

Explanatory Meeting on the Acquis with Albania and North Macedonia

Agenda for Chapter 30: External Relations

Date: 25 September 2019

Venue: Albert Borschette, Rue Froissart 36, 1040 Etterbeek – Meeting Room 1A (tbc)

Chair: Marc Jorna (DG NEAR)

08:30 - 09:00	Arrival of participants
09:00 - 09:30	Welcome and opening remarks by the Chair – Marc JORNA
Welcome	Introductory statement by Petros Sourmelis, Head of Unit Trade E2 – <i>Russia, CIS, Ukraine, Western Balkans, EFTA, EEA and Turkey</i>
Opening speeches	Introductory statement by the representative of DG DEVCO
	Introductory statement by Mr. Sokol DEDJA, Deputy Minister for Europe and Foreign Affairs, Albania
	Introductory statement by Mr. Bojan MARICHIKJ, Chief Negotiator, North Macedonia
COMMON COMMERCIAL POLICY	
09:30 - 09:50	I. <u>MULTILATERAL FRAMEWORK OF THE COMMON COMMERCIAL POLICY – WORLD TRADE ORGANISATION</u>
Speaker NAME (F1/F2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 32015R0476: Regulation (EU) 2015/476 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2015 on the measures that the Union may take following a report adopted by the WTO Dispute Settlement Body concerning anti-dumping and anti-subsidy matters.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 32015R1843: Regulation (EU) 2015/1843 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 October 2015 laying down Union procedures in the field of the common commercial policy in order to ensure the exercise of the Union's rights under international trade rules, in particular those established under the auspices of the World Trade Organization. • 02014R0654-20151105: Regulation (EU) No 654/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 May 2014 concerning the exercise of the Union's rights for the application and enforcement of international trade rules and amending Council Regulation (EC) No 3286/94 laying down Community procedures in the field of the common commercial policy in order to ensure the exercise of the Community's rights under international trade rules, in particular those established under the auspices of the World Trade Organization.
09.50-10.00	<i>Questions and Answers</i>
10.00-10.50	<p>II. <u>REGIONAL/BILATERAL FRAMEWORK OF THE COMMON COMMERCIAL POLICY</u></p> <p>The EU has in place, or is negotiating, Trade Agreements with countries and regions around the world: http://ec.europa.eu/trade/policy/countries-and-regions/negotiations-and-agreements/</p> <p>III. <u>THE EU'S AUTONOMOUS TRADE PREFERENTIAL REGIMES</u></p> <p>1. <u>Generalised Tariff Preferences</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 02012R0978-20190101: Regulation (EU) No 978/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 applying a scheme of generalised tariff preferences and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 732/2008 <p>2. <u>Autonomous Trade Measures</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 02009R1215-20170815: Council Regulation (EC) No. 1215/2009 of 30 November 2009 introducing exceptional trade measures for countries and territories participating in or linked to the European Union's Stabilisation and Association process. • 02017R1566-20170930: Regulation (EU) 2017/1566 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 September 2017 on the introduction of temporary autonomous trade measures for Ukraine supplementing the trade concessions available under the Association Agreement.
Speaker NAME (E2)	
Speaker NAME (D1)	
Speaker NAME (E2)	

10.50-11.00	<i>Questions and Answers</i>
11.00-11.15	<i>Coffee break</i>
11.15-12.45 Speaker NAME (F1)	<p>IV. <u>TRADE SPECIFIC RULES</u></p> <p>1. <u>Export Credits</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 02011R1233-20180301: Regulation (EU) No 1233/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 November 2011 on the application of certain guidelines in the field of officially supported export credits and repealing Council Decisions 2001/76/EC and 2001/77/EC. • 01998L0029-20030605: Council Directive 98/29/EC of 7 May 1998 on harmonisation of the main provisions concerning export credit insurance for transactions with medium and long-term cover. • 31984L0568: Council Directive 84/568/EEC of 27 November 1984 concerning the reciprocal obligations of export credit insurance organisations. • 31982D0854: Council Decision of 10 December 1982 on the rules applicable, in the fields of export guarantees and finance for export, to certain subcontracts with parties in other Member States of the European Communities or in non-member countries (82/854/EEC). • 32006D0789: Council Decision of 13 November 2006 on consultation and information procedures in matters of credit insurance, credit guarantees and financial credits (2006/789/EC). <p>2. <u>Dual-Use Export controls</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 02009R0428-20181215: Council Regulation (EC) No 428/2009 of 5 May 2009 setting up a Community regime for the control of exports, transfer, brokering and transit of dual-use items. <p>3. <u>Waste</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 32007R1418: Commission Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007 of 29 November 2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste listed in Annex III or IIIA to Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council to certain countries to which the OECD Decision on the control of transboundary movements of wastes does not apply. <p>4. <u>Conflict Minerals</u></p>
Speaker NAME (F1)	
Speaker NAME (D1)	
Speaker NAME (G3)	

