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REPORT (2008) OF THE COMMITTEE ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES

I. ORGANIZATION OF THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE

1. This Report covers the period since the Committee's last annual report (G/L/840), that is, 25 October 2007 to 29 October 2008. During this period, the Committee held two regular meetings, on 29 April and 29 October 2008, and two special meetings, on 5 December 2007 and 31 July 2008. 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. The Committee also held a number of informal meetings.

2. As of the beginning of the review period, Mr. Pablo Klein (Mexico) was Chair and Ms Astrid Holtan (Norway) was Vice-Chair. At the regular meeting held on 29 April 2008, the Committee elected Mr. Jun Kazeki (Japan) as Chair.

II. OBSERVERSHIP – INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS INTERGOVERNMENTAL

3. During the period under review, the requests of COMESA and the Gulf Organization for Industrial Consulting for observership in the Committee remained pending. These requests are the subject of ongoing consultations among Members.

III. PERMANENT GROUP OF EXPERTS

4. The Committee is required by Article 24.3 of the Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures ("SCM Agreement" or "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 a Member 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.

5. As of the beginning of the period under review, the PGE had two members, Mr. Yuji Iwasawa and Mr. Asger Petersen, as the Committee had been unable to reach agreement on the appointment of new members to succeed the three experts whose terms had expired in 2005, 2006, and 2007.¹ At its regular meeting held on 25 October 2007, the Chairman announced his intention to hold informal consultations on this matter. Following informal consultations held in March and April 2008, the Chairman announced at the regular meeting held on 29 April 2008 that Members had reached an understanding on the procedures to be followed to fill the four vacant positions in the PGE. Pursuant to these procedures, the Committee elected four experts at a special meeting held on 31 July 2008:

¹ Mr. Iwasawa's term expired in Spring 2008.

Dr. Chang-fa Lo (Chinese Taipei); Dr. Manzoor Ahmad (Pakistan); Mr Zhang Yuqing (China); and Mr. Jeffrey A. May (United States).²

IV. NOTIFICATION OF SUBSIDIES

6. 2007 new and full notifications. In accordance with Article 25.1 of the Agreement and Article XVI of the GATT 1994, all Members were required to submit new and full notifications of subsidies by 30 June 2007. As of 29 October 2008, thirty³ Members had submitted such notifications. In addition, six Members had notified that they did not maintain any subsidies notifiable pursuant to these provisions. These notifications may be found in document series G/SCM/N/155/... . A table indicating the status of 2007 notifications is reproduced in Annex A to this Report.

7. The Committee decided at its meeting of 26 April 2007 that the procedures adopted in April 2005 for the review of the 2005 new and full notifications (G/SCM/117) would also apply to the review of the 2007 new and full notifications.⁴ Pursuant to this decision, the Committee held special meetings on 29 April and 29 October 2008 at which it reviewed the 2007 new and full subsidy notifications of the following Members: Albania; Argentina; Australia; Brazil; Canada; Cuba; the European Communities; Hong Kong, China; Japan; New Zealand; Norway; Paraguay; Qatar; the Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu; Switzerland; Thailand; Turkey; and Ukraine.

8. At the special meetings held on 29 April and 29 October 2008, the Committee also reverted to the 2005 notifications of China (G/SCM/N/123/CHN) and the United States (G/SCM/N/123/USA).

V. WORKING PARTY ON SUBSIDY NOTIFICATIONS

9. The Working Party on Subsidy Notifications did not meet during the review period.

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

10. As of 29 October 2008, pursuant to Article 32.6 and in accordance with a decision by the Committee, eighty-eight⁵ Members 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-eight 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 B to this Report.

11. At the regular meetings held on 29 April and 29 October 2008, the Committee reviewed notifications regarding countervailing duty legislation of Albania; Canada; China; Costa Rica; Egypt; El Salvador; the European Communities; Guatemala; Nicaragua; the United States and Ukraine. Written questions and answers regarding these notifications may be found in documents of the G/SCM/Q1/... series.

