

Article 5

The Contracting Parties shall exchange, on a regular basis, information:

- concerning laws and other normative [legislative] acts on economic activity, as well as concerning issues of trade, investments, taxation, banking and insurance activity and other financial services, concerning transport and customs issues, including customs statistics.

The Contracting Parties shall, in proper time, inform each other of changes in the national legislation which may affect implementation of this Agreement.

The authorized bodies of the Contracting Parties shall coordinate the procedure for exchanging such information.

Article 6

The Contracting Parties shall acknowledge incompatibility of unfair business practice with the objectives of this Agreement and shall be obliged not to allow in particular, but not exclusively, the following methods:

- agreements between enterprises, decisions made by the enterprises' associations and general methods for business practice aiming at preventing from or restricting competition, or violating conditions for it on the territories of the Contracting Parties;
- actions with the help of which one or several enterprises use their dominant position restricting competition on the whole or considerable part of the territory of the Contracting Parties.

Article 7

In carrying out measures of tariff and non-tariff regulation of bilateral economic relations, for exchanging statistical information and carrying out customs procedures, the Contracting Parties shall apply a single nine-digit Goods Nomenclature of Foreign Economic Activity/GN FEA based on the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System and the Combined Tariff Statistical Nomenclature of the European Economic Community. The Contracting Parties for the needs of their countries, if necessary, shall carry out the development of Goods Nomenclature beyond nine digits.

Introduction of a standard copy of the Goods Nomenclature shall be carried out on a mutually coordinated basis through the existing representative offices in relevant international organizations.

Article 8

1. The Contracting Parties have agreed that the observance of a principle of transit freedom shall be the most important condition for achieving the objectives of this Agreement and shall be an essential element of the process of their attachment to the system of international division of labour and cooperation.

In this connection, each Contracting Party shall provide a free transit, via its territory, of goods originated from the customs territory of the other Contracting Party and/or third countries and intended for the customs territory of the other Contracting Party or a third country. Each Party shall provide exporters, importers or carriers with all existing means and services necessary for ensuring