5. Ghana - motor vehicles

The United States and Canada commended Ghana for taking steps to improve road safety by adopting motor vehicle safety and emissions standards, and for notifying the measures to the WTO. However, the US and Canada are concerned that the measures mean that Ghana would discontinue accepting vehicles built to comply with US and Canadian regulations. In their view, basing the standards exclusively on the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE) standards would cause undue barriers to trade, and they encouraged Ghana to accept vehicles complying with other international standards.