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Communication from the Appellate Body

The following communication, dated 15 December 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 Reports of the Appellate Body in *China – Measures Affecting Imports of Automobile Parts*, WT/DS339/AB/R, WT/DS340/AB/R and WT/DS342/AB/R. The three Reports will be circulated, in the form of a single document, 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 are: Ms. Lilia Bautista, as Presiding Member; Ms. Jennifer Hillman and Mr. Giorgio Sacerdoti, as Members.