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RUSSIAN FEDERATION – MEASURES ON THE IMPORTATION OF LIVE PIGS, PORK AND OTHER PIG PRODUCTS FROM THE EUROPEAN UNION

RECOURSE TO ARTICLE 21.5 OF THE DSU BY THE EUROPEAN UNION

CONSTITUTION OF THE PANEL ESTABLISHED AT THE REQUEST OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

NOTE BY THE SECRETARIAT

- 1. At its meeting on 21 November 2018, the Dispute Settlement Body (DSB) agreed, pursuant to Article 21.5 of the Dispute Settlement Understanding (DSU), to refer to the original panel, if possible, the matter raised by the European Union in document WT/DS475/21.
- 2. The Panel's terms of reference are the following:

To examine, in the light of the relevant provisions of the covered agreements cited by the parties to the dispute, the matter referred to the DSB by the European Union in document WT/DS475/21 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. The Panel is composed as follows:

Chairperson: Mr Mohammad Saeed

Members: Ms Delilah Cabb Ayala

Mr Juan Antonio Dorantes

4. Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, India, Japan, Kazakhstan, Chinese Taipei, Ukraine, and the United States, have reserved their rights to participate in the Panel proceedings as third parties.