ecuador	None	Maldives	None	South Africa	None
Bulgaria	None	Egypt	None	Mali	None	Sri Lanka	None
Burkina Faso	None	El Salvador	None	Malta	None	Suriname	None
Burundi	None	Estonia	None	Mauritania	None	Swaziland	None
Cameroon	None	Fiji	None	Mauritius	None	Switzerland	X
Canada	None	Gabon	None	Mexico	X	Tanzania	None
Central African Rep.	None	Gambia	None	Mongolia	None	Thailand	None
Chad	None	Georgia ²	None	Morocco	None	Togo	None
Chile	X	Ghana	N	Mozambique	None	Trinidad & Tobago	None
Colombia	None	Grenada	None	Myanmar	None	Tunisia	None
Congo	None	Guatemala	None	Namibia	None	Turkey	None
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	None	Guinea Bissau	None	New Zealand	N	Uganda	None
Costa Rica	X	Guinea, Rep. of	None	Nicaragua	None	United Arab Emirates	N
Côte d'Ivoire	None	Guyana	None	Niger	None	United States	None
Cuba	None	Haiti	None	Nigeria	None	Uruguay	X
Cyprus	None	Honduras	None	Norway	X	Venezuela	None
Czech Republic	None	Hong Kong, China	N	Oman ⁴	None	Zambia	N
Djibouti	None	Hungary	None	Pakistan	None	Zimbabwe	None
Dominica	None	Iceland	None	Panama	None		
Dominican Rep.	None	India	None	Papua New Guinea	None		
EC	X	Indonesia	None	Paraguay	None		
Austria	X	Israel	X	Peru	None		
Belgium	X	Jamaica	None	Philippines	None		

"N" means that the Member has indicated that it maintains no notifiable subsidies.

"X" means that the Member notified subsidies.

"None" means that no notification was submitted.

¹Became a Member on 8 September 2000.

²Became a Member on 14 June 2000.

³Became a Member on 11 April 2000.

⁴Due to become a Member on 9 November 2000.

ANNEX D

COUNTERVAILING DUTY LEGISLATION NOTIFICATIONS

MEMBER/OBSERVER	NOTIFICATION PROVIDED
Albania	None
Angola	None
Antigua and Barbuda	None
Argentina	G/SCM/N/1/ARG/1 + Suppl.1, 2, 3 & Suppl.3/Corr.1 + Suppl.4
Australia	G/SCM/N/1/AUS/2 + Suppl.1
Bahrain	None
Bangladesh	None
Barbados	G/SCM/N/1/BRB/1
Belize	None
Benin	G/SCM/N/1/BEN/1
Bolivia	G/SCM/N/1/BOL/1 + Suppl.1
Botswana	None
Brazil	G/SCM/N/1/BRA/2
Brunei Darussalam	G/SCM/N/1/BRN/1
Bulgaria	G/SCM/N/1/BGR/1
Burkina Faso	None
Burundi	None
Cameroon	None
Canada	G/SCM/N/1/CAN/3 + Add.1
Central African Republic	None
Chad	G/SCM/N/1/TCD/1
Chile	G/SCM/N/1/CHL/2
Colombia	G/SCM/N/1/COL/1
Congo	None
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	None
Costa Rica	G/SCM/N/1/CRI/1 + Suppl.1
Côte d'Ivoire	None
Cuba	G/SCM/N/1/CUB/1 + Suppl.1

MEMBER/OBSERVER	NOTIFICATION PROVIDED
Cyprus	G/SCM/N/1/CYP/2
Czech Republic	G/SCM/N/1/CZE/1
Djibouti	None
Dominica	G/SCM/N/1/DMA/1
Dominican Republic	G/SCM/N/1/DOM/1
Ecuador	G/SCM/N/1/ECU/2
European Communities	G/SCM/N/1/EEC/2 + Suppl. 1 + Suppl. 1/Corr.1 & Suppl. 2
Egypt	G/SCM/N/1/EGY/2/Rev.1
El Salvador	G/SCM/N/1/SLV/1
Estonia	G/SCM/N/1/EST/1
Fiji	G/SCM/N/1/FJI/2
Gabon	None
Gambia	None
Georgia	None
Ghana	G/SCM/N/1/GHA/1
Grenada	None
Guatemala	G/SCM/N/1/GTM/2
Guinea Bissau	None
Guinea, Rep.of	G/SCM/N/1/GIN/1
Guyana	None
Haiti	G/SCM/N/1/HTI/1
Honduras	G/SCM/N/1/HND/2
Hong Kong, China	G/SCM/N/1/HKG/1
Hungary	G/SCM/N/1/HUN/1
Iceland	G/SCM/N/1/ISL/1
India	G/SCM/N/1/IND/2 + Corr.1 + Suppl.1 & 2
Indonesia	G/SCM/N/1/IDN/2 + Suppl.1
Israel	G/SCM/N/1/ISR/2
Jamaica	G/SCM/N/1/JAM/2
Japan	G/SCM/N/1/JPN/2 + Corr.1 & 2 + Suppl.1 & 2
Jordan	G/SCM/N/1/JOR/1