<p>Speaker NAME (B2)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 32017R0821: Regulation (EU) 2017/821 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 May 2017 laying down supply chain due diligence obligations for Union importers of tin, tantalum and tungsten, their ores, and gold originating from conflict-affected and high-risk areas. <p>5. <u>Investment</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 32019R0452: Regulation (EU) 2019/452 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 March 2019 establishing a framework for the screening of foreign direct investments into the Union • 32014R0912: Regulation (EU) No 912/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 July 2014 establishing a framework for managing financial responsibility linked to investor-to-state dispute settlement tribunals established by international agreements to which the European Union is party. • 32012R1219: Regulation (EU) No 1219/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 December 2012 establishing transitional arrangements for bilateral investment agreements between Member States and third countries.
<p>12.45-13.00</p>	<p><i>Questions and Answers</i></p>
<p>13.00-14.30</p>	<p><i>Lunch break</i></p>
<p>14.30-15.30</p> <p>Speaker NAME (H1)</p>	<p>V. <u>TRADE DEFENCE INSTRUMENTS</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">I. TRADE DEFENCE INSTRUMENTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 32016R1036: Regulation (EU) 2016/1036 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 June 2016 on protection against dumped imports from countries not members of the European Union. • 32016R1037: Regulation (EU) 2016/1037 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 June 2016 on protection against subsidised imports from countries not members of the European Union. • 32016R1035: Regulation (EU) 2016/1035 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 June 2016 on protection against injurious pricing of vessels.

II. IMPORT / EXPORT COMMON RULES

Common rules for imports

- **32015R0755:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2015/755 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2015](#) on common rules for imports from certain third countries.
- **32015R0478:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2015/478 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2015](#) on common rules for imports.

Common rules for exports

- **32015R0479:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2015/479 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2015](#) on common rules for exports.

III. SAFEGUARD REGULATIONS

- **32015R0477:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2015/477 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2015](#) on measures that the Union may take in relation to the combined effect of anti-dumping or anti-subsidy measures with safeguard measures.
- **32015R1145:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2015/1145 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 July 2015](#) on the safeguard measures provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation.
- **32015R0475:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2015/475 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2015](#) on the safeguard measures provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Iceland.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 32015R0938: Regulation (EU) 2015/938 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 June 2015 on the safeguard measures provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway. • 32013R0019: Regulation (EU) No 19/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 January 2013 implementing the bilateral safeguard clause and the stabilisation mechanism for bananas of the Trade Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and Columbia, Peru and Ecuador, of the other part. • 02013R0020-20170101: Regulation (EU) No 20/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 January 2013 implementing the bilateral safeguard clause and the stabilisation mechanism for bananas of the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Union and its Member States, on the one hand, and Central America on the other. • 32016R0400: Regulation (EU) No 2016/400 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016 implementing the anti-circumvention mechanism provided for in the Association Agreement between the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Moldova, of the other part. • 32016R0401: Regulation (EU) No 2016/401 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016 implementing the anti-circumvention mechanism provided for in the Association Agreement between the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community and their Member States, of the one part, and Georgia, of the other part. • 32011R0511: Regulation (EU) No 511/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 May 2011 implementing the bilateral safeguard clause of the Free Trade Agreement between the European Union and its Member States and the Republic of Korea.
15.30-15.40	<i>Questions and Answers</i>
15.40	<i>Coffee break</i>
FOREIGN POLICY INSTRUMENT	