² The terms of the four members appointed in July 2008 are:

Dr. Chang-fa Lo	Spring 2005-Spring 2010
Dr. Manzoor Ahmad	Spring 2006-Spring 2011
Mr. Zhang Yuqing	Spring 2007-Spring 2012
Mr. Jeffrey A. May	Spring 2008-Spring 2013

³ The European Communities is counted as one Member.

⁴ The procedures provide that questions on a subsidy notification and answers to such questions should be submitted in writing in advance of the special meeting held to review the notification. Such written questions and answers can be found in the G/SCM/Q2/... document series.

⁵ The European Communities is counted as one Member. These 88 notifications do not include notifications submitted by Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Romania, the Slovak Republic and Slovenia before these Members acceded to the European Communities.

VII. SEMI-ANNUAL REPORTS ON COUNTERVAILING ACTIONS

12. Notifications for 1 July-31 December 2007 as of 29 October 2008, five Members had notified countervailing actions taken during the period 1 July-31 December 2007. Forty-four Members had notified the Committee that they had not taken any countervailing duty action during this period. Seventy-five Members had not submitted a notification. These semi-annual reports were circulated in document series G/SCM/N/170. The status of semi-annual reports is set out in Annex C to this Report.

13. Notifications for 1 January-30 June 2008 as of 29 October 2008, nine Members had notified countervailing actions taken during the period 1 January-30 June 2008. Thirty-seven Members had notified the Committee that they had not taken any countervailing action during this period. Eighty-one Members had not submitted a notification. These semi-annual reports were circulated in document series G/SCM/N/178. The status of semi-annual reports is set out in Annex C to this Report.

14. A table summarizing notifications of new countervailing duty actions taken by Members during the period 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and measures in force as of 30 June 2008 is reproduced in Annex D to this Report.

VIII. REPORTS ON ALL PRELIMINARY OR FINAL COUNTERVAILING DUTY ACTIONS

15. 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. During the review period the Committee received reports of preliminary and final countervailing actions from Canada, Chile, the European Communities, Japan, South Africa and the United States (G/SCM/N/168-169, 171-176, and 179-181). The Committee reviewed these reports of preliminary and final actions at its regular meetings in April and October 2008.

16. At its meeting of 29 October 2008, the Committee agreed, in light of recent decisions taken in the Committee on Anti-Dumping Practices on the standard format for semi-annual reports on anti-dumping actions and on the minimum information to be provided in reports on preliminary and final anti-dumping actions, to hold informal consultations to consider whether it is desirable to review the standard format for semi-annual reports and the minimum information to be provided in reports on notifications of countervailing duty actions under Article 25.11 of the Agreement.

IX. TRANSITIONAL REVIEW OF CHINA

17. In accordance with Paragraph 18 of the Protocol of Accession of the People's Republic of China to the WTO (WT/L/432), the Committee reviewed China's implementation of the Agreement at its regular meeting held on 29 October 2008. The Committee agreed that its report to the Council for Trade in Goods would be prepared by the Chair on his own responsibility, and would take the form of a brief factual report, with references to the documents concerned, and attaching the portion of the minutes of the meeting which relate to the transitional review.

X. CONTINUATION OF EXTENSIONS UNDER ARTICLE 27.4 OF THE AGREEMENT OF THE TRANSITION PERIOD FOR THE ELIMINATION OF EXPORT SUBSIDIES

18. A General Council Decision adopted on 27 July 2007 (WTL/691) lays down procedures whereby during the period 2008-2012 the Committee will continue to grant extensions under Article 27.4 of the Agreement of the transition period for the elimination of export subsidies. At its

regular meeting of 29 October 2008, the Committee conducted a review of the transparency and standstill requirements contained in this Decision and agreed to continue for calendar year 2009 the extensions of the transition period that the Committee had previously granted for calendar years 2003-2008.⁶

XI. OTHER ISSUES DISCUSSED DURING THE PERIOD UNDER REVIEW

19. At the regular meeting of 29 October 2008, Mexico made a statement regarding measures applied by South Africa under the Motor Industry Development Programme.⁷

