

DISPUTE SETTLEMENT BODY**ANNUAL REPORT (2022)**

The Report was prepared pursuant to the Procedures for an Annual Overview of WTO Activities and for Reporting under the WTO (WT/L/105) and sets out the actions taken by the Dispute Settlement Body (DSB) in the period since its previous Annual Report.¹

In carrying out its tasks, the DSB held 16 meetings since the period covered by the previous Report. The minutes of these meetings, which remain the record of the DSB's work, are contained in documents WT/DSB/M/458 – WT/DSB/M/473² and should be read in conjunction with this Report.

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¹ WT/DSB/83.

² This Report includes activities that took place during meetings of the DSB from 29 November 2021 through 28 November 2022.

1 ELECTION OF CHAIRPERSON

1.1. At its meeting on 28 February 2022, the DSB elected by acclamation H.E. Dr. Athaliah Lesiba Molokomme (Botswana) as Chairperson of the DSB (WT/DSB/M/461). The following delegations made statements: the European Union; Colombia; Canada; Japan; Korea; the United States; Norway; Indonesia; the Russian Federation; Hong Kong, China; Mexico; Brazil; China; Tunisia; India; United Kingdom; Nigeria, on behalf of the African Group; Thailand; Singapore; Australia; Türkiye; Chinese Taipei and Guatemala.

2 APPOINTMENT OF APPELLATE BODY MEMBERS

2.1. Regarding the selection processes to appoint new Appellate Body members:

- At the 29 November 2021 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.20. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; Iceland; the European Union; China; Hong Kong, China; Japan; Norway; Switzerland; India; Indonesia; the Russian Federation; Singapore; United Kingdom; Canada; New Zealand; Brazil; Thailand; Malaysia; Australia; Korea; Mexico; Chad, on behalf of the LDC Group; Nigeria, on behalf of the African Group and Cambodia. The Chairman said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/458).
- At the 20 December 2021 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.20. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; the European Union; Japan; Morocco; India; China; Indonesia; Canada; the United Kingdom; the Russian Federation; Thailand; Brazil; Norway; Switzerland; New Zealand; Iceland; Korea; Australia; Singapore; Malaysia and Mexico. The Chairman said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/459).
- At the 25 January 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.20. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the European Union; Canada; the United States; Brazil; China; United Kingdom; Norway; New Zealand; Nigeria, on behalf of the African Group; the Philippines; Indonesia; Australia; Korea; Japan; India; the Russian Federation; Hong Kong, China; Singapore; Switzerland; Thailand; Malaysia and Mexico. The Chairman said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/460).
- At the 28 February 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.21. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; the United Kingdom; India; Brazil; Canada; Nigeria, on behalf of the African Group; Japan; Korea; New Zealand; China; Norway; Switzerland; Indonesia; Singapore; Malaysia; the Russian Federation; Türkiye; Australia; the European Union; Ukraine; Hong Kong, China and Mexico. The Chairman said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/461).
- At the 28 March 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.21. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the European Union; the United States; the United Kingdom; Canada; Korea; New Zealand; Nigeria, on behalf of the African Group; China; Australia; Hong Kong, China; Japan; the Russian Federation; Norway; Singapore;

Malaysia; Thailand; Switzerland; Brazil; Indonesia and Mexico. The Chairperson said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/462 and Corr.1).