<p>15.55-16.25</p> <p>FPI.5 (speakers' names tbc)</p>	<p><u>Kimberley Process</u></p> <p>32002R2368 Council Regulation (EC) No 2368/2002 of 20 December 2002 implementing the Kimberley Process certification scheme for the international trade in rough diamonds <i>OJ L 358 31.12.2002, p. 28</i> https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX:02002R2368-20180418</p> <p>Please note that this consolidated version is as of 18/04/2018 and does not include the latest amendment of July 2019:</p> <p>32019R1189 Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/1189 of 8 July 2019 amending Council Regulation (EC) No 2368/2002 implementing the Kimberley Process certification scheme for the international trade in rough diamonds <i>OJ L 187, 12.7.2019</i> https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?qid=1563896564430&uri=CELEX:32019R1189</p> <p><u>Anti-Torture Regulation</u></p> <p>32019R0125 Regulation (EU) 2019/125 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 January 2019 concerning trade in certain goods which could be used for capital punishment, torture or other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment <i>OJ L 30, 31.1.2019, p. 1–57</i> https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?qid=1550829571808&uri=CELEX:32019R0125</p>
<p>16.25-16.40</p>	<p><i>Questions and Answers</i></p>
<p>DEVELOPMENT POLICY</p>	
<p>16.40-17.00</p> <p>Speaker: Paul VERWIMP, (DEVCO, Unit R3: Legal Affairs)</p>	<p>1. Current legal framework</p> <p>1.1.Legal foundations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treaty on European Union, Article 17; Article 21 <i>OJ C 202, 7.6.2016, p. 13–388</i> https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:12016M/TXT&from=EN

- Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, Article 4(4); Articles 208-211; Articles 310-325
OJ C 202, 7.6.2016, p. 1–388
<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:12016E/TXT&from=EN>
 - Agreement amending for the second time the Partnership Agreement between the members of the African, Caribbean and Pacific Group of States, of the one part, and the European Community and its Member States, of the other part, signed in Cotonou on 23 June 2000, as first amended in Luxembourg on 25 June 2005
OJ L 317, 15.12.2000, p. 3–353
https://eur-lex.europa.eu/resource.html?uri=cellar:eebc0bbc-f137-4565-952d-3e1ce81ee890.0004.04/DOC_2&format=PDF
OJ L 287, 28.10.2005, p. 4–40
[https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:22005A0811\(01\)&from=EN](https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:22005A0811(01)&from=EN)
OJ L 287, 4.11.2010, p. 3–49
[https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:22010A1104\(01\)&qid=1563888429664&from=EN](https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:22010A1104(01)&qid=1563888429664&from=EN)
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[https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:02000A1215\(01\)-20170101&from=EN](https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:02000A1215(01)-20170101&from=EN)
 - Internal Agreement between the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States of the European Union, meeting within the Council, on the financing of European Union aid under the multiannual financial framework for the period 2014 to 2020, in accordance with the ACP-EU Partnership Agreement, and on the allocation of financial assistance for the Overseas Countries and Territories to which Part Four of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union applies
OJ L 210, 6.8.2013, p. 1–14
[https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:42013A0806\(01\)&from=EN](https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:42013A0806(01)&from=EN)
- 1.2.Secondary law**
- Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013,

(EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012

OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p.1 –222

<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32018R1046&from=EN>

- Regulation (EU) No 233/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 establishing a financing instrument for development cooperation for the period 2014-2020

OJ L 77, 15.3.2014, p. 44–76

<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32014R0233&from=EN>

- Regulation (EU) No 231/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 establishing an Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance (IPA II)

OJ L 77, 15.3.2014, p. 11–26

<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32014R0231&from=EN>

- Regulation (EU) No 232/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 establishing a European Neighbourhood Instrument

OJ L 77, 15.3.2014, p. 27–43

<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32014R0232&from=EN>

- Regulation (EU) No 234/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 establishing a Partnership Instrument for cooperation with third countries

