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Committee on Regional Trade Agreements

FREE TRADE AGREEMENT BETWEEN CANADA AND COSTA RICA

Terms of Reference of the Examination

Terms of Reference adopted on 13 March 2003

"To examine, in light of the relevant provisions of the GATT 1994, the Free Trade Agreement between Canada and Costa Rica and to submit a report to the Council for Trade in Goods".

Understanding read out by the Chairman of the Council for Trade in Goods at its meeting of 13 March 2003

It is understood that the understanding read out by the Chairman of the Council for Trade in Goods under Item 7 of the agenda of the meeting of the Council for Trade in Goods on 20 February 1995, as contained in document WT/REG3/1, will apply *mutatis mutandis* to the examination of the agreement. It is also understood that, during the examination, due account will be taken of the intrinsic differences between customs unions and free-trade areas.
