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UNITED STATES – PROVISIONAL ANTI-DUMPING MEASURES ON SHRIMP FROM THAILAND

Request to Join Consultations

Communication from Brazil

The following communication, dated 20 December 2004, from the delegation of Brazil to the delegation of the United States, the delegation of Thailand and to the Chairperson of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 4.11 of the DSU.

With reference to the request by Thailand for consultations with the United States concerning *United States – Provisional Anti-Dumping Measures on Shrimp from Thailand* (WT/DS324/1, G/L/726, circulated on 14 December 2004), I hereby wish to convey the request of the Government of Brazil, pursuant to Article 4.11 of the DSU, to join in these consultations.

Brazil has a substantial trade interest in the issues under consideration. Brazil exports shrimp to the United States and is also subject of a Preliminary Determination of sales at less than fair value made by the US Anti-Dumping authorities.

Brazil would appreciate being informed of the date and venue of consultations.