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Recourse to Article 21.5 of the DSU by the European Communities

Communication from the Appellate Body

The following communication, dated 14 May 2009, from the Chairman of the Appellate Body addressed to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 17.5 of the *Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes*.

It is my honour to provide to you the Report of the Appellate Body in *United States – Laws, Regulations and Methodology for Calculating Dumping Margins* ("Zeroing") – Recourse to Article 21.5 of the DSU by the European Communities, WT/DS294/AB/RW. It will be circulated to Members of the World Trade Organization at 4.00 p.m. today, in accordance with paragraph 5 of Article 17 of the *Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes*. It is a confidential document until its circulation. The three Members of the Appellate Body who served on this appeal were Mr. Shotaro Oshima, as Presiding Member, Ms. Lilia Bautista and Ms. Jennifer Hillman, as Members.