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Committee on Market Access

MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON MARKET ACCESS 9 APRIL 2019

CHAIRPERSON: MS ZSÓFIA TVARUSKÓ (HUNGARY)

The Committee <u>adopted</u> the agenda as reproduced in document WTO/AIR/MA/9.

1 INTRODUCTION OF HARMONIZED SYSTEM 2017 CHANGES TO SCHEDULES OF CONCESSIONS USING THE CTS DATABASE (WT/L/995) - NOTES ON METHODOLOGY (JOB/MA/135/REV.1)

1.1. The <u>Chairperson</u> drew Members' attention to the document that had been prepared by the Secretariat, entitled "Transposition of Members' CTS Files to the HS2017 Nomenclature: Notes on Methodology", which had been circulated as document JOB/MA/135/Rev.1. The Chair noted that this new version of the document had been updated to take into account the proposal that had been made by China at the Committee's informal meeting of 21 February 2019.

1.2. The representative of the <u>Republic of Korea</u> informed the Committee that, further to its consultations with China on this issue, it was now in a position to support the proposal's adoption.

1.3. The Committee <u>approved</u> the Notes on Methodology set out in document JOB/MA/135/Rev.1 and took note of the Chairperson's comments and of the statement made.

2 OTHER BUSINESS

2.1 Date of the Next Meeting

2.1. The Committee <u>took note</u> of the date of its next formal meeting, which had been scheduled for Tuesday, 28 May 2019.

2.2. The meeting was <u>adjourned</u>.