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CANADA - MEASURES RELATING TO EXPORTS OF WHEAT AND TREATMENT OF IMPORTED GRAIN

Constitution of the Panel Established at the Request of the United States

Note by the Secretariat

- 1. At its meeting on 11 July 2003 (WT/DSB/M/152), the Dispute Settlement Body (DSB) established a panel pursuant to the request made by the United States in document WT/DS276/9, in accordance with Article 6 of the Dispute Settlement Understanding (DSU).
- 2. At that meeting, the parties to the dispute also agreed that the panel should have standard terms of reference. The terms of reference Panel are the following:

"To examine, in the light of the relevant provisions of the covered agreements cited by the United States in document WT/DS276/9, the matter referred to the DSB by the United States in that document and to make such findings as will assist the DSB in making the recommendations or in giving the rulings provided for in those agreements."

3. On 11 July 2003, the panel was constituted as follows:

Chairperson: Ms. Claudia Orozco

Members: Mr. Alan Matthews

Mr. Hanspeter Tschäni

5. Australia, Chile, China, the European Communities, Japan, Mexico and Chinese Taipei have reserved their third party rights to participate in the Panel's proceedings.