

BRAZIL – MEASURES AFFECTING IMPORTS OF RETREADED TYRES

Communication from the Chairman of the Panel

The following communication, dated 21 December 2006, addressed to the Dispute Settlement Body (DSB), is circulated in accordance with Article 12.9 of the *Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes* (DSU).

The Panel on *Brazil – Measures Affecting Imports of Retreaded Tyres* (WT/DS332) indicated in its communication to the DSB of 18 September (WT/DS332/6) that it expected to complete its work in December 2006. However, it will not be possible for the Panel to do so by that time.

The Panel estimates that it will issue its final report to the parties by April 2007.