⁶ The Committee decisions continuing the extensions of the transition period for calendar year 2009 may be found in the following documents: Antigua & Barbuda (G/SCM/50/Add.6-51/Add.6); Barbados (G/SCM/52/Add.6-56/Add.6); Belize (G/SCM/57/Add.6-60/Add.6); Costa Rica (G/SCM/61/Add.6-62/Add.6); Dominica (G/SCM/63/Add.6); Dominican Republic (G/SCM/64/Add.6); El Salvador (G/SCM/65/Add.6); Fiji (G/SCM/66/Add.6-68/Add.6); Grenada (G/SCM/69/Add.6-71/Add.6); Guatemala (G/SCM/72/Add.6-74/Add.6); Jamaica (G/SCM/75/Add.6-78/Add.6); Jordan (G/SCM/79/Add.6); Mauritius (G/SCM/80/Add.6-83/Add.6); Panama (G/SCM/84/Add.6-85/Add.6); Papua New Guinea (G/SCM/86/Add.6); St. Lucia (G/SCM/87/Add.6-89/Add.6); St. Kitts and Nevis (G/SCM/90/Add.6); St. Vincent and the Grenadines (G/SCM/91/Add.6) and Uruguay (G/SCM/92/Add.6).

⁷ Written questions posed by Mexico on this programme have been circulated in document G/SCM/Q2/ZAF/10.

ANNEX A

2007 NEW AND FULL SUBSIDY NOTIFICATIONS (G/SCM/N/155/...) as at 29 October 2008

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

"n.a." means that, at the time when the notification was due to be submitted, the status of WTO Member had not yet been acquired.

ANNEX B

COUNTERVAILING DUTY LEGISLATION NOTIFICATIONS as at 29 October 2008

MEMBER/OBSERVER	NOTIFICATION PROVIDED
Albania	G/SCM/N/1/ALB/2 + Rev.1
Angola	None
Antigua and Barbuda	G/SCM/N/1/ATG/2
Argentina	G/SCM/N/1/ARG/1 + Suppl.1, 2, 3 & Suppl.3/Corr.1 + Suppl.4, 5, 6 & 7
Armenia	G/SCM/N/1/ARM/1
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 + Suppl.1
Brunei Darussalam	G/SCM/N/1/BRN/1
Burkina Faso	None
Burundi	G/SCM/N/1/BUR/1
Cambodia	None
Cameroon	None
Canada	G/SCM/N/1/CAN/4
Cap Verde ¹	None
Central African Republic	None
Chad	G/SCM/N/1/TCD/1
Chile	G/SCM/N/1/CHL/2
China	G/SCM/N/1/CHN/1 + Suppl.1, 2, 3 & 4
Colombia	G/SCM/N/1/COL/1
Congo	None
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	None
Costa Rica	G/SCM/N/1/CRI/3
Côte d'Ivoire	None
Croatia	G/SCM/N/1/HRV/2
Cuba	G/SCM/N/1/CUB/1 + Suppl.1
Djibouti	None
Dominica	G/SCM/N/1/DMA/1
Dominican Republic	G/SCM/N/1/DOM/2 + Corr.1 (Spanish only)
Ecuador	G/SCM/N/1/ECU/2
European Communities	G/SCM/N/1/EEC/2 + Suppl.1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 ² & 7 ³
Egypt	G/SCM/N/1/EGY/2/Rev.1 + Rev.1/Suppl.1
El Salvador	G/SCM/N/1/SLV/3
Fiji	G/SCM/N/1/FJI/2
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	G/SCM/N/1/MKD/1 + Corr.1 + Suppl.1
Gabon	None
Gambia	None

¹ Cap Verde became a Member of WTO on 23 July 2008.

² Document G/SCM/N/1/EEC/2/Suppl.6 provides information on the status of laws and regulations of the following WTO Members: Cyprus; the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, the Slovak republic and Slovenia, all of which became Member States of the European Communities on 1 May 2004.

³ Document G/SCM/N/1/EEC/2/Suppl.7 provides information on the status of laws and regulations of Bulgaria and Romania, which became Member States of the European Communities on 1 January 2007.

