

**UNITED STATES – MEASURES RELATING TO ZEROING
AND SUNSET REVIEWS**

Agreement under Article 21.3(b) of the DSU

The following communication, dated 4 May 2007, from the delegation of the United States and the delegation of Japan to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 21.3(b) of the DSU.

The Representatives of the United States of America and Japan wish to inform you that, pursuant to Article 21.3(b) of the *Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes* (DSU), the United States and Japan have mutually agreed that the reasonable period of time for the United States to implement the recommendations and rulings of the Dispute Settlement Body (DSB) in the dispute "*United States – Measures Relating to Zeroing and Sunset Reviews*" (WT/DS322) shall be 11 months, expiring on 24 December 2007.

In addition, we wish to inform you that, in light of our agreement, Japan no longer seeks to have the reasonable period of time determined through a binding arbitration pursuant to Article 21.3(c) of the DSU. We wish to extend our appreciation and thanks to the arbitrator for his efforts in this proceeding.

We request that you circulate this notification to the Members of the DSB.

For the United States of America

For Japan

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