OJ L 77, 15.3.2014, p. 77–84

<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32014R0234&from=EN>

- Regulation (EU) No 235/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 establishing a financing instrument for democracy and human rights worldwide

OJ L 77, 15.3.2014, p. 85–94

<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32014R0235&from=EN>

- Regulation (EU) No 230/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 establishing an instrument contributing to stability and peace
OJ L 77, 15.3.2014, p. 1–10
<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32014R0230&from=EN>
- Council Decision 2014/137/EU of 14 March 2014 on relations between the European Union on the one hand, and Greenland and the Kingdom of Denmark on the other
OJ L 76, 15.3.2014, p. 1–5
<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32014D0137&from=EN>
- Council Regulation (Euratom) No 237/2014 of 13 December 2013 establishing an Instrument for Nuclear Safety Cooperation
OJ L 77, 15.3.2014, p. 109–116
<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32014R0237&from=EN>
- Regulation (EU) No 236/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 laying down common rules and procedures for the implementation of the Union's instruments for financing external action
OJ L 77, 15.3.2014, p. 95–108
<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32014R0236&from=EN>
- Council Regulation (EU) 2015/322 of 2 March 2015 on the implementation of the 11th European Development Fund
OJ L 58, 3.3.2015, p. 1–16
<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32015R0322&from=EN>
- Council Regulation (EU) 2018/1877 of 26 November 2018 on the financial regulation applicable to the 11th European Development Fund, and repealing Regulation (EU) 2015/323
OJ L 307, 3.12.2018, p. 1–21
<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32018R1877&from=EN>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council Decision 2001/822/EC of 27 November 2001 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Community, as amended by the Council Decision 2013/755/EU of 25 November 2013 on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Union <i>OJ L 344, 19.12.2013, p. 1–118</i> https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32013D0755&from=EN Corrigendum:https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:02013D0755-20140101&from=EN
17.00-17.10	Questions and Answers
17.10-17.30 Speaker: Antonio Carlos Teixeira, (DEVCO, Unit A1: SDGs, Policy and Coherence)	<p>2. Current policy framework</p> <p>2.1. New Consensus for Development (a common framework for development policy for the EU and MS; response to 2030 Agenda and AAAA + ODA commitments)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joint statement by the Council and the representatives of the governments of the Member States meeting within the Council, the European Parliament and the Commission, The New European Consensus on Development: Our World, Our Dignity, Our Future (OJ C210, 30.06.2017 p. 1). https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=OJ:C:2017:210:TOC • Commission Communication on Next steps for a sustainable European future https://ec.europa.eu/europeaid/commission-communication-next-steps-sustainable-european-future_en <p>2.2. 2030 Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/post2015/transformingourworld • The EU position in the build-up to the adoption of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development is set out in the following policy papers: Commission Communication, 5 February 2015 - "A Global Partnership for Poverty Eradication and Sustainable Development after 2015" https://ec.europa.eu/europeaid/communication-global-partnership-poverty-eradication-and-sustainable-development-after-2015_en

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council Conclusions, 26 May 2015 - "A New Global Partnership for Poverty Eradication and Sustainable Development after 2015" https://www.consilium.europa.eu/en/press/press-releases/2015/05/26/fac-dev-council-conclusions-global-partnership/ full text http://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/document/ST-9241-2015-INIT/en/pdf • Council Conclusions, 16 December 2014 - "On a transformative post-2015 agenda". https://www.consilium.europa.eu/uedocs/cms_data/docs/pressdata/en/foraff/146311.pdf <p>Council Conclusions, 25 June 2013 - "The Overarching Post 2015 Agenda" https://www.consilium.europa.eu/uedocs/cms_data/docs/pressdata/EN/genaff/137614.pdf</p>
17.30-17.40	Questions and Answers
17.40-17.55	<p>3. Future legal framework</p> <p>3.1.NDICI (Including EDF budgetisation and EU benchmarks and EFSD +)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument https://ec.europa.eu/commission/sites/beta-political/files/budget-may2018-neighbourhood-development-international-regulation_en.pdf • Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Central Bank, the European Economic and Social Committee, the Committee of the Regions and the European Investment Bank, Strengthening European Investments for jobs and growth: Towards a second phase of the European Fund for Strategic Investments and a new European External Investment Plan (COM(2016) 581 final). https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=COM%3A2016%3A581%3AFIN • Regulation (EU) 2017/1601 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 September 2017 establishing the European Fund for Sustainable Development (EFSD), the EFSD Guarantee and the EFSD Guarantee Fund (OJ L 249, 27.09.2017, p. 1). Arts. 4 and 5 Regulation 2017/1601. https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=uriserv%3AOJ.L_.2017.249.01.0001.01.ENG

