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# REPORT (2021) OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE FACILITATION TO THE COUNCIL FOR TRADE IN GOODS

- 1. The Agreement on Trade Facilitation (TFA) entered into force on 22 February 2017. This report covers the period from 22 October 2020 to 21 October 2021.
- 2. During the period under review, the Committee on Trade Facilitation (TFC) held six formal meetings: on 26 January (G/TFA/M/14); on 3-4 March (G/TFA/M/15); on 22-23 April (G/TFA/M/16); 22-23 June (G/TFA/M/17<sup>1</sup>); 19-20 July (G/TFA/M/18<sup>2</sup>); and on 19 to 21 October (G/TFA/M/19<sup>3</sup>).
- 3. The TFC also held eight informal meetings: on 13 January; 26 February; 3 March; 22 April; 22 June; 19 July; 22 September; and 13 and 19 October.
- 4. The incumbent Chairperson, Ambassador Katrina NAUT (Dominican Republic), departed Geneva in December 2020. As a result, the Chairperson of the Council for Trade in Goods, Ambassador Mikael ANZÉN (Sweden), subsequently chaired the Committee meetings in January on an ad hoc basis. Mr Christopher O'TOOLE (Canada) was selected as Interim Chairperson on 5 February 2021. Mr O'Toole was subsequently elected Chairperson of the Committee for the year 2021-2022 on 30 July 2021, through written procedures.
- 5. During the period under review, the work of the TFC focused on four mains areas: matters relating to the implementation and administration of the TFA; experience sharing/thematic discussions; updates on Members' responses to the COVID-19 pandemic (including the compendium of the measures reported under document G/TFA/W/40/Rev.1) and the first four-year review under article 23.1.6 of the Trade Facilitation Agreement.

# MATTERS RELATING TO THE IMPLEMENTATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF THE TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT (TFA)

6. Two Members notified their domestic ratification of the TFA – the United Kingdom on 1 January 2021 and Liberia on 29 April 2021. This brings to 154 the total number of Members that have ratified the Agreement (94% of the Membership).

#### **Transparency notifications**

7. The Committee undertook a review of notifications received under the TFA at each of its meetings during the period under review. Under Section I of the Agreement, Members are required to submit a number of transparency notifications under articles 1.4 (import, export and transit procedures); 10.4.3 (single window); 10.6.2 (customs brokers) and 12.2.2 (exchange of customs information) During the period under review, the Committee received 36 transparency notifications. A number of Members emphasised that transparency notifications must be notified in a timely manner, in accordance with Members' individual implementation plans. Furthermore, attention was drawn to the need to regularly update transparency notifications with the most recent URLs in order to retain the most up-to-date relevant information.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> To be issued.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Ibid.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> *Ibid*.

#### **Implementation notifications**

- 8. Developing and least developed country Members wishing to invoke the special flexibilities of the TFA are required to do so under Section II of the Agreement (articles 13 to 22). Under Section II, Members are required to notify their implementation commitments to the Committee in accordance with Articles 15 and 16. During the period under review, 28 Members submitted notifications under Article 16 (category B and C designations) and one Member submitted a notification under Article 15 (category A designation).
- 9. In accordance with article 16 of the TFA, the deadline for least developed country Members to present their definitive dates for the implementation of category B provisions was 22 February 2020. In accordance with article 16.2 (b) of the TFA, if a least developed country Member, before this deadline believes it requires additional time to notify its definitive dates, the Member may request that the Committee extend the period sufficiently to notify its dates. During two meetings held on 20 and 28 February 2020, the Committee granted requests from nine least developed country Members<sup>4</sup> to extend the notification deadline. The latest extension granted was 21 February 2021 which falls within the period under review. Three Members submitted their notifications in accordance with their extended deadlines during the period under review. Two Members continue to have outstanding notifications.<sup>5</sup>
- 10. The Committee received thirteen requests for an extension of definitive dates for implementation of category B and C commitments under article 17 of the TFA ("Early Warning Mechanism"). Eight of the requests for extension did not exceed 18 months and were notified in a timely manner therefore, in line with article 17.2 of the TFA, those Members received the requested additional time without any further action by the Committee<sup>6</sup>. No objections were raised to a request from Mongolia (G/TFA/N/MNG/1/Add.1), for an extension exceeding 18 months.
- 11. Four requests for extensions under article 17 did not reach consensus in the Committee and they were not approved. Following discussions on the requests from Peru, Tonga and Ukraine in the Committee meeting of 3 March, the Chair held two small-group consultations on 26 March and 19 April in an effort for the Committee to identify a way forward, not only on these requests, but to reach an understanding regarding notifications under article 17 for the future, if possible.
- 12. Following the consultations, and as a means of assisting Members to avoid missing notification deadlines for requesting extensions under Article 17, it was agreed at the Committee meeting on 22-23 April that the Secretariat would produce an annual evergreen reference document that identified Members with implementation dates over the upcoming two-year period. The document was issued as G/TFA/INF/1 and will be updated annually. In addition, a new reminder functionality was added to the TFA Database Website (<a href="https://tfadatabase.org/implementation/commitments-due-by-date">https://tfadatabase.org/implementation/commitments-due-by-date</a>) where Members can search for due implementation commitments by date, by Member and by measure.
- 13. Article 19 of the TFA allows for developing and least developed country Members to shift notified provisions between categories B and C. During the period under review, the Committee received seven notifications under article 19, three<sup>8</sup> of which reflected shifts of provisions from category B to category C, and four<sup>9</sup> of which indicated shifts of provisions from category C to category B.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Afghanistan, Burkina Faso, Chad, Djibouti, Lao PDR, Mauritania, Senegal, Sierra Leone and the Solomon Islands.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Djibouti and Mauritania