MEMBER/OBSERVER	NOTIFICATION PROVIDED
Georgia	G/SCM/N/1/GEO/1
Ghana	G/SCM/N/1/GHA/1
Grenada	G/SCM/N/1/GRD/2
Guatemala	G/SCM/N/1/GTM/3
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
Iceland	G/SCM/N/1/ISL/1
India	G/SCM/N/1/IND/2 + Corr.1 + Suppl.1, 2 ,3 & 4
Indonesia	G/SCM/N/1>IDN/2 + Suppl.1
Israel	G/SCM/N/1/ISR/3 + Corr.1
Jamaica	G/SCM/N/1/JAM/2
Japan	G/SCM/N/1/JPN/2 + Corr.1 & 2 + Suppl.1, 2 , 3, 4 & Suppl.4/Corr.1 & Suppl.5
Jordan	G/SCM/N/1/JOR/3
Kenya	G/SCM/N/1/KEN/1
Korea	G/SCM/N/1/KOR/4
Kuwait	None
Kyrgyz Rep.	G/SCM/N/1/KGZ/1
Lesotho	None
Liechtenstein	G/SCM/N/1/LIE/1
Macao, 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
Mauritania	None
Mauritius	G/SCM/N/1/MUS/2
Mexico	G/SCM/N/1/MEX/1 + Corr.1 + Suppl.1+ Corr.1 & Suppl.2 & 3
Moldova	G/SCM/N/1/MDA/1
Mongolia	G/SCM/N/1/MNG/2
Morocco	G/SCM/N/1/MAR/2 + Rev.1 (French only)
Mozambique	None
Myanmar	G/SCM/N/1/MYN/1
Namibia	G/SCM/N/1/NAM/1
Nepal	None
New Zealand	G/SCM/N/1/NZL/2 + Suppl.1, 2 & 3
Nicaragua	G/SCM/N/1/NIC/2
Niger	None
Nigeria	G/SCM/N/1/NGA/1
Norway	G/SCM/N/1/NOR/3
Oman	G/SCM/N/1/OMN/1
Pakistan	G/SCM/N/1/PAK/2 + Suppl.1 & 2
Panama	G/SCM/N/1/PAN/2
Papua New Guinea	None
Paraguay	G/SCM/N/1/PRY/2 + Corr.1
Peru	G/SCM/N/1/PER/2
Philippines	G/SCM/N/1/PHL/2
Qatar	G/SCM/N/1/QAT/1
Rwanda	None
Saint Kitts & Nevis	None
Saint Lucia	G/SCM/N/1/LCA/1

MEMBER/OBSERVER	NOTIFICATION PROVIDED
Saint Vincent & Grenadines	None
Saudi Arabia	None
Senegal	G/SCM/N/1/SEN/1
Sierra Leone	None
Singapore	G/SCM/N/1/SGP/2 + Suppl. 1
Solomon Islands	None
South Africa	G/SCM/N/1/ZAF/2 + Add.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
Chinese Taipei	G/SCM/N/1/TPKM/1 + Corr.1 + Suppl.1
Tanzania	None
Thailand	G/SCM/N/1/THA/4 + Corr.1
Togo	None
Tonga	None
Trinidad and Tobago	G/SCM/N/1/TTO/1 + Suppl. 1
Tunisia	G/SCM/N/1/TUN/2
Turkey	G/SCM/N/1/TUR/3 + Suppl.1, 2 & 3 + Corr.1
Uganda	G/SCM/N/1/UGA/2
Ukraine ⁴	G/SCM/N/1/UKR
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, 6 & 7
Uruguay	G/SCM/N/1/URY/1 + Suppl.1
Venezuela	G/SCM/N/1/VEN/1 + Suppl.1 & 2
Viet Nam	None
Zambia	G/SCM/N/1/ZMB/1
Zimbabwe	G/SCM/N/1/ZWE/2 + Suppl.1

⁴ Ukraine became a Member of the WTO on 16 May 2008.