MEMBER/OBSERVER	NOTIFICATION PROVIDED
Kenya	G/SCM/N/1/KEN/1
Korea	G/SCM/N/1/KOR/3
Kuwait	None
Kyrgyz Rep.	G/SCM/N/1/KGZ/1
Latvia	G/SCM/N/1/LVA/1 + Corr. 1
Lesotho	None
Liechtenstein	G/SCM/N/1/LIE/1
Macau, China	G/SCM/N/1/MAC/1
Madagascar	None
Malawi	G/SCM/N/1/MWI/1
Malaysia	G/SCM/N/1/MYS/1 + Add.1
Maldives	G/SCM/N/1/MDV/2
Mali	None
Malta	G/SCM/N/1/MLT/1
Mauritania	None
Mauritius	G/SCM/N/1/MUS/2
Mexico	G/SCM/N/1/MEX/1 + Corr.1
Mongolia	G/SCM/N/1/MNG/1 + Corr.1
Morocco	G/SCM/N/1/MAR/2 + Rev.1 (French only)
Mozambique	None
Myanmar	None
Namibia	G/SCM/N/1/NAM/1
New Zealand	G/SCM/N/1/NZL/2
Nicaragua	G/SCM/N/1/NIC/1
Niger	None
Nigeria	None
Norway	G/SCM/N/1/NOR/3
Pakistan	G/SCM/N/1/PAK/1
Panama	G/SCM/N/1/PAN/1
Papua New Guinea	None
Paraguay	G/SCM/N/1/PRY/2 + Corr.1

MEMBER/OBSERVER	NOTIFICATION PROVIDED
Peru	G/SCM/N/1/PER/1 + Suppl. 1 + Suppl.1/Corr.1, + Suppl. 2 + Suppl.2/Corr.1
Philippines	G/SCM/N/1/PHL/1
Poland	G/SCM/N/1/POL/2
Qatar	G/SCM/N/1/QAT/1
Romania	G/SCM/N/1/ROM/1
Rwanda	None
Saint Kitts & Nevis	None
Saint Lucia	G/SCM/N/1/LCA/1
Saint Vincent & Grenadines	None
Senegal	G/SCM/N/1/SEN/1
Sierra Leone	None
Singapore	G/SCM/N/1/SGP/2 + Suppl. 1
Slovak Republic	G/SCM/N/1/SVK/1
Slovenia	G/SCM/N/1/SVN/1
Solomon Islands	None
South Africa	G/SCM/N/1/ZAF/1
Sri Lanka	G/SCM/N/1/LKA/1
Suriname	G/SCM/N/1/SUR/1
Swaziland	None
Switzerland	G/SCM/N/1/CHE/1
Tanzania	None
Thailand	G/SCM/N/1/THA/4 + Corr.1
Togo	None
Trinidad and Tobago	G/SCM/N/1/TTO/1 + Suppl. 1
Tunisia	G/SCM/N/1/TUN/1
Turkey	G/SCM/N/1/TUR/3
Uganda	G/SCM/N/1/UGA/2
United Arab Emirates	G/SCM/N/1/ARE/1
United States	G/SCM/N/1/USA/1 + Corr.1 + Suppl.1,2,3,4+5
Uruguay	G/SCM/N/1/URY/1
Venezuela	G/SCM/N/1/VEN/1 + Suppl.1 & 2

Zambia	G/SCM/N/1/ZMB/1
Zimbabwe	G/SCM/N/1/ZWE/2

"None" means that no notification was submitted.

ANNEX E

SEMI-ANNUAL REPORTS

Key: X = Semi-annual report of actions taken submitted
 N = Report of no actions taken submitted
 not applicable = Obligation did not apply to Member for that period
 None = No report submitted

MEMBER	1 July-31 December 1999	1 January-30 June 2000
Albania	n.a.	n.a.
Angola	None	None
Antigua and Barbuda	None	None
Argentina	N ¹	N ¹
Australia	X	X
Bahrain	N	N
Bangladesh	None	None
Barbados	None	None
Belize	None	None
Benin	None	None
Bolivia	N	N
Botswana	None	None
Brazil	N ¹	N ¹
Brunei Darussalam	N	None
Bulgaria	N	N
Burkina Faso	None	None
Burundi	None	None
Cameroon	None	None
Canada	X	X
Central African Republic	None	None
Chad	None	None
Chile	X	X
Colombia	N	N
Congo	None	None