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Botswana (G/TFA/N/BWA/1/Add.2), Dominican Republic (G/TFA/N/DOM/1/Add.2), Ecuador (G/TFA/N/ECU/1/Add.3), Maldives (G/TFA/N/MDV/3/Add.1), Namibia (G/TFA/N/NAM/1/Add.1), Saint Lucia (G/TFA/N/LCA/1/Add.2), Sri Lanka (G/TFA/N/LKA/1/Add.2), and the United Arab Emirates (G/TFA/N/ARE/1/Add.1).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Belize (G/TFA/N/BLZ/1/Add.1), Peru (G/TFA/N/PER/1/Add.1), Tonga (G/TFA/N/TON/1/Add.3) and Ukraine (G/TFA/N/UKR/1/Add.3).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Belize, Maldives and Rwanda.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Belize, Cambodia, Ecuador and Nepal.

#### Notifications regarding technical assistance and capacity building support

14. In accordance with Article 22 and of the TFA, donor Members are required to provide information regarding their provision of support for capacity building (article 22.1) as well as regarding their process and mechanisms through which to receive assistance (article 22.2). During the period under review, five donor Members submitted notifications in accordance with these articles. Article 22.3 requires those Members seeking technical assistance and capacity building support to notify their contact points. Seventeen developing and least developed country Members submitted notifications under article 22.3. Twelve Members notified progress in assistance received and gaps remaining to implement category C commitments.

### **EXPERIENCE SHARING/THEMATIC DISCUSSIONS**

- 15. The Committee holds experience sharing and thematic discussions as part of its regular meetings. During the period under review, Members shared their experiences on items such as (i) Article 1 Publication of Information; (ii) Article 2 Opportunity to Comment, Information before Entry into Force, and Consultations; (iii) Article 3 Advance Rulings and ePhyto solutions; (iv) Article 5 the role of second test procedures; (v) Article 7 Average Release Times and Expedited Shipments; (vi) Article 10 Customs Automation and Single Window; (vii) Article 19 Shifts between categories B and C, and (viii) Article 23 National Trade Facilitation Committees. Members also addressed cross-cutting topics such as public-Private cooperation; MSMEs; and smart governance. More details on the information and experience sharing discussions can be found on the TFA database.<sup>10</sup>
- 16. The period under this review continues to be impacted by the COVID-19 crisis. Consequently, the Committee has continued the practice that it stated at its meeting of 30 September 2020 of Members sharing their experiences with implementing trade facilitating responses to mitigate the COVID-19 crisis.