- At the 27 April 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.21. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; Ukraine; Australia; Canada; the United Kingdom; St. Vincent & the Grenadines, on behalf of the OECS; Norway; New Zealand; Switzerland; Nigeria, on behalf of the African Group; Iceland; Botswana; Chinese Taipei; Malaysia; Thailand; Brazil; China; Japan; Indonesia; Hong Kong, China; Korea; the European Union; Singapore; the Russian Federation and Mexico. The Chairperson said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/464).
- At the 31 May 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.21. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; Brazil; Canada; China; Indonesia; the United Kingdom; the Russian Federation; Hong Kong, China; New Zealand; Australia; Norway; Switzerland; Japan; Korea; Singapore; the European Union and Mexico. The Chairperson said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/465).
- At the 30 June 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.21. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; Brazil; Canada; the United Kingdom; New Zealand; Korea; St. Vincent & the Grenadines, on behalf of the OECS; Norway; Japan; China; Switzerland; Malaysia; the Russian Federation; Australia; Peru; Thailand; Singapore; the European Union; South Africa; Hong Kong, China; the Philippines; Guatemala and Mexico. The Chairperson said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/466).
- At the 21 July 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.21. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; the United Kingdom; Brazil; China; Switzerland; Hong Kong, China; the European Union; Canada; Korea; Norway; Indonesia; Singapore; Iceland; the Russian Federation; Japan; New Zealand; Thailand; Malaysia; Australia and Mexico. The Chairperson said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/468).
- At the 29 August 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.22. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; the United Kingdom; Brazil; the European Union; Canada; China; New Zealand; Nigeria, on behalf of the African Group; St. Vincent & the Grenadines, on behalf of the ACP and the OECS; Hong Kong, China; Switzerland; Iceland; Norway; Singapore; Thailand; Japan; Korea; Indonesia; Australia; South Africa; Malaysia; the Russian Federation and Mexico. The Chairperson said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/469).
- At the 23 September 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.23. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements:

Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; Canada; China; Brazil; Ukraine; New Zealand; Hong Kong, China; Norway; Thailand; United Kingdom; Antigua & Barbuda, on behalf of the OECS; Japan; the European Union; Switzerland; Indonesia; Singapore; Korea; Peru; Nigeria, on behalf of the African Group; Iceland; Malaysia; the Philippines; Australia; the Russian Federation and Mexico. The Chairperson said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/470).

- At the 26 October 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.23. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; Canada; Brazil; Norway; United Kingdom; Hong Kong, China; New Zealand; Korea; the Russian Federation; the European Union; Peru; Nigeria, on behalf of the African Group; Indonesia; Singapore; Switzerland; Japan; China; Australia; St. Vincent & the Grenadines, on behalf of the OECS; Thailand; Malaysia; Moldova and Mexico. The Chairperson said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/472).
- At the 28 November 2022 DSB meeting, Mexico, on behalf of the proponents, submitted a joint proposal on AB selection processes contained in document WT/DSB/W/609/Rev.23. No consensus was reached on this matter. The following delegations made statements: Mexico, on behalf of the proponents; the United States; Canada; Brazil; the United Kingdom; Ukraine; the European Union; Japan; China; New Zealand; Hong Kong, China; Norway; Indonesia; the Russian Federation; Peru; Malaysia; Switzerland; South Africa; Korea; Australia; Thailand and Mexico. The Chairperson said that the DSB would take note of the statements expressing the respective positions, which would be reflected in the minutes of the present meeting (WT/DSB/M/473).

3 INDICATIVE LIST OF GOVERNMENTAL AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL PANELISTS

3.1. During the period under review, the DSB approved a total of seven new nominations for inclusion on the Indicative List of Governmental and Non-Governmental Panelists, in accordance with Article 8.4 of the DSU. The names are contained in document: WT/DSB/W/689, WT/DSB/W/696, WT/DSB/W/698, WT/DSB/W/700 and WT/DSB/W/708. The DSB approved the nominations at its meetings on 29 November 2021 (WT/DSB/M/458), 27 April 2022 (WT/DSB/M/464), 31 May 2022 (WT/DSB/M/465), 30 June 2022 (WT/DSB/M/466) and 26 October 2022 (WT/DSB/M/472).

3.2. The DSB approved the following new names for the Indicative List: (i) Kazakhstan – Ms. Aray Kassabekova; (ii) Kenya – Ms. Pauline W. Mcharo and Mr. Wilfred N. Nderitu (iii) Qatar – Mr. Ahmed Al-Sulaiti; (iv) Kingdom of Saudi Arabia – Mr. Saqer Almoqbel and Mr. Sultan Alsharif; and (v) Tunisia – Mr. Issam Yahyaoui.