MEMBER	1 July-31 December 1999	1 January-30 June 2000
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	None	None
Costa Rica	N	N
Côte d'Ivoire	None	None
Cuba	N	N
Cyprus	N	None
Czech Republic	N	N
Djibouti	None	None
Dominica	None	None
Dominican Republic	None	None
European Communities ²	X	X
Ecuador	None	None
Egypt	X	N
El Salvador	N	N
Estonia	N	N
Fiji	None	None
Gabon	None	None
Gambia	None	None
Georgia	n.a.	None
Ghana	N	N
Grenada	None	None
Guatemala	N	N
Guinea Bissau	None	None
Guinea, Republic of	None	None
Guyana	None	None
Haiti	N	None
Honduras	N	N
Hong Kong, China	N	N
Hungary	N	N
Iceland	N	N
India	N	N
Indonesia	N	None

MEMBER	1 July-31 December 1999	1 January-30 June 2000
Israel	N	N
Jamaica	N	None
Japan	N	N
Jordan	n.a.	None
Kenya	None	None
Korea	N	N
Kuwait	None	None
Kyrgyz Republic	N	N
Latvia	N	N
Lesotho	None	None
Liechtenstein	N	N
Macau, China	N	N
Madagascar	None	None
Malawi	None	None
Malaysia	N	N
Maldives	None	None
Mali	None	None
Malta	N	N
Mauritania	None	None
Mauritius	N	None
Mexico	N ¹	N ¹
Mongolia	None	None
Morocco	N	N
Mozambique	None	None
Myanmar	None	None
Namibia	None	None
New Zealand	N ¹	N ¹
Nicaragua	None	None
Niger	None	None
Nigeria	None	None
Norway	N	N
Pakistan	None	None

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Panama	N	N
Papua New Guinea	None	None
Paraguay	N	None
Peru	N	N
Philippines	N	N
Poland	N	N
Qatar	N	N
Romania	N	N
Rwanda	None	None
Saint Kitts & Nevis	None	None
Saint Lucia	None	None
Saint Vincent & Grenadines	None	None
Senegal	None	None
Sierra Leone	None	None
Singapore	N	N
Slovak Republic	N	N
Slovenia	N	N
Solomon Islands	None	None
South Africa	X	X
Sri Lanka	N	None
Suriname	None	None
Swaziland	None	None
Switzerland	N	N
Tanzania	None	None
Thailand	N	N
Togo	None	None
Trinidad and Tobago	N	N
Tunisia	N	None
Turkey	N	N
Uganda	None	None
United Arab Emirates	None	None

MEMBER	1 July-31 December 1999	1 January-30 June 2000
United States	X	X
Uruguay	N	N
Venezuela	N ¹	N ¹
Zambia	N	N
Zimbabwe	N	N

¹Notified measures in force as at the end of the reporting period.

²The EC is counted as one Member.

ANNEX F

Summary of New Countervailing Duty Actions and Measures in Force (1 July 1999 - 30 June 2000)

Initiation				Provisional Measures (negative preliminary determinations not included)				Definitive Duties				Price Undertakings				Measures in force on 30 June 2000 (definitive duties and price undertakings)
No.	Countries involved			No.	Countries involved			No.	Countries involved			No.	Countries involved			
	EEC															
7	CHT (2)	IND (1)	IDN (1)	4	AUS (1)	IND (1)	MY S (1)	9	AUS (1)	CHT (3)	IND (4)	1	IND (1)			13 ¹
	KOR (1)	MY S (1)	THA (1)		PHL (1)				IDN (1)							
	MEXICO															
0				0				0				0				10
	NEW ZEALAND															
0				0				0				0				2
	SOUTH AFRICA															
2	IND (1)	PAK (1)		0				0				0				0
	UNITED STATES															
2	ITA (1) ²	KOR (1)		7	BRA (1)	FRA (1)	IND (1)	13	BRA (1)	FRA (3)	IND (2)	0				46
					IDN (1)	ITA (1)	KOR (2)		IDN (2)	ITA (2)	KOR (3)					

¹ A price undertaking entered into on 1 October 1997 and a definitive duty imposed on 17 April 1999 with respect to farmed Atlantic salmon from Norway have been counted as two measures.

² Circumvention enquiry.