	<p>3.2.Post-Cotonou</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • European Parliament resolution of 4 October 2016 on the future of ACP-EU relations beyond 2020 (2016/2053(INI)) https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?qid=1564152249217&uri=CELEX:52016IP0371 • Resolution on ACP-EU relations post-Cotonou: a strong parliamentary dimension https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?qid=1564152249217&uri=CELEX:22018P1115(01) <p>3.3.AU-EU and African alliance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the European Council and the Council – Communication on a new Africa – Europe Alliance for Sustainable Investment and Jobs: Taking our partnership for investment and jobs to the next level (COM/2018/643 final) https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?qid=1537433689163&uri=CELEX:52018DC0643 • Joint Africa–EU Strategy https://www.africa-eu-partnership.org/sites/default/files/documents/eas2007_joint_strategy_en.pdf
17.55-18.05	Questions and Answers
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<p>18.05-18.40 Speaker: Charles Pirotte, deputy Head of Unit, DG ECHO.E1 (International and Inter-institutional Relations, Legal Framework).</p>	<p><u>Legal framework:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council Regulation (EC) No 1257/96 of 20 June 1996 concerning humanitarian aid https://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=CONSLEG:1996R1257:20090420:EN:PDF • Regulation No 375/2014 of the European Parliament and the Council on establishing the European Voluntary Humanitarian Aid Corps (‘EU Aid Volunteers initiative’) https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32014R0375&from=EN – Note: the Commission’s proposal for the next MFF envisages that the EUAV initiative be included into the European Solidarity Corps. This was presented during the explanatory meeting on Chapter 26.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 1244/2014 of 20 November 2014 laying down rules for the implementation of Regulation (EU) No 375/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the European Voluntary Humanitarian Aid Corps (‘EU Aid Volunteers initiative’) https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A32014R1244 • Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 1398/2014 of 24 October 2014 laying down standards regarding candidate volunteers and EU Aid Volunteers https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=OJ%3AJOL_2014_373_R_0003 <p><u>Policy framework:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joint Statement by the Council and the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States meeting within the Council, the European Parliament and the European Commission https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:42008X0130(01)&from=EN • Food Assistance Convention https://www.foodassistanceconvention.org/en/default.aspx
18.40-18.55	Questions and Answers
18.55-19.05	<i>Closing remarks</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marc JORNA - Chair

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4. **32015R0938:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2015/938 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 June 2015](#) on the safeguard measures provided for in the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Norway.
5. **32013R0019:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 19/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 January 2013](#) implementing the bilateral safeguard clause and the stabilisation mechanism for bananas of the Trade Agreement between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and Columbia, Peru and Ecuador, of the other part.
6. **02013R0020-20170101:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 20/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 January 2013](#) implementing the bilateral safeguard clause and the stabilisation mechanism for bananas of the Agreement establishing an Association between the European Union and its Member States, on the one hand, and Central America on the other.
7. **32016R0400:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 2016/400 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016](#) implementing the anti-circumvention mechanism provided for in the Association Agreement between the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Moldova, of the other part.
8. **32016R0401:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 2016/401 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016](#) implementing the anti-circumvention mechanism provided for in the Association Agreement between the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community and their Member States, of the one part, and Georgia, of the other part.
9. **32011R0511:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 511/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 May 2011](#) implementing the bilateral safeguard clause of the Free Trade Agreement between the European Union and its Member States and the Republic of Korea.