#### **COMPENDIUM OF SHARING EXPERIENCES RELATED TO THE COVID-19 CRISIS**

17. The Committee, based on an initial EU proposal, agreed  $^{11}$  that the Secretariat would compile a compendium document of the contributions of COVID-19 responses that the Committee on Trade Facilitation Members and Observers have provided the TFC so far. The compendium includes the presentations made by Members and international organizations. It presents the COVID-19 related trade facilitation measures that Members reported to the Committee that they had taken, including the challenges and difficulties addressed by the measure, if mentioned by the Member. To the extent possible, the measures are reported under headings that reproduce Articles 1 to 12 of the TFA. When not possible, the measures are reported as "Other Measures". The Compendium was circulated in G/TFA/W/40/Rev.1. At the meeting of 19-21 October, the EU introduced comments on G/TFA/W/40/Rev.1 in document G/TFA/W/63.

# FIRST FOUR YEAR REVIEW UNDER ARTICLE 23.1.6 OF THE TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT

- 18. Article 23.1.6 states that "The Committee shall review the operation and implementation of this Agreement four years from its entry into force, and periodically thereafter". The Trade Facilitation Agreement entered into force on 22 February 2017, therefore, the first review of the Agreement was required to be carried out this year.
- 19. At its meeting of 3 March 2021, the Committee on Trade Facilitation adopted a calendar and procedure to undertake the First Review (G/TFA/1). The Committee identified mid-November 2021 as the deadline for completion of the review. During the reporting period, in addition to the Committee's regular meetings, the Committee has held four informal dedicated sessions on the review: 19 July, 22 September, 13 October, and 19 October.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> https://tfadatabase.org/trade-facilitation-committee/experience-sharing/all

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Decision agreed to by Members through a silent procedure on 9 April 2021, and with the mandate received in document G/TFA/W/31/Rev.4.

- 20. In accordance with the roadmap, a first draft factual section of the review, which provided information regarding the implementation and operation issues of the Agreement, as determined by Members during the review period, was circulated in document G/TFA/W/41. A number of written textual edits on the draft factual report, as well as new proposals, were received from Members and were circulated in the JOB/TF/227 and JOB/TF/228 document series. These communications were incorporated into draft form into the draft Secretariat's factual report which formed the basis of the draft review, and was circulated as G/TFA/W/41/Rev.1 in August 2021.
- 21. A further revised document, G/TFA/W/41/Rev.2, was circulated on 12 October for consideration at the meeting of 13 October. Following the Committee meeting of 19–21 October, the Secretariat circulated document G/TFA/W/41/Rev.3, which reflected the outcome of the discussions at the September and October small-group consultations plus the regular Committee meeting.

#### TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT FACILITY

- 22. At the Committee meeting of 22 23 April 2021, the United States submitted a proposal calling for the Trade Facilitation Agreement Facility (TFAF) to fall under the purview and direction of the TF Committee as a means to ensure that Committee oversight, direction, and responsibility will provide transparency to the TFAF activities being undertaken, the funding of TFAF, and transparency to Member's assistance by TFAF. 12
- 23. At the Committee's meeting of 20-22 October 2020, the US had requested that TFAF continue to focus only on its grant programme, and not pursue other activities provided for in its operational guidelines including technical assistance, capacity-building and coordination with Annex D partner organizations. During the period under review, the Committee agreed at its meeting of 22-23 April that the Chair would hold consultations in an effort to resolve the current moratorium on technical assistance elements of TFAF's activities.
- 24. The Chair held eight<sup>13</sup> rounds of consultations, four of which were in an open-ended format, and the remainder were small-group meetings. At the Committee meeting of 19-21 October, the Chair reported that work was continuing in the small-group consultations on examining a form of guidance from the TF Committee to set out its relationship with, and to provide some direction and guidelines, to help TFAF. He also reported that, in parallel, the consultations had agreed upon introducing a transparency mechanism comprising a request form on the TFAF website supported by a web-based activity tracker. This mechanism would provide the Committee with a line of sight into what requests were being made to TFAF, and it would also provide an opportunity for other Members to get in touch with the requester to see if they could help out in the delivery of the activity. Resulting from the Committee meeting of 19-21 October, TFAF will be able to accept activity requests from Members for technical assistance and capacity-building support once the request form and web-based tracker are up and running.

#### REPORTING BY TFAF AND OTHER ANNEX D ORGANIZATIONS

25. The TFAF provided oral updates during the Committee meetings of 3–4 March, 22-23 April, 22-23 June, and 19–21 October, on the Facility's activities. The Annex D organizations updated the Committee on their activities at the meeting of 22-23 April 2021. Reports by TFAF and the Annex D organizations plus the International Trade Centre to the Committee's meeting of 19-21 October were circulated in written documents G/TFA/W/66 and G/TFA/W/67.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> G/TFA/W/36.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> 20 May, 9 June, 7 July, 28 July, 15 September, 1 October, 14 October, 20 October.

