

WTO/AIR/COMTD/27/REV.1

7 NOVEMBER 2022

SUBJECT: 119TH SESSION OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT

- THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT (QTD) WILL HOLD ITS 119TH REGULAR SESSION ON THURSDAY, 17 NOVEMBER 2022 IN THE CENTRE WILLIAM RAPPARD, IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE CYD'S TENTH DEDICATED SESSION ON PREFERENTIAL TRADE ARRANGEMENTS.
- THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE PROPOSED FOR THE AGENDA: 2.
 - ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA
 - В. **OBSERVERS**
 - REQUEST FOR ATTENDANCE OF AD HOC OBSERVERS (I)
 - (II) FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF REQUESTS FOR OBSERVER STATUS BY THE LEAGUE OF ARAB STATES, THE ORGANIZATION OF THE PETROLEUM EXPORTING COUNTRIES (OPEC), THE GULF ORGANIZATION FOR INDUSTRIAL CONSULTING, THE ORGANISATION INTERNATIONALE DE LA FRANCOPHONIE, THE COMMON FUND FOR COMMODITIES, THE ORGANIZATION OF ARAB PETROLEUM EXPORTING COUNTRIES (OAPEC) AND THE GROUPE DE LA BANQUE AFRICAINE DE DEVELOPPEMENT
 - REPORT OF THE 56TH SESSION OF THE JOINT ADVISORY GROUP ON C. INTERNATIONAL TRADE CENTRE UNCTAD/WTO (ITC/AG(LVI)/288)
 - TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND TRAINING D.
 - UPDATE ON THE WTO CHAIRS PROGRAMME
 - Ε. MINISTERIAL DECLARATION FROM THE TWELFTH MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE ON THE WTO RESPONSE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND PREPAREDNESS FOR FUTURE PANDEMICS (WT/MIN(22)/31 - WT/L/1142)
 - RESPONDING TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND SUPPORTING (T) RESILIENCY - COMMUNICATION FROM THE UNITED STATES (WT/COMTD/W/268)

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- F. TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT WORK IN THE COMMITTEE ON THE BASIS OF THE CHAIRMAN'S CONCLUDING STATEMENT FROM THE EIGHTH MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE (WT/MIN(11)/11)
 - (I) COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT MANDATE: FOCAL POINT FOR CONSIDERATION AND COORDINATION OF WORK ON DEVELOPMENT IN THE WTO PROPOSAL FROM BARBADOS, BELIZE, CHINA, CUBA, ECUADOR, INDIA, AND THE AFRICAN GROUP (WT/COMTD/W/208)
 - (II) OPERATIONALIZATION OF THE CTD'S MANDATE: A PROPOSAL TO DELIVER OUTCOMES BASED ON THE MC8 MANDATE PROPOSAL FROM CHINA, CUBA, ECUADOR, INDIA AND THE AFRICAN GROUP (WT/COMTD/W/192)
- G. NOTIFICATIONS UNDER THE ENABLING CLAUSE
 - (I) GULF COOPERATION COUNCIL (GCC) NOTIFICATION OF CUSTOMS UNION COMMUNICATION FROM CHINA, EGYPT AND INDIA (WT/COMTD/W/175)
- H. ANNUAL REVIEW OF THE STEPS TAKEN TO PROVIDE DUTY-FREE AND QUOTA-FREE MARKET ACCESS TO LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES
- I. WORK PROGRAMME ON ELECTRONIC COMMERCE
 - (I) GLOBAL ELECTRONIC COMMERCE FOR INCLUSIVE DEVELOPMENT COMMUNICATION FROM INDIA AND SOUTH AFRICA (WT/COMTD/W/264)
- J. DRAFT ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2022 (WT/COMTD/W/269)
- K. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING
- L. OTHER BUSINESS
- 3. MEMBERS OF THE WTO, OTHER GOVERNMENTS WITH OBSERVER STATUS AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS GRANTED OBSERVER STATUS FOR THIS MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT ARE REQUESTED TO INFORM THE SECRETARIAT OF THE NAMES OF THEIR REPRESENTATIVES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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