

**UNITED STATES – CONTINUED EXISTENCE AND APPLICATION
OF ZEROING METHODOLOGY**

Agreement under Article 21.3(b) of the DSU

The following communication, dated 2 June 2009, from the delegation of the United States and the delegation of the European Communities to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 21.3(b) of the DSU.

The United States of America and the European Communities wish to inform you that, pursuant to Article 21.3(b) of the *Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes*, we have agreed that the reasonable period of time for the United States to implement the recommendations and rulings of the Dispute Settlement Body ("DSB") in the dispute *United States – Continued Existence and Application of Zeroing Methodology* (WT/DS350) shall be ten (10) months from the date of adoption of the recommendations and rulings of the DSB. Accordingly, the reasonable period of time expires on 19 December 2009.

We request that you circulate this notification to the Members of the DSB.

For the United States

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