

**AUSTRALIA – CERTAIN MEASURES CONCERNING TRADEMARKS AND
OTHER PLAIN PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO
TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND PACKAGING**

Request to Join Consultations

Communication from Indonesia

The following communication, dated 20 April 2012, from the delegation of Indonesia to the delegation of Australia, the delegation of Honduras and to the Chairperson of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 4.11 of the DSU.

Pursuant to Article 4.11 of the *Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes*, the Government of the Republic of Indonesia notifies the consulting Members and the Dispute Settlement Body of its desire to be joined in the consultations requested by the Government of Honduras, as a third party in *Australia – Certain Measures Concerning Trademarks and Other Plain Packaging Requirements Applicable to Tobacco Products and Packaging*. This request for consultations was circulated to WTO Members on 10 April 2012 (WT/DS435/1).

Indonesia has a substantial trade interest in this consultation. Indonesia is a major producer and exporter of tobacco and tobacco products worldwide. In particular, Indonesia is a leading cigarettes and tobacco producer and exporter globally.

The Government of Indonesia looks forward to receiving your reply.
