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**NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES AFFECTING THE IMPLEMENTATION
OF A REGIONAL TRADE AGREEMENT**

Addendum

AAP.PC 11 (Articles 7 and 8 of the TM80)

1. Member(s) notifying: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru and Venezuela.
2. Date of notification: 3 November 1999
3. Notification pursuant to: <input type="checkbox"/> Article XXIV:7(a) of GATT 1994 <input type="checkbox"/> Article V:7(a) of GATS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paragraph 4(a) of the Enabling Clause
4. Parties to the Agreement: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru and Venezuela
5. Date of signature: 8 December 1997
6. Date(s) of entry into force: 30 July 1998 (Currently not in force)
7. Brief description of the Agreement: <p>AAP.PC 11 (Articles 7 and 8 of the TM80)</p> <p>Partial Scope Trade Promotion Agreement No. 11 (AAP.PC 11) adopts the Framework Agreement for the Promotion of Trade by Overcoming Technical Barriers to Trade. It seeks to prevent the elaboration, adoption and application of technical regulations and technical standards and conformity assessments that constitute unnecessary technical obstacles to intraregional trade.</p> <p>In addition, the parties reaffirm their rights and obligations as set out in the Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT) of the World Trade Organization (WTO).</p> <p>The AAP.PC 11 was originally signed by Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru and Venezuela. With the accession of Uruguay and Cuba, as of 2001 it became a Regional Agreement (AAR.OTC 8).</p>

8. Text and related schedules, annexes and protocols are:

- ☐ submitted to the WTO Secretariat (electronic format)
☒ available from the following official Internet link(s):

<http://www.aladi.org/nsfaladi/histtextacdos.nsf/daba1a392a780cad83257e29004df0cb/61f773d93d690d8e03257665005c4952?OpenDocument>