- (2) Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, this Agreement or any action taken under it shall not affect or nullify the rights and obligations of a Party under existing agreements to which it is a party.
- (3) The Parties shall endeavour to refrain from increasing restrictions or limitations that would affect the application of this Agreement.
- (4) Any ASEAN Member State may defer its participation in the implementation of this Agreement provided that a notification is given to the other parties within twelve (12) months from the date of signing of this Agreement. Any extension of the negotiated concessions to such ASEAN Member State shall be voluntary on the part of the parties participating in such implementation. The ASEAN Member State concerned shall participate in the implementation of this Agreement at a later date on the same terms and conditions, including any further commitments that may have been undertaken by the other parties by the time of such participation.

## ARTICLE 14

Amendments

The provisions of this Agreement may be modified through amendments mutually agreed upon in writing by the Parties.

## ARTICLE 15

Depository

For the ASEAN Member States, this Agreement shall be deposited with the Secretary-General of ASEAN, who shall promptly furnish a certified copy thereof to India and each ASEAN Member State.

## ARTICLE 16

Entry into Force

- (1) This Agreement shall enter into force on 1 July 2004.
- (2) The Parties undertake to complete their internal procedures for the entry into force of this Agreement prior to 1 July 2004.
- (3) Where a Party is unable to complete its internal procedures for the entry into force of this Agreement by 1 July 2004, the Agreement shall come into force for that Party upon the date of notification of the completion of its internal procedures. The Party concerned, however, shall be bound by the same terms and conditions, including any further commitments that may have been undertaken by the other Parties under this Agreement by the time of such notification.
- (4) A Party shall upon the completion of its internal procedures for the entry into force of this Agreement notify all the other parties in writing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WE have signed this Framework Agreement on Comprehensive Economic Cooperation between the Republic of India and the Association of South East Asian

Nations.

DONE at Bali, this 8th day of October, 2003 in duplicate copies in the English Language. For the Republic of India

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For Brunei Darussalam

Code Description

- 1 160413 Sardines, sardinella and brisling or sprats, whole or in pieces
- 2 160414 Tunas, skipjack and atlantic bonito, prepared or preserved
- 3 180400 Cocoa butter, fat and oil
- 4 180500 Cocoa powder, not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter

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5 200820 Pineapples, prepared or preserved
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- 6 200949 Other pineapple juice
- 7 261000 Chromium ores and concentrates
- 8 261100 Tungsten ores and concentrates
- 9 270111 Anthracite
- 10 271311 Petroleum coke Not calcined
- 11 271490 Bitumen and asphalt, natural; asphaltites and asphaltic rocks Other
- 12 282120 Earth colours
- 13 282760 lodides and iodide oxides
- 14 283410 Nitrites
- 15 283620 Disodium carbonate
- 16 283650 Calcium carbonate
- 17 283711 Of sodium
- 18 283911 Sodium metasilicates
- 19 283990 Other
- 20 290219 Other
- 21 290220 Benzene
- 22 290243 p-Xylene
- 23 290544 D-glucitol (sorbitol)
- 24 290722 Hydroquinone (quinol) and its salts
- 25 290723 4,4'- Isopropylidenediphenol (bisphenol A, diphenylolpropane) and its salts
- 26 290820 Derivatives containing only sulpho groups, their salts and esters
- 27 290942 Monomethyl ethers of ethylene glycol or of diethylene glycol
- 28 291250 Cyclic polymers of aldehydes
- 29 291614 Esters of methacrylic acid
- 30 291619 Other
- 31 291631 Benzoic acid, its salts and esters
- 32 291735 Phthalic anhydride
- 33 291739 Other
- 34 291829 Other
- 35 292149 Other
- 36 292250 Amino-alcohol-phenols, amino-acid-phenols and other aminocompounds with oxygen function
- 37 292410 Acyclic amides (including acyclic carbamates) and their derivatives; salts thereof
- 38 292990 Other
- 39 293219 Other
- 40 293799 Other
- 41 293890 Other
- 42 294200 Other organic compounds
- 43 320412 Acid dyes and mordant dyes and preparation based
- 44 320416 Reactive dyes and preparations based thereon
- 45 380290 Activated natural mineral products; animal black, including spent animal black
- 46 381230 Anti-oxidising preparations and other compound
- 47 382490 Products, preparations and residual products of the chemical
- 48 401011 Conveyor belts or belting; reinforced only with metal

