

CHAPTER 8

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

ARTICLE 8

General provisions

The Parties shall consult on the mutual opening of their respective government procurement markets, using in particular the GPA as a framework for future dialogue.

CHAPTER 9

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

ARTICLE 9

General provisions

1. The Parties confirm the importance of ensuring adequate and effective protection and enforcement of intellectual, industrial and commercial property rights.
2. The Parties shall provide suitable and effective protection of intellectual, industrial and commercial property rights in line with the TRIPS Agreement.
3. The Parties shall ensure an adequate and effective implementation of the obligations arising from the following multilateral conventions on intellectual, industrial and commercial property rights:
 - (a) the Berne Convention for the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works, done at Berne on 9 September 1886, as revised at Paris on 24 July 1971, and as amended on 28 September 1979;
 - (b) the Rome Convention for the Protection of Performers, Producers of Phonograms and Broadcasting Organisations, done at Rome on 26 October 1961;
 - (c) the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, done at Paris on 20 March 1883, as revised at Stockholm on 14 July 1967, and as amended on 28 September 1979;