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Constitution of the Panel Established at the Request of Pakistan

Note by the Secretariat

- 1. At its meeting on 19 June 2000, the Dispute Settlement Body (DSB) established a panel pursuant to the request of Pakistan (WT/DS192/1), in accordance with Article 6 of the Dispute Settlement Understanding (DSU) (WT/DSB/M/84).
- 2. At that meeting, parties agreed that the panel should have standard terms of reference. The terms of reference of the panel are, therefore, the following:

"To examine, in the light of the relevant provisions of the covered agreements cited by Pakistan in document WT/DS192/1, the matter referred to the DSB by Pakistan 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 30 August 2000, the panel was constituted as follows:

Chairman: Mr. Wilhelm Meier

Members: Mr. Carlos Antônio da Rocha Paranhos

Mr. Virachai Plasai

4. The European Communities and India have reserved third-party rights to participate in the panel proceedings.