



**COLOMBIA – MEASURES RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF TEXTILES,
APPAREL AND FOOTWEAR**

**APPOINTMENT OF ARBITRATOR UNDER ARTICLE 21.3(C)
OF THE UNDERSTANDING ON RULES AND PROCEDURES
GOVERNING THE SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES**

NOTE BY THE SECRETARIAT

On 30 August 2016, pursuant to the request received on 19 August 2016 from the delegation of Panama, the Director General appointed Mr Giorgio Sacerdoti to act as arbitrator under Article 21.3(c) of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes (DSU), in the matter *Colombia – Measures Relating to the Importation of Textiles, Apparel and Footwear* (DS461). Mr Giorgio Sacerdoti accepted this appointment, by letter dated 5 September 2016 to Colombia and Panama.
