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UNITED STATES – CUSTOMS BOND DIRECTIVE FOR MERCHANDISE SUBJECT TO ANTI-DUMPING/COUNTERVAILING DUTIES

Agreement under Article 21.3(b) of the DSU

The following communication, dated 31 October 2008, from the delegation of the United States and the delegation of India to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 21.3(b) of the DSU.

The Representatives of India and the United States of America wish to inform you that, pursuant to Article 21.3(b) of the *Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes*, they 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 – Customs Bond Directive for Merchandise Subject to Anti-Dumping/Countervailing Duties* (WT/DS345) shall be 8 (eight) months, expiring on 1 April 2009.

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

For the United States

For India

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