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**Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade** 

## INTERNATIONAL INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

OBSERVER STATUS IN THE COMMITTEE ON TECHNICAL BARRIERS TO TRADE

Note by the Secretariat<sup>1</sup>

Revision

## 1 INTERNATIONAL INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS GRANTED OBSERVER STATUS

African, Caribbean and the Pacific Group (ACP)<sup>2</sup> African Organization for Standardisation (ARSO)<sup>2</sup> Bureau International des Poids et Mesures (BIPM)<sup>2</sup> European Free Trade Association (EFTA)<sup>2</sup> Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) Standardization Organization (GSO)<sup>2</sup> Intergovernmental Authority on Development (IGAD)<sup>2</sup> International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) International Monetary Fund (IMF) International Office of Epizootics (OIE) International Organization of Legal Metrology (OIML)<sup>2</sup> International Organization for Standardization (ISO) International Telecommunication Union (ITU)<sup>2</sup> International Trade Centre (ITC) Latin American Integration Association (ALADI)<sup>2</sup> Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) Southern African Development Community (SADC)<sup>2</sup> UN Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE) United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)<sup>2</sup> WHO/FAO Codex Alimentarius Commission World Bank World Health Organization (WHO)

## 2 INTERNATIONAL INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS WHOSE REQUESTS FOR OBSERVER STATUS ARE PENDING

Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) Gulf Organization for Industrial Consulting (GOIC) International Accreditation Forum (IAF) and International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (ILAC) Office International de la Vigne et du Vin (OIV)

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