ANNEX C

**SEMI-ANNUAL REPORTS OF COUNTERVAILING DUTY ACTIONS,
1 JULY 2007-30 JUNE 2008**

MEMBER	1 July-31 December 2007 (G/SCM/N/170)	1 January-30 June 2008 (G/SCM/N/178)
Albania	N	N
Angola	None	None
Antigua and Barbuda	None	None
Argentina	N	N
Armenia	N	N
Australia	N ¹	X
Bahrain	None	None
Bangladesh	None	None
Barbados	N	N
Belize	None	None
Benin	None	None
Bolivia	None	None
Botswana	None	None
Brazil	N ²	X
Brunei Darussalam	None	None
Burkina Faso	None	None
Burundi	None	None
Cambodia	None	None
Cameroon	None	None
Canada	X	X
Cap Verde	n.a.	- - ³
Central African Republic	None	None
Chad	None	None
Chile	N	X
China	N	N
Colombia	N	N
Congo	None	None
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	None	None
Costa Rica	N ⁴	N ⁵
Côte d'Ivoire	None	None
Croatia	N	N
Cuba	N	N
Djibouti	None	None
Dominica	None	None
Dominican Republic	N	N
European Communities	X	X
Ecuador	N	N
Egypt	N	N
El Salvador	N	N
Fiji	None	None
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	None	None
Gabon	None	None
Gambia	None	None

¹ Australia notified definitive duties in force in document G/SCM/N/170/AUS.

² Brazil notified definitive duties in force in document G/SCM/N/170/BRA.

³ Cap Verde became a Member of the WTO on 23 July 2008.

⁴ Costa Rica notified undertakings in force in document G/SCM/N/170/CRI.

⁵ Costa Rica notified undertakings in force in document G/SCM/N/178/CRI.

MEMBER	1 July-31 December 2007 (G/SCM/N/170)	1 January-30 June 2008 (G/SCM/N/178)
Georgia	None	None
Ghana	None	None
Grenada	None	None
Guatemala	N	N
Guinea	None	None
Guinea-Bissau	None	None
Guyana	None	None
Haiti	None	None
Honduras	N	N
Hong Kong, China	N	N
Iceland	None	None
India	N	N
Indonesia	N	N
Israel	N	None
Jamaica	N	N
Japan	N ⁶	N ⁷
Jordan	N	N
Kenya	None	None
Korea	N	N
Kuwait	None	None
Kyrgyz Republic	N	None
Lesotho	None	None
Liechtenstein	None	None
Macao, China	N	N
Madagascar	None	None
Malawi	None	None
Malaysia	N	N
Maldives	None	None
Mali	None	None
Mauritania	None	None
Mauritius	None	None
Mexico	N ⁸	N ⁹
Moldova	None	None
Mongolia	None	None
Morocco	None	None
Mozambique	None	None
Myanmar	None	None
Namibia	None	None
Nepal	None	None
New Zealand	N ¹⁰	N ¹¹
Nicaragua	None	None
Niger	None	None
Nigeria	N	N
Norway	N	N
Oman	None	None
Pakistan	N	None
Panama	None	None
Papua New Guinea	None	None
Paraguay	None	None

⁶ Japan notified definitive duties in force in document G/SCM/N/170/JPN.

⁷ Japan notified definitive duties in force in document G/SCM/N/178/JPN.

⁸ Mexico notified definitive duties in force in document G/SCM/N/170/MEX.

⁹ Mexico notified definitive duties in force in document G/SCM/N/178/MEX.

¹⁰ New Zealand notified definitive duties in force in document G/SCM/N/170/NZL.

¹¹ New Zealand notified definitive duties in force in document G/SCM/N/178/NZL.

MEMBER	1 July-31 December 2007 (G/SCM/N/170)	1 January-30 June 2008 (G/SCM/N/178)
Peru	X	X
Philippines	N	N
Qatar	None	None
Rwanda	None	None
Saint Kitts & Nevis	None	None
Saint Lucia	N	None
Saint Vincent & Grenadines	None	None
Saudi Arabia	None	None
Senegal	None	None
Sierra Leone	None	None
Singapore	N	N
Solomon Islands	None	None
South Africa	X	X
Sri Lanka	None	None
Suriname	None	None
Swaziland	None	None
Switzerland	N	N
Chinese Taipei	N	N
Tanzania	None	None
Thailand	N	N
Togo	None	None
Tonga	- - ¹²	None
Trinidad and Tobago	N	N
Tunisia	N	N
Turkey	N	X
Uganda	None	None
Ukraine	n.a.	N ¹³
United Arab Emirates	None	None
United States	X	X
Uruguay	None	None
Venezuela	None	None
Viet Nam	None	None
Zambia	None	None
Zimbabwe	N	N

X = Semi-annual report of actions taken submitted.