- 49 401012 Conveyor belts or belting; reinforced only with textile material
- 50 401013 Conveyor belts or belting; reinforced only with plastics
- 51 401019 Other conveyor belts or belting
- 52 401029 Transmission belts or belting of vulcanised rubber
- 53 401410 Sheath contraceptives
- 54 401519 Gloves, other than surgical
- 55 410441 Full grains, unsplit, grain splits
- 56 441129 Other fiberboard of a density exceeding 0.5 g/cm3 but not exceeding
- 0.8 g/cm3
- 57 441510 Cases, boxes, crates, drums and similar packings; cable-drums
- 58 442010 Statuettes and other ornaments, of wood
- 59 442090 Other
- 60 470100 Mechanical wood pulp
- 61 481139 Other
- 62 481190 Other paper, paperboard, cellulose wadding and webs of cellulose fibers
- 63 481390 Other
- 64 481610 Carbon or similar copying papers
- 65 481910 Cartons, boxes and cases, of corrugated paper or paperboard
- 66 482010 Registers, account books, note books, order books, receipt books, letter pads, memorandum pads, diaries and similar articles
- 67 482040 Manifold business forms and interleaved carbon sets
- 68 482090 Other
- 69 482390 Other
- 70 490110 In single sheets, whether or not folded
- 71 491110 Trade advertising material, commercial catalogues and the like
- 72 491191 Pictures, designs and photographs
- 73 491199 Other
- 74 700521 Float glass: colored throughout the mass (body tinted) specified, flashed or merely surface ground
- 75 731029 Other of cans which are to be closed by soldering or crimping with capacity less than 501
- 76 740110 Copper matte
- 77 740311 Cathode and sections of cathodes
- 78 750110 Nickel mattes
- 79 750210 Unwrought nickel nickel, not alloyed
- 80 780110 Refined lead
- 81 780191 Containing by weight antimony as the principle other element
- 82 800110 Unwrought tin, not alloyed
- 83 841090 Parts, including regulators
- 84 841199 Other
- 85 841320 Hand pumps, other than those of subheading No. 8413.11 or 8413.19
- 86 842839 Continuous-action elevators/conveyors for goods/material
- 87 842890 Other machinery
- 88 843221 Disc harrows
- 89 844820 Parts and accessories of machines of heading No. 84.44 or of their auxiliary machinery
- 90 844832 Of machines for preparing textile fibers, other than card clothing

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91 844833 Spindles, spindle flyers, spinning rings and ring travelers
92 844839 Other
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93 845530 Rolls for rolling mills

94 845590 Other parts

95 846693 For machines of headings Nos. 84.56 to 84.61

96 846789 Other

97 846930 Other typewriters, non-electric

98 847329 Other

99 848071 Injection or compression types

100 848079 Other

101 848180 Other appliances

102 848220 Tapered roller bearings, including cone and tapered roller assemblies

103 848299 Other

104 848360 Clutches and shaft couplings (including universal joints)

105 848410 Gaskets and similar joints of metal sheeting combined with other material or of two or more layers of metal

ANNEX B

No. 6-digit HS

Code Description

1 080211 Almonds fresh or dried in shell

2 130110 Lac

3 130120 Gum Arabic

4 130190 Others

5 140110 Bamboos

6 140120 Rattans

7 140190 Other

8 170490 Other

9 252100 Limestone flux; limestone and other calcareous stone, of a kind used for the manufacture of lime or cement

10 252400 Asbestos

11 253090 Other

12 260700 Lead ores and concentrates

13 260800 Zinc ores and concentrates

14 260900 Tin ores and concentrates

15 261510 Zirconium ores and concentrates

16 270112 Bituminous coal

17 270400 Coke and semi-coke of coal, of lignite or of peat, whether or not agglomerated; retort carbon

18 270820 Pitch coke

19 271119 Other

20 280920 Phosphoric acid and polyphosphoric acids

21 283327 Of barium

22 284800 Phospides, whether or not chemically defined, excluding

ferrophosphorus

23 292241 Lysine and its esters; salts thereof

24 293299 Other

25 300390 Other ayurvedic homeopathic and allopathic medicine for therapeutic prophylactic uses, not put up for retail sale

- 26 401590 Other articles of apparel & clothing accessories
- 27 410110
- Whole hides and skins of bovine animals, of a weight per skin not exceeding 8 kg when simply dried, 10 kg when dry-salted, or 14 kg
- when fresh, wet-salted or otherwise preserved
- 28 410121 - Whole
- 29 410122 - Butts and bends
- 30 410129 - Other
- 31 410130 Other hides and skins of bovine animals, otherwise preserved
- 32 410140 Hides and skins of equine animals
- 33 410310 Raw hides & skins of goats or kids
- 34 410320 Of reptiles
- 35 410390 Other
- 36 410512 Sheep/lamb skin leather otherwise pre-tanned w/n split
- 37 440110 Fuel wood in logs billets etc/in similar forms
- 38 440130 Sawdust and wood waste/scrap whether or not agglomerated in logs, briquettes, pellets or similar forms
- 39 440320 Wood in rough, coniferous
- 40 440349 Other tropical wood
- 41 440392 Beech wood in rough
- 42 440399 Other wood in rough
- 43 440420 Hoopwood; non-coniferous
- 44 440710 Coniferous
- 45 440729 Other
- 46 440792 Of beech (Fagus spp.)
- 48 440810 Coniferous
- 49 440839 Other of tropical wood
- 50 440890 Veneer sheets plysheets etc of other wood
- 51 440920 Non-coniferous
- 52 441011 Waferboard, including oriented strand board of wood
- 53 441019 Other particle and similar board of wood
- 54 441213 With at least one outer ply of tropical wood specified in Subheading Note 1 to this Chapter
- 55 441219 Hardwood plywood
- 56 441229 Other plywood with at least one outer ply of non-coniferous wood (excluding one layer of particle board)
- 57 441299 Other plywood, veneered panels and laminated wood panel and laminated wood
- 58 441600 Casks, barrels, vats, tubs and other coopers' products and parts thereof, of wood, including staves
- 59 441820 Doors and their frames and thresholds
- 60 441830 Parquet panels (teak)
- 61 442190 Other articles excluding cloth hangers
- $62\ 480570$  Other paper and paperboard, weighing more than  $150\ g/m2$  but less than  $225\ g/m2$
- 63 481950 Other packing containers, including record sleeves
- 64 482311 Self-adhesive
- 65 560710 Twine, cordage, robes and cables of jute

