

Technical Cooperation

The two sides decide to intensify their joint efforts in communication and cooperation in the areas of technical regulations, standards and conformity assessment procedures with a view to enhancing mutual understanding of the regulatory systems, improving technical competence and facilitating the launch of capacity building activities. The specific content of cooperation shall be formulated and implemented in accordance with Chapter 11 (Economic and Technical Cooperation).

CHAPTER 7

SANITARY AND PHYTOSANITARY MEASURES

Article 14

Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

The two sides reiterate their observance of the WTO *Agreement on the Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures*.

Article 15

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Recognising the importance of protecting the health and

safety of people in the course of trade in goods and movement of persons, the two sides decide to strengthen communication and cooperation in the sanitary and phytosanitary areas including commodity inspection and quarantine, food safety, health and quarantine of people, and certification, accreditation and standardisation. The specific content of cooperation shall be formulated and implemented in accordance with Chapter 11 (Economic and Technical Cooperation).

CHAPTER 8

TRADE IN SERVICES

Article 16

Scope and Definition

1. All measures in Annex 1 and Annex 2 to the CEPA apply to trade in services between Hong Kong and Macao.
2. Trade in services referred to in the CEPA means:
 - (i) the supply of a service from the area of one side into the area of the other side;
 - (ii) the supply of a service in the area of one side to the service consumer of the other side;
 - (iii) the supply of a service by a service supplier of one side, through commercial presence in the area of the