N = Report of no actions taken submitted.

None = No report submitted.

¹² Tonga became a Member of the WTO on 27 July 2007.

¹³ Ukraine became a Member of the WTO on 16 May 2008.

ANNEX D

**Summary of Countervailing Duty Actions and Measures as reported in
documents G/SCM/N/170/... and G/SCM/N/178/...
(1 July 2007-30 June 2008)
as of 29 October 2008**

Initiations		Provisional Measures (negative preliminary determinations and affirmative preliminary determinations where no measures imposed are not included)		Definitive Duties (negative determinations not included)		Price Undertakings		Revoca- tions notified ¹	Measures in force on 30 June 2008 (definitive duties and price undertakings) ²
Total	Countries ³ involved	Total	Countries ³ involved	Total	Countries ³ involved	Total	Countries ³ involved		
AUSTRALIA									
1	CHN (1)	0		0					1
BRAZIL									
0		0		0					1
CANADA									
3	CHN (3)	2	CHN (2)	1	CHN (1)				7
COSTA RICA									
0		0		0					1
EEC									
1	USA (1)	0		0					10
JAPAN									
0		0		0					1
MEXICO									
0		0		0					2
NEW ZEALAND									
0		0		0					1
PERU									
1	USA (1)	0		0				1	0

¹ Includes measures notified as having been fully or partially revoked, and as having lapsed.² Certain of the measures in force were notified as having been fully or partially suspended.³ "Countries" refers in all cases to countries or customs territories. A list of the abbreviations used in this table can be found following the table.

Initiations		Provisional Measures (negative preliminary determinations and affirmative preliminary determinations where no measures imposed are not included)				Definitive Duties (negative determinations not included)				Price Undertakings		Revoca- tions notified ¹	Measures in force on 30 June 2008 (definitive duties and price undertakings) ²
Total	Countries ³ involved	Total	Countries ³ involved			Total	Countries ³ involved			Total	Countries ³ involved		
	SOUTH AFRICA												1
0		0				0							
	TURKEY												0
1	IND (1)	0				0							
	UNITED STATES					1	CHN (1)					2	29
10	CHN (10)	7	CHN (7)										