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66 630510 Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods made up of jute textile bast fibres: -new
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- 67 640312 - Ski-boots, cross-country ski footwear and snowboard boots
- 68 640319 - Other
- 69 640320 Footwear with outer soles of leather, and uppers which consist of leather straps across the instep and around the big toe
- 70 640330 Footwear made on a base or platform of wood, not having an inner sole or a protective metal toe-cap
- 71 640340 Other footwear, incorporating a protective metal toe-cap
- 72 640351 - Covering the ankle
- 73 640359 - Other
- 74 640391 - Covering the ankle
- 75 640399 - Other
- 76 710310 Unworked or simply sawn or roughly shaped
- 77 710391 Rubies, sapphires and emeralds
- 78 710399 Other
- 79 720854 Flat-rolled products, not in coils of a thickness <3 mm, not further worked than hot-rolled, pickled
- 80 722020 Cold rolled products of stainless steel of width less than 600 mm
- 81 830890 Other made up articles including parts
- 82 841191 Of turbo-jets or turbo-propellers
- 83 841480 Other
- 84 841810 Combined refrigerator-freezers, fitted with separate external doors
- 85 842481 Agricultural or horticultural
- 86 842641 On tyres
- 87 842911 Track laying
- 88 842940 Tamping machines and road rollers
- 89 843131 Of lifts, skip hoists or escalators
- 90 843149 Other
- 91 843699 Other
- 92 845221 Automatic units
- 93 845229 Other
- 94 845230 Sewing machine needles
- 95 845320 Machinery for making or repairing footwear
- 96 846039 Other
- 97 846390 Other
- 98 847160 Input or output units, whether or not containing storage units in the same housing
- 99 847180 Other units of automatic data processing machines
- 100 847920 Machinery for the extraction or preparation of animal or fixed vegetable fats or oils
- 101 847950 Industrial robots, not elsewhere specified or included
- 102 848190 Parts
- 103 854129 Other transistors, other than photosensitive transistors
- 104 851180 Other equipment
- 105 870899 Other parts and accessories of vehicles of heading 8701-870
- 106 902290 Other apparatus including parts and accessories of heading 9022
- 107 920790 Other

108 940330 Wooden furniture of a kind used in offices

109 940360 Other wooden furniture

110 960310 Broom and brushes

111 960629 Other buttons

ANNEX C

POSSIBLE AREAS OF COOPERATION BETWEEN INDIA AND ASEAN UNDER THE EARLY HARVEST PROGRAMME

No Areas of Economic Cooperation

A. Trade and investment promotion and facilitation activities

1 Enhancement of India-ASEAN web linkages to enable better exchange of information on:

customs procedures, rules and regulations;

non-tariff measures (NTMs), including sanitary and

phytosanitary (SPS) and technical barriers to trade (TBT);

intellectual property rights (IPR) rules and regulations;

investment rules and regulations; and

biotechnology.

Identification of focal points in India and ASEAN for the areas highlighted above.

- 2 Trade and investment promotion activities in India and ASEAN via seminars, workshops and trade and investment missions.
- 3 Facilitation of travel for business people through measures such as simplification of documentation, including visas and fees.
- 4 Cooperation in the marketing and trading of agro-products.
- B. Human Resource Development (HRD), Technical Cooperation & Research and Development (R&D)
- 5 Small and medium enterprises (SMEs) and family-owned businesses, including training in entrepreneurship and information and communications technology (ICT).
- 6 ICT and e-commerce.
- 7 Cooperation among intellectual property rights (IPR) agencies in India and ASEAN, including patents and enforcement of IPR rules and regulations.
- 8 Technical cooperation in areas such as:Standards and quality control in agriculture products and agro-processing; Production of pulp and paper from non-wood materials; and Production of pulses, cotton and sugar cane.
- 9 Exchange of publications and information on cotton, jute, kenaf and other textile products.
- 10 Training in lapidary and mine management and safety.
- 11 Establishment of twinning programmes between educational and research institutes.
- C. Other Areas of Cooperation
- 12 Cooperation between tourism agencies of India and ASEAN to boost travel between the two regions.
- 13 Business process outsourcing.
- 14 Media and entertainment services.
- 15 Environmental services.