

**CHINA – MEASURES AFFECTING THE PROTECTION AND ENFORCEMENT
OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS**

Status Report by China

The following communication, dated 7 January 2010, from the delegation of China to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated pursuant to Article 21.6 of the DSU.

Status Report Regarding Implementation of the
DSB Recommendations and Rulings in the Dispute
*China – Measures Affecting the Protection and Enforcement
of Intellectual Property Rights*
(WT/DS362)

China submits this report in accordance with Article 21.6 of the *Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes*.

At its meeting on 20 March 2009, the Dispute Settlement Body adopted the Panel report on *China – Measures Affecting the Protection and Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights* (WT/DS362). On 15 April 2009, China informed the DSB of its intention to implement the recommendations and rulings of the DSB in connection with this matter.

The legislative proposals relating to the amendment of the Copyright Law and the Regulations for Customs Protection of Intellectual Property Rights have been submitted to the State Council for examination.

China will continue working on the amendment of the measures, according to its domestic legislative procedures, that would resolve this matter.