4 ADOPTION OF THE 2022 DRAFT ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DSB

4.1. At the 28 November 2022 DSB meeting, the draft Annual Report of the DSB for 2022 contained in document WT/DSB/W/707 was adopted by the DSB as amended during that meeting, on the understanding that it would be further updated by the Secretariat in order to include the actions taken by the DSB at its meeting held on 28 November 2022. The updated and revised Report would be submitted for consideration by the General Council at its meeting on 19 and 20 December 2022 so that the General Council could take note of the Report (WT/DSB/M/473).

5 ESTABLISHMENT OF PANELS AND REQUESTS FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF PANELS

5.1. During the period under review, the DSB established three Panels in accordance with Article 6 of the DSU. These actions are described below with reference to each of the disputes in question:

- "Russian Federation – Certain Measures Concerning Domestic and Foreign Products and Services": The DSB considered, for the first time, the European Union's panel request at its meeting on 29 November 2021 (WT/DS604/2; WT/DSB/M/458). The European Union

and the Russian Federation made statements. The DSB considered this matter, for the second time, at its meeting on 20 December 2021 and agreed to establish a panel in accordance with the provisions of Article 6 of the DSU, with standard terms of reference (WT/DSB/M/459). The European Union and the Russian Federation made statements. The following delegations reserved third-party rights to participate in the Panel's proceedings: Australia; Brazil; Canada; China; Colombia; India; Japan; Korea; Moldova; Switzerland; Ukraine; United Kingdom and the United States.

- "Dominican Republic – Anti-Dumping Measures on Corrugated Steel Bars": The DSB considered, for the first time, Costa Rica's panel request at its meeting on 29 November 2021 (WT/DS605/2; WT/DSB/M/458). Costa Rica and the Dominican Republic made statements. The DSB considered this matter, for the second time, at its meeting on 20 December 2021 and agreed to establish a panel in accordance with the provisions of Article 6 of the DSU, with standard terms of reference (WT/DSB/M/459). Costa Rica and the Dominican Republic made statements. The following delegations reserved third-party rights to participate in the Panel's proceedings: Canada; China; the European Union; India; Japan; the Russian Federation and the United States.
- "Australia – Anti-Dumping and Countervailing Duty Measures on Certain Products from China": The DSB considered, for the first time, China's panel request at its meeting on 25 January 2022 (WT/DS603/2; WT/DSB/M/460). China and Australia made statements. The DSB considered this matter, for the second time, at its meeting on 28 February 2022 and agreed to establish a panel in accordance with the provisions of Article 6 of the DSU, with standard terms of reference (WT/DSB/M/461). China and Australia made statements. The following delegations reserved third-party rights to participate in the Panel's proceedings: Argentina; Brazil; Canada; the European Union; India; Japan; Malaysia; Mexico; Korea; Norway; the Russian Federation; Singapore; Switzerland; Chinese Taipei; United Kingdom; the United States and Viet Nam.

6 ADOPTION OF PANEL REPORTS

6.1. During the period covered by this Report, the DSB adopted three Panel Reports:

- "United States – Anti-Dumping and Countervailing Duties on Ripe Olives From Spain": The DSB adopted the Panel Report contained in WT/DS577/R and Add.1, at its meeting on 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459). The following delegations made statements: the European Union; the United States and Canada.
- "Costa Rica – Measures Concerning the Importation of Fresh Avocados from Mexico": The DSB adopted the Panel Report contained in WT/DS524/R and Add.1, at its meeting on 31 May 2022 (WT/DSB/M/465). The following delegations made statements: Mexico; Costa Rica; the United States and the European Union.
- "European Union – Safeguard Measures on Certain Steel Products": The DSB adopted the Panel Report contained in WT/DS595/R and Add.1, at its meeting on 31 May 2022 (WT/DSB/M/465). The following delegations made statements: Türkiye; the European Union; the United States and Korea.