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS USED IN ANNEX E

AFG	AFGHANISTAN	GAB	GABON	PAN	PANAMA
ALB	ALBANIA	GMB	THE GAMBIA	PNG	PAPUA NEW GUINEA
DZA	ALGERIA	GEO	GEORGIA	PRY	PARAGUAY
AND	ANDORRA	DEU	GERMANY	PER	PERU
AGO	ANGOLA	GHA	GHANA	PHL	PHILIPPINES
ATG	ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA	GRC	GREECE	POL	POLAND
ARG	ARGENTINA	GRD	GRENADA	PRT	PORTUGAL
ARM	ARMENIA	GTM	GUATEMALA	QAT	QATAR
AUS	AUSTRALIA	GIN	GUINEA	ROU	ROMANIA
AUT	AUSTRIA	GNB	GUINEA BISSAU	RUS	RUSSIAN FEDERATION
AZE	AZERBAIJAN	GUY	GUYANA	RWA	RWANDA
BHS	BAHAMAS	HTI	HAITI	KNA	SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS
BHR	BAHRAIN, KINGDOM OF	HND	HONDURAS	LCA	SAINT LUCIA
BGD	BANGLADESH	HKG	HONG KONG, CHINA	VCT	SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES
BRB	BARBADOS	HUN	HUNGARY	WSM	SAMOA
BLR	BELARUS	ISL	ICELAND	STP	SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE
BEL	BELGIUM	IND	INDIA	SAU	SAUDI ARABIA
BLZ	BELIZE	IDN	INDONESIA	SEN	SENEGAL
BEN	BENIN	IRN	IRAN	SRB	SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO
BMU	BERMUDA	IRQ	IRAQ	SYC	SEYCHELLES
BTN	BHUTAN	IRL	IRELAND	SLE	SIERRA LEONE
BOL	BOLIVIA	ISR	ISRAEL	SGP	SINGAPORE
BIH	BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	ITA	ITALY	SVK	SLOVAK REPUBLIC
BWA	BOTSWANA	JAM	JAMAICA	SVN	SLOVENIA
BRA	BRAZIL	JPN	JAPAN	SLB	SOLOMON ISLANDS
BRN	BRUNEI DARUSSALAM	JOR	JORDAN	ZAF	SOUTH AFRICA
BGR	BULGARIA	KAZ	KAZAKHSTAN	ESP	SPAIN
BFA	BURKINA FASO	KEN	KENYA	KGZ	KYRGYZ REPUBLIC
BDI	BURUNDI	PRK	KOREA, D.R. OF	LAO	LAO, P.D.R
KHM	CAMBODIA	KOR	KOREA, REP. OF	LVA	LATVIA
CMR	CAMEROON	KWT	KUWAIT	LBN	LEBANON
CAN	CANADA	KGZ	KYRGYZ REPUBLIC	LSO	LESOTHO
CPV	CAPE VERDE	LAO	LAO, P.D.R	LIB	LIBYAN ARAB
CAF	CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	LVA	LATVIA	MLI	JAMAHIRIYA
TCD	CHAD	LBN	LEBANON	MDG	LIECHTENSTEIN
CHL	CHILE	LIB	LIECHTENSTEIN	MYS	KAZAKHSTAN
CHN	CHINA	LIE	LIECHTENSTEIN	MDV	KUWAIT
COL	COLOMBIA	LTU	LITHUANIA	MWI	KYRGYZ REPUBLIC
COG	CONGO	LUX	LUXEMBOURG	MOZ	LAO, P.D.R
CRI	COSTA RICA	MAC	MACAO, CHINA	MDG	LAO, P.D.R
CIV	COTE D'IVOIRE	MDG	MADAGASCAR	MAL	LATVIA
HRV	CROATIA	MWI	MALAWI	MYS	LEBANON
CUB	CUBA	MYS	MALAYSIA	MDV	LESOTHO
CYP	CYPRUS	MDV	MALDIVES	MLI	LIBYAN ARAB
CZE	CZECH REPUBLIC	MLI	MALI	MAL	JAMAHIRIYA
COD	CONGO, D.R. OF THE	MLT	MALTA	MAL	LIECHTENSTEIN
DNK	DENMARK	MRT	MAURITANIA	MAL	LUXEMBOURG
DJI	DJIBOUTI	MUS	MAURITIUS	MAL	MACAO, CHINA
DMA	DOMINICA	MEX	MEXICO	MAD	MADAGASCAR
DOM	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	MDA	MOLDOVA	MAL	MADAGASCAR
ECU	ECUADOR	MNG	MONGOLIA	MAL	MALAWI
EGY	EGYPT	MAR	MOROCCO	MAL	MALAYSIA
SLV	EL SALVADOR	MOZ	MOZAMBIQUE	MAL	MALDIVES
GNQ	EQUATORIAL GUINEA	MYN	MYANMAR	MAL	MALI
EST	ESTONIA	NAM	NAMIBIA	MAL	MALTA
ETH	ETHIOPIA	NPL	NEPAL	MAL	MAR
EEC	EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES	NLD	NETHERLANDS	MAL	MAR
FRO	FAROE ISLANDS	NZL	NEW ZEALAND	MAL	MOZAMBIQUE
FJI	FIJI	NIC	NICARAGUA	MAL	MYANMAR
FIN	FINLAND	NER	NIGER	MAL	NAMIBIA
MKD	MACEDONIA, F.Y.R. OF	NGA	NIGERIA	MAL	NICARAGUA
FRA	FRANCE	NOR	NORWAY	MAL	NEPAL
		OMN	OMAN	MAL	NETHERLANDS
		PAK	PAKISTAN	MAL	NEW ZEALAND