application of fairness and integrity.

# CHAPTER 9 INVESTMENT

#### Article 25

Investment Agreement

The two sides decide to commence discussions on an investment agreement to promote and protect investment.

# CHAPTER 10 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

#### Article 26

Commitments in Intellectual Property

The two sides reiterate their observance of the WTO Agreement on Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights and provisions relating to intellectual property in other agreements that are applicable to them.

### Article 27

Cooperation in the Area of Intellectual Property

The two sides decide to intensify their joint efforts to strengthen cooperation in the area of intellectual property. The specific content of cooperation shall be formulated and implemented in accordance with Chapter 11 (Economic and Technical Cooperation).

# CHAPTER 11 ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION

### Article 28

### Economic and Technical Cooperation

- 1. The two sides decide that, for the purposes of enhancing the mutual benefits under the CEPA, promoting the implementation and liberalisation of the CEPA, as well as facilitating trade and investment between the two sides, economic and technical cooperation will be enhanced in accordance with their respective laws and regulations, policy objectives and allocation of resources.
- 2. The two sides decide to promote trade and investment facilitation through greater transparency, standard conformity and enhanced information exchange.
- 3. The two sides will formulate a Work Programme to set out