7 STATEMENTS OF INTENTIONS WITH RESPECT TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DSB RECOMMENDATIONS AND RULINGS

7.1. The DSB took note of Members' statements of intentions with respect to the implementation of the DSB recommendations and rulings in connection with two disputes:

- "United States – Anti-Dumping and Countervailing Duties on Ripe Olives from Spain": The United States informed the DSB in writing of its intentions in respect of implementation of the recommendations and rulings of the DSB in this dispute on 19 January 2022 (WT/DS577/10). The United States further confirmed its intentions at the DSB meeting on

25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460). The following delegations made statements: the United States, the European Union and Canada.

- "European Union – Safeguard Measures on Certain Steel Products": The European Union informed the DSB of its intentions in respect of implementation of the recommendations and rulings of the DSB in this dispute at the DSB meeting on 30 June 2022 (DS595; WT/DSB/M/466). The following delegations made statements: the European Union and Türkiye.

8 STATUS REPORTS ON PROGRESS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS ADOPTED BY THE DSB

8.1. The DSB received status reports with respect to implementation of DSB rulings and recommendations during the period considered in this Report with regard to six matters as follows:

- "United States – Anti-Dumping Measures on Certain Hot-Rolled Steel Products from Japan": Status reports by the United States (WT/DS184/15/Add.221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232 and 233) were submitted at the DSB meetings held on 29 November 2021 (WT/DSB/M/458), 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459), 25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460), 28 February 2022 (WT/DSB/M/461), 28 March 2022 (WT/DSB/M/462 and Corr.1), 27 April 2022 (WT/DSB/M/464), 31 May 2022 (WT/DSB/M/465), 30 June 2022 (WT/DSB/M/466), 21 July 2022 (WT/DSB/M/468), 29 August 2022 (WT/DSB/M/469), 23 September 2022 (WT/DSB/M/470), 26 October 2022 (WT/DSB/M/472) and 28 November 2022 (WT/DSB/M/473). In the course of the period covered by this report, statements on this matter were made by the United States (13 times) and Japan (13).
- "United States – Section 110(5) of the US Copyright Act": Status reports by the United States (WT/DS160/24/Add.196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207 and 208) were submitted at the DSB meetings held on 29 November 2021 (WT/DSB/M/458), 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459), 25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460), 28 February 2022 (WT/DSB/M/461), 28 March 2022 (WT/DSB/M/462 and Corr.1), 27 April 2022 (WT/DSB/M/464), 31 May 2022 (WT/DSB/M/465), 30 June 2022 (WT/DSB/M/466), 21 July 2022 (WT/DSB/M/468), 29 August 2022 (WT/DSB/M/469), 23 September 2022 (WT/DSB/M/470), 26 October 2022 (WT/DSB/M/472) and 28 November 2022 (WT/DSB/M/473). In the course of the period covered by this report, statements on this matter were made by the United States (13 times) and the European Union (13).
- "European Communities – Measures Affecting the Approval and Marketing of Biotech Products": Status reports by the European Union (WT/DS291/37/Add.159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170 and 171) were submitted at the DSB meetings held on 29 November 2021 (WT/DSB/M/458), 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459), 25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460), 28 February 2022 (WT/DSB/M/461), 28 March 2022 (WT/DSB/M/462 and Corr.1), 27 April 2022 (WT/DSB/M/464), 31 May 2022 (WT/DSB/M/465), 30 June 2022 (WT/DSB/M/466), 21 July 2022 (WT/DSB/M/468), 29 August 2022 (WT/DSB/M/469), 23 September 2022 (WT/DSB/M/470), 26 October 2022 (WT/DSB/M/472) and 28 November 2022 (WT/DSB/M/473). In the course of the period covered by this report, statements on this matter were made by the European Union (13 times) and the United States (13).
- "United States – Anti-Dumping and Countervailing Measures on Large Residential Washers from Korea": Status reports by United States (WT/DS464/17/Add. 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54 and 55) were submitted at the DSB meetings held on 29 November 2021 (WT/DSB/M/458), 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459), 25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460), 28 February 2022 (WT/DSB/M/461), 28 March 2022 (WT/DSB/M/462 and Corr.1), 27 April 2022 (WT/DSB/M/464), 31 May 2022 (WT/DSB/M/465), 30 June 2022 (WT/DSB/M/466), 21 July 2022 (WT/DSB/M/468), 29 August 2022 (WT/DSB/M/469), 23 September 2022 (WT/DSB/M/470), 26 October 2022 (WT/DSB/M/472) and 28 November 2022 (WT/DSB/M/473). In the