IV. EXPORT CREDIT

1. **02011R1233-20180301:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 1233/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 November 2011](#) on the application of certain guidelines in the field of officially supported export credits and repealing Council Decisions 2001/76/EC and 2001/77/EC.
2. **01998L0029-20030605:** [Council Directive 98/29/EC of 7 May 1998](#) on harmonisation of the main provisions concerning export credit insurance for transactions with medium and long-term cover.
3. **31984L0568:** [Council Directive 84/568/EEC of 27 November 1984](#) concerning the reciprocal obligations of export credit insurance organisations.
4. **31982D0854:** [Council Decision of 10 December 1982](#) on the rules applicable, in the fields of export guarantees and finance for export, to certain subcontracts with parties in other Member States of the European Communities or in non-member countries (82/854/EEC).
5. **32006D0789:** [Council Decision of 13 November 2006](#) on consultation and information procedures in matters of credit insurance, credit guarantees and financial credits (2006/789/EC).

V. INVESTMENT

1. **32019R0452:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2019/452 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 March 2019](#) establishing a framework for the screening of foreign direct investments into the Union
2. **32014R0912:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 912/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 July 2014](#) establishing a framework for managing financial responsibility linked to investor-to-state dispute settlement tribunals established by international agreements to which the European Union is party.
3. **32012R1219:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 1219/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 December 2012](#) establishing transitional arrangements for bilateral investment agreements between Member States and third countries.

VI. ENFORCEMENT

1. **32015R0476:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2015/476 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2015](#) on the measures that the Union may take following a report adopted by the WTO Dispute Settlement Body concerning anti-dumping and anti-subsidy matters.
2. **32015R1843:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2015/1843 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 October 2015](#) laying down Union procedures in the field of the common commercial policy in order to ensure the exercise of the Union's rights under international trade rules, in particular those established under the auspices of the World Trade Organization.
3. **02014R0654-20151105:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 654/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 May 2014](#) concerning the exercise of the Union's rights for the application and enforcement of international trade rules and amending Council Regulation (EC) No 3286/94 laying down Community procedures in the field of the common commercial policy in order to ensure the exercise of the Community's rights under international trade rules, in particular those established under the auspices of the World Trade Organization.

VII. TRADE SPECIFIC RULES

1. **02019R0216-20190208:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2019/216 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 January 2019](#) on the apportionment of tariff rate quotas included in the WTO schedule of the Union following the withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the Union, and amending Council Regulation (EC) No 32/2000
2. **32015R0936:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2015/936 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 June 2015](#) on common rules for imports of textile products from certain third countries not covered by bilateral agreements, protocols or other arrangements, or by other specific Union import rules.
3. **32006R0816:** [Regulation \(EC\) No 816/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 May 2006](#) on compulsory licensing of patents relating to the manufacture of pharmaceutical products for export to countries with public health problems.
4. **32016R0793:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2016/793 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 May 2016](#) to avoid trade diversion into the European Union of certain key medicines.

5. **32007R1418:** [Commission Regulation \(EC\) No 1418/2007 of 29 November 2007](#) concerning the export for recovery of certain waste listed in Annex III or IIIA to Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council to certain countries to which the OECD Decision on the control of transboundary movements of wastes does not apply.
6. **02009R0428-20181215:** [Council Regulation \(EC\) No 428/2009 of 5 May 2009](#) setting up a Community regime for the control of exports, transfer, brokering and transit of dual-use items.
7. **32017R0821:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2017/821 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 May 2017](#) laying down supply chain due diligence obligations for Union importers of tin, tantalum and tungsten, their ores, and gold originating from conflict-affected and high-risk areas.
8. **02012R0498-20160422:** [Commission Implementing Regulation \(EU\) No 498/2012 of 12 June 2012](#) on the allocation of tariff-rate quotas applying to exports of wood from the Russian Federation to the European Union.
9. **31992D0496:** [92/496/EEC: Council Decision of 13 July 1992](#) on the conclusion of an Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the United States of America concerning the application of the GATT Agreement on Trade in Civil Aircraft on trade in large civil aircraft.





