Initiation			Provisional Measures (negative preliminary determinations not included)			Definitive Duties			Price Undertakings			Measures in force on 30 June 2000 (definitive duties and price undertakings)	
No.	Countries involved		No.	Countries involved		No.	Countries involved			No.	Countries involved		
VENEZUELA													
0			0			0				0			3

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS USED IN ANNEX F TO THIS REPORT

AFG	AFGHANISTAN	FYR	FORMER YUGOSLAV	NER	NIGER
ALB	ALBANIA		REPUBLIC OF	NGA	NIGERIA
DZA	ALGERIA		MACEDONIA	NOR	NORWAY
ATG	ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA	GAB	GABON	OMN	OMAN
ARG	ARGENTINA	GMB	GAMBIA	PAK	PAKISTAN
ARM	ARMENIA	GEO	GEORGIA	PAN	PANAMA
AUS	AUSTRALIA	DEU	GERMANY	PNG	PAPUA NEW GUINEA
AUT	AUSTRIA	GHA	GHANA	PRY	PARAGUAY
AZE	AZERBAIJAN	GRC	GREECE	PER	PERU
BHS	BAHAMAS	GRD	GRENADA	PHL	PHILIPPINES
BHR	BAHRAIN	GTM	GUATEMALA	POL	POLAND
BGD	BANGLADESH	GNB	GUINEA-BISSAU	PRT	PORTUGAL
BRB	BARBADOS	GIN	GUINEA, REP. OF	PRI	PUERTO RICO
BLR	BELARUS	GUY	GUYANA	QUT	QATAR
BEL	BELGIUM	HTI	HAITI	ROM	ROMANIA
BLZ	BELIZE	HND	HONDURAS	RUS	RUSSIAN FEDERATION
BEN	BENIN	HKG	HONG KONG, CHINA	RWA	RWANDA
BMU	BERMUDA	HUN	HUNGARY	KNA	SAINT KITTS & NEVIS
BOL	BOLIVIA	ISL	ICELAND	LCA	SAINT LUCIA
BIH	BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA	IND	INDIA	SAU	SAUDI ARABIA
BWA	BOTSWANA	IDN	INDONESIA	SEN	SENEGAL
BRA	BRAZIL	IRN	IRAN	SYC	SEYCHELLES
BRN	BRUNEI DARUSSALAM	IRQ	IRAQ	SLE	SIERRA LEONE
BGR	BULGARIA	IRL	IRELAND	SGP	SINGAPORE
BFA	BURKINA FASO	ISR	ISRAEL	SVK	SLOVAK REPUBLIC
BUR	BURUNDI	ITA	ITALY	SVN	SLOVENIA
CMR	CAMEROON	JAM	JAMAICA	ZAF	SOUTH AFRICA
CAN	CANADA	JPN	JAPAN	ESP	SPAIN
CAF	CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	JOR	JORDAN	LKA	SRI LANKA
TCD	CHAD	KAZ	KAZAKSTAN	VCT	SAINT VINCENT & GRENADINES
CHL	CHILE	KEN	KENYA	SDN	SUDAN
CHN	CHINA	KOR	KOREA	SUR	SURINAME
CHT	CHINESE TAIPEI	KWT	KUWAIT	SWE	SWEDEN
COG	CONGO, REPUBLIC	KGZ	KYRGYZ REPUBLIC	CHE	SWITZERLAND
COL	COLOMBIA	LVA	LATVIA	TJK	TAJIKISTAN
CRI	COSTA RICA	LBN	LEBANON	TZA	TANZANIA
CIV	COTE D'IVOIRE	LSO	LESOTHO	THA	THAILAND
HRV	CROATIA	LIE	LIECHTENSTEIN	TGO	TOGO
CUB	CUBA	LTU	LITHUANIA	TTO	TRINIDAD & TOBAGO
CYP	CYPRUS	LUX	LUXEMBOURG	TUN	TUNISIA
CZE	CZECH REPUBLIC	MAC	MACAU	TUR	TURKEY
DNK	DENMARK	MDG	MADAGASCAR	TKM	TURKMENISTAN
DJI	DJIBOUTI	MWI	MALAWI	UGA	UGANDA
DMA	DOMINICA	MYS	MALAYSIA	UKR	UKRAINE
DOM	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	MDV	MALDIVES	ARE	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
DRC	DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO	MLI	MALI	GBR	UNITED KINGDOM
EEC	EUROPEAN COMMUNITY	MLT	MALTA	USA	UNITED STATES
ECU	ECUADOR	MRT	MAURITANIA	URY	URUGUAY
EGY	EGYPT	MUS	MAURITIUS	UZB	UZBEKISTAN
SLV	EL SALVADOR	MEX	MEXICO	VUT	VANUATU
EST	ESTONIA	MDA	MOLDOVA, REP. OF	VEN	VENEZUELA
FJI	FIJI	MNG	MONGOLIA	VNM	VIET NAM
FIN	FINLAND	MAR	MOROCCO	ZMB	ZAMBIA
FRA	FRANCE	MOZ	MOZAMBIQUE	ZWE	ZIMBABWE
		NAM	NAMIBIA		
		NLD	NETHERLANDS		
		NZL	NEW ZEALAND		
		NIC	NICARAGUA		