course of the period covered by this report, statements on this matter were made by the United States (13 times), Korea (13) and Canada (13).

- "United States – Certain Methodologies and their Application to Anti-Dumping Proceedings Involving China": Status reports by the United States (WT/DS471/17/Add.35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46 and 47) were submitted at the DSB meetings held on 29 November 2021 (WT/DSB/M/458), 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459), 25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460), 28 February 2022 (WT/DSB/M/461), 28 March 2022 (WT/DSB/M/462 and Corr.1), 27 April 2022 (WT/DSB/M/464), 31 May 2022 (WT/DSB/M/465), 30 June 2022 (WT/DSB/M/466), 21 July 2022 (WT/DSB/M/468), 29 August 2022 (WT/DSB/M/469), 23 September 2022 (WT/DSB/M/470), 26 October 2022 (WT/DSB/M/472) and 28 November 2022 (WT/DSB/M/473). In the course of the period covered by this report, statements on this matter were made by the United States (13 times) and China (13).
- "Indonesia – Importation of Horticultural Products, Animals and Animal Products": Status reports by Indonesia (WT/DS477/21–WT/DS478/22 Add. 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42) were submitted at the DSB meetings held on 29 November 2021 (WT/DSB/M/458), 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459), 25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460), 28 February 2022 (WT/DSB/M/461), 28 March 2022 (WT/DSB/M/462 and Corr.1), 27 April 2022 (WT/DSB/M/464), 31 May 2022 (WT/DSB/M/465), 30 June 2022 (WT/DSB/M/466), 21 July 2022 (WT/DSB/M/468), 29 August 2022 (WT/DSB/M/469), 23 September 2022 (WT/DSB/M/470), 26 October 2022 (WT/DSB/M/472) and 28 November 2022 (WT/DSB/M/473). In the course of the period covered by this report, statements on this matter were made by Indonesia (13 times), New Zealand (13) and the United States (13).

9 MATTERS RAISED BY MEMBERS PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 21.6 OF THE DSU (SURVEILLANCE AND IMPLEMENTATION)

9.1. The DSB considered at several meetings the implementation of the DSB recommendations and rulings with respect to two matters:

- "United States – Continued Dumping and Subsidy Offset Act of 2000" (DS217; DS234): the European Union raised the implementation of the DSB's recommendations and rulings in these disputes at the DSB meetings held on 29 November 2021 (WT/DSB/M/458), 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459) and 25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460). In the course of the period covered by this report, the following delegations made statements: The European Union (3 times) and the United States (3).
- "European Communities and Certain Member States – Measures Affecting Trade in Large Civil Aircraft" (DS316): The United States raised the implementation of the DSB recommendations and rulings in this dispute at the DSB meetings held on 29 November 2021 (WT/DSB/M/458), 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459) and 25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460). In the course of the period covered by this report, the following delegations made statements: The United States (3 times) and the European Union (3).