VIII. TRADE PREFERENTIAL REGIMES

1. **02012R0978-20190101:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 978/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012](#) applying a scheme of **generalised tariff preferences** and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 732/2008.
2. **02009R1215-20170815:** [Council Regulation \(EC\) No. 1215/2009 of 30 November 2009](#) introducing exceptional trade measures for countries and territories participating in or linked to the European Union's Stabilisation and Association process.
3. **02017R1566-20170930:** [Regulation \(EU\) 2017/1566 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 September 2017](#) on the introduction of temporary autonomous trade measures for Ukraine supplementing the trade concessions available under the Association Agreement.

IX. INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS

1. Agreements in place

Country (Region)	Agreement	Status
Albania	Stabilisation and Association Agreement	In force since 2009
Algeria	Association Agreement	In force since 01/09/2005
Andorra	Customs Union 	In force since 01/01/1991
Armenia	Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement 	In force since June 2018
Bosnia and Herzegovina (Western Balkans)	Stabilisation and Association Agreement 	In force since 01/06/2015
Botswana (SADC)	Economic Partnership Agreement	In force since 05/02/2018

Chile	Association Agreement and Additional Protocol 	In force since 01/03/2005
Egypt	Association Agreement 	In force since 01/06/2004
Eswatini (SADC)	Economic Partnership Agreement	In force since 05/02/2018
Faroe Islands	Agreement 	In force since 01/01/1997
Georgia	Association Agreement 	In force since 01/07/2016
Iceland	Economic Area Agreement 	In force since 1994
	Agreement	In force since 1972
Israel	Association Agreement 	In force since 01/06/2000
Japan	Economic Partnership Agreement	In force since 01/02/2019
Jordan	Association Agreement 	In force since 01/05/2002
Kosovo*	Stabilisation and Association Agreement 	In force since 01/04/2016
Lebanon	Association Agreement 	In force since 01/04/2006
Liechtenstein	Economic Area Agreement 	In force since 1995
Lesotho (SADC)	Economic Partnership Agreement	In force since 05/02/2018
Mexico	Global Agreement 	In force since 01/10/2000
Moldova	Association Agreement 	In force since 01/07/2016
Montenegro	Stabilisation and Association Agreement 	In force since 01/05/2010
Morocco	Association Agreement 	In force since 01/03/2000
Mozambique (SADC)	Economic Partnership Agreement	In force since 05/02/2018
Namibia (SADC)	Economic Partnership Agreement	In force since 05/02/2018
North Macedonia	Stabilisation and Association Agreement 	In force since 01/04/2004
Norway	Economic Area Agreement 	In force since 1994
	Agreement	In force since 1973
Pakistan	Co-operation agreement 	In force since 29/04/2004
Palestinian Authority	Interim Association Agreement 	In force since 01/07/1997
San Marino	Customs Union 	In force since 01/04/2002
Serbia	Stabilisation and Association Agreement 	In force since 01/09/2013

* This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244/1999 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo declaration of independence

South Africa	Economic Partnership Agreement	In force since 05/02/2018
South Korea	Free Trade Agreement	In force since 01/07/2016
Sri-Lanka	Co-operation and Partnership Agreement	In force since 01/04/1995
Switzerland	Agreement	In force since 01/01/1973
Syria	Co-operation Agreement	In force since 01/07/1977
Tunisia	Association Agreement	In force since 01/03/1998
Turkey	Customs Union	In force since 31/12/1995

2. Agreements partially in place

These are countries and regions that have part (but not all) of their agreements in place with the EU. The agreement is fully applied when all parties have ratified the agreement.