#### **DEDICATED SESSION ON ASSISTANCE AND CAPACITY BUILDING**

26. On 21 October 2021, the Committee held a dedicated session on assistance and capacity building in line with article 21:4 of the TFA.

### Discussion topics included:

- i. Exchanges on any implementation problems;
- ii. A review of progress in the provision of assistance and support for capacity building to support the implementation of the Trade Facilitation Agreement;
- iii. The sharing of experiences and information on ongoing assistance and support for capacity building and implementation programs, including challenges and successes;
- iv. The review of donor notifications as set forth in article 22 of the TFA; and
- v. The review of the operation of article 21:2 (assistance and support for LDCs).
- 27. Tonga, Cambodia, the EU Commission plus four Member States (Finland, France, Netherlands and Sweden), Japan, and the UK, all took the floor. They were followed by the Annex D partner organizations Global Alliance for Trade Facilitation, ITC, OECD, World Bank Group, WCO, UNTAD who reported on their work to support Members in their implementation of the TFA.<sup>14</sup>

# THE LDC GROUP, CALLED ON DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL SUPPORT TO LDCS FOR NOTIFIED CATEGORY C PROVISIONS. GLOBAL EXPRESS ALLIANCE

- 28. At an informal meeting on 13 January 2020, the Committee considered a request to address the Committee that had been received in October 2020 from the Global Express Association (GEA), which represented DHL, FedEx, and UPS. As agreed at the Committee meeting of 22-23 January 2021, the Chair held consultations between 17 and 24 February on how to engage with the private sector, taking into consideration the request from GEA.
- 29. As a result of the consultations, the Global Express Association hosted a webinar on the margins of the meeting to present to the Committee the different tools and statistics managed by the Association, as well as the issues their members have faced in the context of COVID-19 and the role of the Association in vaccine facilitation. This was the result of a request received in October 2020 from the Global Express Association (GEA), which represented DHL, FedEx, and UPS, to address the Committee.

#### DRAFT ANNUAL REPORT TO THE COUNCIL FOR TRADE IN GOODS

30. The Committee adopted the Annual Report to the Council for Trade in Goods (G/TFA/W/64) and requested the Secretariat to update it to take account of the Committee's October meeting.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> All presentations and statements are to be found on the <u>WTO TFA database</u>.

# ANNEX I: NOTIFICATIONS FROM MEMBERS SINCE THE LAST ANNUAL REPORT UNTIL 22 OCTOBER 2020

# 1 NOTIFICATIONS UNDER ARTICLES 15 AND 16 OF THE TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT

### 1.1 Implementation notifications (categories A, B, C)

Member	Document Symbol	Date of	Area Covered			
		issuance	Category A	Category B	Category C	
Sri Lanka	G/TFA/N/LKA/1/Add.2/Corr.1	29/09/2021			Х	
Botswana	G/TFA/N/BWA/1/Add.2	13/09/2021		Х		
Namibia	G/TFA/N/NAM/1/Add.1	13/09/2021		X	X	
Ecuador	G/TFA/N/ECU/1/Add.3	08/09/2021		Х	Х	
Sri Lanka	G/TFA/N/LKA/1/Add.2	20/08/2021			X	
Saint Lucia	G/TFA/N/LCA/1/Add.2	19/08/2021			Х	
Malaysia	G/TFA/N/MYS/1/Add.2	09/08/2021		X		
Rwanda	G/TFA/N/RWA/1/Add.3	14/07/2021		Х	Х	
Dominican Republic	G/TFA/N/DOM/1/Add.2	25/06/2021		Х	X	
Belize	G/TFA/N/BLZ/1/Add.2	22/06/2021		Х	Х	
Gambia, The	G/TFA/N/GMB/1/Add.2	14/06/2021			X	
Maldives	G/TFA/N/MDV/3/Add.1	14/06/2021		Х	Х	
Paraguay	G/TFA/N/PRY/1/Add.2	12/05/2021			X	
Burundi	G/TFA/N/BDI/1/Add.1	02/03/2021			Х	
Tanzania	G/TFA/N/TZA/2/Add.1	22/02/2021			X	
Burkina Faso	G/TFA/N/BFA/1/Add.3	19/02/2021		Х		
Chad	G/TFA/N/TCD/1/Add.1	19/02/2021		X	X	
Mali	G/TFA/N/MLI/1/Add.2	19/02/2021			Х	
Nepal	G/TFA/N/NPL/1/Add.2	19/02/2021		X	X	
Tonga	G/TFA/N/TON/1/Add.3	19/02/2021		Х		
Bangladesh	G/TFA/N/BGD/1/Add.4	18/02/2021			X	
Lesotho	G/TFA/N/LSO/1/Add.2	18/02/2021			Х	
Sierra Leone	G/TFA/N/SLE/1/Add.2	18/02/2021		X		
Cambodia	G/TFA/N/KHM/1/Add.2	09/02/2021		Х	Х	
Ecuador	G/TFA/N/ECU/1/Add.2	21/01/2021		X	X	
Peru	G/TFA/N/PER/1/Add.1	04/01/2021		Х		
Ukraine	G/TFA/N/UKR/1/Add.3	15/12/2020			X	
Kyrgyz Republic	G/TFA/N/KGZ/2/Add.1/Corr.1	04/11/2020	Х	Х	Х	