10 OTHER MATTERS

10.1. A variety of other matters were raised in the DSB:

10.2. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 29 November 2021 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/458), the Chairman made a short report regarding his consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 20 December 2021 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/459), the Chairman made a short report regarding his consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 25 January 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/460), the Chairman made a short report regarding his consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 28 February 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/461), the Chairman

made a short report regarding his consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 28 March 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/462 and Corr.1), the Chairperson made a short report regarding her consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 27 April 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/464), the Chairperson made a short report regarding her consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 31 May 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/465), the Chairperson made a short report regarding her consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 30 June 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/466), the Chairperson made a short report regarding her consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 21 July 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/468), the Chairperson made a short report regarding her consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 29 August 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/469), the Chairperson made a short report regarding her consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 23 September 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/470), the Chairperson made a short report regarding her consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 26 October 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/472), the Chairperson made a short report regarding her consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party. Prior to the adoption of the proposed Agenda of the 28 November 2022 DSB meeting (WT/DSB/M/473), the Chairperson made a short report regarding her consultations on the DS574 dispute with each interested party.

10.3. At the DSB meeting held on 29 November 2021 (WT/DSB/M/458), Tunisia reported on its consultations with Morocco regarding the dispute on: "Morocco – Definitive Anti-Dumping Measures on School Exercise Books from Tunisia" (DS578). At the DSB meeting held on 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459), Tunisia raised the matter regarding the status of the consultations in the DS578 dispute. Morocco also made a statement under this Agenda item. At the DSB meeting held on 25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460), Tunisia raised the matter regarding the status of the consultations in the DS578 dispute.

10.4. At the DSB meeting held on 20 December 2021 (WT/DSB/M/459), Ambassador George Mina of Australia, the Facilitator in the DS371 dispute, "Thailand – Customs and Fiscal Measures on Cigarettes from the Philippines", made a progress report on the DS371 Facilitator-assisted discussions in the DS371 dispute. At the DSB meeting held on 30 June 2022 (WT/DSB/M/466), Ambassador George Mina of Australia, the Facilitator in the DS371 dispute, made a report on progress in the discussions between the parties. Thailand and the Philippines made statements on this matter.

10.5. At the DSB meeting held on 25 January 2022 (WT/DSB/M/460), Brazil, Australia and Guatemala made statements regarding the Panel Report in the disputes: "India – Measures Concerning Sugar and Sugarcane" (DS579; DS580; DS581). The following delegations also made statements on this matter: India, Canada, the European Union and the Russian Federation.

10.6. Decisions proposed by the parties to the dispute approving the extension of the time-period for DSB adoption of Panel Reports by negative consensus in order to allow time for further discussions:

- At the DSB meeting held on 8 April 2022 (WT/DSB/M/463), pursuant to the joint request by Korea and the United States, the DSB adopted a draft decision, as set out in document WT/DS546/8 pertaining to the dispute: "United States – Safeguard Measure on Imports of Large Residential Washers". The representatives of Korea and the United States made statements.
- At the DSB meeting held on 7 July 2022 (WT/DSB/M/467), pursuant to the joint request by Korea and the United States, the DSB adopted a draft decision, as set out in document WT/DS546/9 pertaining to the dispute: "United States – Safeguard Measure on Imports of Large Residential Washers". The representatives of Korea and the United States made statements.
- At the DSB meeting held on 5 October 2022 (WT/DSB/M/471), pursuant to the joint request by Korea and the United States, the DSB adopted a draft decision, as set out in document

WT/DS546/10 pertaining to the dispute: "United States – Safeguard Measure on Imports of Large Residential Washers". The representatives of Korea and the United States made statements.

10.7. At the DSB meeting held on 29 August 2022 (WT/DSB/M/469), Türkiye made a statement regarding its intentions with regard to the implementation of the recommendations and rulings in the DS583 dispute: "Türkiye – Certain Measures Concerning the Production, Importation and Marketing of Pharmaceutical Products". The European Union and the United States also made statements on this matter.

11 CONCLUSION

11.1. This brief overview demonstrates that, during the period from 29 November 2021 through 28 November 2022, the DSB was called upon to consider a variety of significant matters and took a number of important decisions. As set out in detail above, the DSB approved a total of seven new nominations proposed for inclusion on the Indicative List of Governmental and Non-Governmental Panelists. It established three Panels in accordance with Article 6 of the DSU. As part of its surveillance function, the DSB considered status reports on implementation with regard to six matters.