Country (Region)	Agreement	Status
Antigua and Barbuda (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement	Provisionally applied since 2008
Armenia	Updated Partnership and Cooperation Agreement	Provisionally applied since 06/2018
Bahamas (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement	Provisionally applied since 2008
Barbados (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement	Provisionally applied since 2008
Belize (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement	Provisionally applied since 2008
Botswana (SADC)	Economic Partnership Agreement	Provisionally applied since 10/10/2016
Cameroon (Central Africa)	Interim Economic Partnership Agreement	Provisionally applied since 2014
Canada	Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA)	Signed 30 October 2016, provisionally applied since 21/09/2017
Colombia (with Ecuador and Peru)	Trade Agreement	Signed 26/07/2012, provisionally applied since August 2013
Côte d'Ivoire (West Africa)	Stepping stone Economic Partnership Agreement	Signed EPA, stepping stone provisionally applied since 03/09/2016
Comoros (ESA)	Interim Economic Partnership Agreement	Signed 08/2009, provisionally applied since 7 February 2019
Costa Rica (Central America)	Association Agreement with a strong trade component	Signed 29/06/2012, provisionally applied since 2013
Cuba	Political Dialogue and Cooperation Agreement	Provisionally applied since 1/11/2017
Dominica (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement	Provisionally applied since 2008
Dominican Republic (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement	Provisionally applied since 2008
Ecuador (with Colombia and Peru)	Trade Agreement	Signed 26/07/2012, provisionally applied since 2013

El Salvador (Central America)	Association Agreement with a strong trade component 	Signed 29/06/2012, provisionally applied since 2013
Ethiopia (ESA)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Signed 08/2009, not yet provisionally applied
Fiji (with Papua New Guinea)	Interim Partnership Agreement 	Ratified by Papua New Guinea in May 2011
Ghana (West Africa)	Stepping stone Economic Partnership Agreement provisionally applied 	Signed EPA, stepping stone provisionally applied since 15/12/2016
Grenada (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 2008
Guatemala (Central America)	Association Agreement with a strong trade component 	Signed 29/06/2012, provisionally applied since 2013
Guyana (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 2008
Honduras (Central America)	Association Agreement with a strong trade component 	Signed 29/06/2012, provisionally applied since 2013
Iraq	Partnership and Cooperation Agreement 	Signed May 2012, provisionally applied since August 2012
Jamaica (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 2008
Kazakhstan	Enhanced Partnership and Cooperation Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 01/05/2016
Madagascar, Mauritius, the Seychelles, and Zimbabwe (ESA)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Signed 08/2009, provisionally applied since 2012
Papua New Guinea and Fiji	Interim Partnership Agreement 	Ratified by Papua New Guinea in May 2011
Namibia (SADC)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 10/10/2016
Nicaragua (Central America)	Association Agreement with a strong trade component 	Signed 29/06/2012, provisionally applied since 2013
Panama (Central America)	Association Agreement with a strong trade component 	Signed 29/06/2012, provisionally applied since 2013
Papua New Guinea (with Fiji)	Interim Partnership Agreement 	Ratified by Papua New Guinea in May 2011
Madagascar (ESA)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Signed 08/2009, provisionally applied since May 2012
Mauritius (ESA)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Signed 08/2009, provisionally applied since May 2012
Peru (with Colombia and Ecuador)	Trade Agreement 	Signed 26/07/2012, provisionally applied since 2013
Samoa (Pacific)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since December 2018
Seychelles (ESA)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Signed 08/2009, provisionally applied since 2012
South Africa	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 10/10/2016
St Kitts and Nevis (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 2008
St Lucia (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 2008
St Vincent and the Grenadines (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 2008
Sudan (ESA)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Signed 08/2009, not provisionally applied yet

Suriname (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 2008
Trinidad and Tobago (CARIFORUM)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Provisionally applied since 2008
Ukraine	Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Agreement  Association Agreement 	Signed 29/05/2014, provisionally applied since 01/01/2016
Zambia (ESA)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Signed 08/2009, not provisionally applied yet
Zimbabwe (ESA)	Economic Partnership Agreement 	Signed 08/2009, provisionally applied since 2012

X. OMNIBUS

1. **02014R0037-20190220:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 37/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 January 2014](#) amending certain regulations relating to the common commercial policy as regards the procedures for the adoption of certain measures (Omnibus I).
2. **02014R0038-20180308:** [Regulation \(EU\) No 38/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 January 2014](#) amending certain regulations relating to the common commercial policy as regards the granting of delegated and implementing powers for the adoption of certain measures (Omnibus II).