# 1.2 Donor arrangements and progress in the provision of Technical Assistance and capacity building support

Member	Document symbol	Date of issuance	Notification type
Rwanda	G/TFA/N/RWA/4	14/07/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Malawi	G/TFA/N/MWI/4	30/06/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Eswatini, Kingdom of	G/TFA/N/SWZ/5	12/05/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Lesotho	G/TFA/N/LSO/2	12/04/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Lao People's Democratic Republic	G/TFA/N/LAO/3	19/03/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress

Member	Document symbol	Date of issuance	Notification type
Madagascar	G/TFA/N/MDG/3/Corr.2	15/03/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Madagascar	G/TFA/N/MDG/3/Corr.1	02/03/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Senegal	G/TFA/N/SEN/4	26/02/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Burundi	G/TFA/N/BDI/2	22/02/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Madagascar	G/TFA/N/MDG/3	22/02/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Cambodia	G/TFA/N/KHM/4	19/02/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Mali	G/TFA/N/MLI/2	19/02/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Niger	G/TFA/N/NER/4	19/02/2021	Donor Arrangements + Progress
Guyana	G/TFA/N/GUY/4	09/11/2020	Donor Arrangements + Progress

# 2 NOTIFICATIONS UNDER ARTICLES 1:4, 10:4:3, 10:6:2 AND 12:2:2 OF THE TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT

Member	Document symbol	Date of		Areas c	reas covered		
		issuance	1.4	10.4.3	10.6.2	12.2.2	
Kenya	G/TFA/N/KEN/3	10/06/2021	Х				
Japan	G/TFA/N/JPN/2/Rev.1	02/06/2021	X	X	X	X	
Mongolia	G/TFA/N/MNG/2/Rev.1	19/05/2021	Х				
European Union	G/TFA/N/EU/1/Add.1/Rev.2	05/05/2021	X	X	X	X	
European Union	G/TFA/N/EU/1/Rev.7	28/04/2021	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Rwanda	G/TFA/N/RWA/3	27/04/2021	X	X		X	
Namibia	G/TFA/N/NAM/3	19/04/2021	Х		Х	Х	
Togo	G/TFA/N/TGO/2	13/04/2021	X	Х	X	X	
Canada	G/TFA/N/CAN/1/Rev.1	12/04/2021	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Eswatini, Kingdom of	G/TFA/N/SWZ/4	31/03/2021	X			X	
Chinese Taipei	G/TFA/N/TPKM/1/Rev.3	31/03/2021	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Hong Kong, China	G/TFA/N/HKG/1/Rev.2	18/03/2021	X	Х			
Macao, China	G/TFA/N/MAC/2/Rev.2	18/03/2021	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Liberia	G/TFA/N/LBR/3	02/03/2021	X	X	X		
Morocco	G/TFA/N/MAR/2/Rev.1	02/03/2021	Х	Х	Х		
Cambodia	G/TFA/N/KHM/5	23/02/2021	X	X			
Mali	G/TFA/N/MLI/3	19/02/2021				Х	
European Union	G/TFA/N/EU/1/Rev.6	19/02/2021	X	X	X	X	
Mongolia	G/TFA/N/MNG/2/Add.1/Rev.1	09/02/2021			Х	Х	
Uruguay	G/TFA/N/URY/2/Rev.2	27/01/2021	X	X	X	X	
Myanmar	G/TFA/N/MMR/2	21/01/2021	Х				
Trinidad and Tobago	G/TFA/N/TTO/4	15/01/2021		X			
United Kingdom	G/TFA/N/GBR/2	14/01/2021	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Barbados	G/TFA/N/BRB/2	05/01/2021			X	X	
Kyrgyz Republic	G/TFA/N/KGZ/1/Rev.2	08/12/2020	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Tanzania	G/TFA/N/TZA/3	02/12/2020	X	X	X	X	
Argentina	G/TFA/N/ARG/2/Rev.3/Corr.1	20/11/2020	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Dominica	G/TFA/N/DMA/2	16/11/2020	X		X	X	
European Union	G/TFA/N/EU/1/Rev.5	05/11/2020	Х	Х	Х	Х	

Member	Document symbol	Date of	Areas covered			
	issuance		1.4	10.4.3	10.6.2	12.2.2
United States	G/TFA/N/USA/1/Rev.1	26/10/2020	Х	Х	Х	Х
Samoa	G/TFA/N/WSM/2	30/06/2021	Х		Х	Х
Lesotho	G/TFA/N/LSO/4	14/07/2021	Χ		X	
Ukraine	G/TFA/N/UKR/3/Rev.1	03/08/2021	Х	Х	Х	Х
Singapore	G/TFA/N/SGP/1/Rev.1	13/09/2021	Χ	X	X	X
Tonga	G/TFA/N/TON/3	16/09/2021	Х		Х	Х
Ecuador	G/TFA/N/ECU/4/Rev.1	27/09/2021				X

# **3 NOTIFICATIONS UNDER ARTICLE 22 OF THE TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT BY DONOR MEMBERS**

### 3.1 Donor

Member	Document symbol	Date of issuance	Notification type
Switzerland	G/TFA/N/CHE/4	16/09/2021	Articles 22.1 and/or 22.2
United States	G/TFA/N/USA/5	08/06/2021	Articles 22.1 and/or 22.2
Japan	G/TFA/N/JPN/6	05/05/2021	Articles 22.1 and/or 22.2
Australia	G/TFA/N/AUS/5	31/03/2021	Articles 22.1 and/or 22.2
United Kingdom	G/TFA/N/GBR/1	05/01/2021	Articles 22.1 and/or 22.2

### 3.2 Developing and least developed country Members

Member	Document symbol	Date of issuance	Notification type
Lesotho	G/TFA/N/LSO/3	21/06/2021	Article 22.3
Kenya	G/TFA/N/KEN/2	10/06/2021	Article 22.3
Zimbabwe	G/TFA/N/ZWE/2	03/06/2021	Article 22.3
Egypt	G/TFA/N/EGY/3	25/05/2021	Article 22.3
Afghanistan	G/TFA/N/AFG/2/Corr.1	12/05/2021	Article 22.3
Afghanistan	G/TFA/N/AFG/2	05/05/2021	Article 22.3
Mongolia	G/TFA/N/MNG/3/Rev.1	27/04/2021	Article 22.3
Rwanda	G/TFA/N/RWA/2	27/04/2021	Article 22.3
Namibia	G/TFA/N/NAM/2	13/04/2021	Article 22.3
Lao People's Democratic Republic	G/TFA/N/LAO/4	19/03/2021	Article 22.3
Democratic Republic of the Congo	G/TFA/N/COD/2	02/03/2021	Article 22.3
Morocco	G/TFA/N/MAR/3	02/03/2021	Article 22.3
Chad	G/TFA/N/TCD/2	24/02/2021	Article 22.3
Liberia	G/TFA/N/LBR/2	23/02/2021	Article 22.3
Niger	G/TFA/N/NER/3	23/02/2021	Article 22.3
Mali	G/TFA/N/MLI/4	19/02/2021	Article 22.3
Cuba	G/TFA/N/CUB/3	27/01/2021	Article 22.3
Madagascar	G/TFA/N/MDG/2	13/11/2020	Article 22.3