

Abbreviations and Acronyms

AOWL	Advisory Centre on WTO Law
BIA	WTO Built-In Agenda
BRICS	Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa
CETA	Canada-EU Trade Agreement
CPTPP	Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trade Pacific Partnership
CTE	WTO Committee on Trade and Environment
DDA	Doha Development Agenda
DSU	WTO Dispute Settlement Understanding
EU	European Union
FDI	Foreign Direct Investment
FOGS	Functioning of the GATT'S System
FOWTO	Functioning of the WTO System
G20	Group of Twenty
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GPA	Government Procurement Agreement
GVC	Global Value Chain
IISD	International Institute for Sustainable Development
IMF	International Monetary Fund
ITO	International Trade Organization
LDC	Least Developed Countries
MC	Ministerial Conference
MEA	Multilateral Environmental Agreement
MFN	Most Favoured Nation
MSMEs	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises
MTS	Multilateral Trading System

NAFTA	North American Free Trade Agreement
NGO	Non-Governmental Organisation
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
PPMs	Production and Process Methods
RTA	Regional Trade Agreement
S&DT	Special and Differential Treatment
SDG	Sustainable Development Goal
SIA	Sustainable Impact Assessment
SIDS	Small Island Developing States
SPS	Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures
SSA	Sub-Saharan Africa
TBT	Technical Barriers to Trade
TFA	Trade Facilitation Agreement
TPP	Trans-Pacific Partnership
TRIPS	WTO Agreement on Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights
TTIP	Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership
UN	United Nations
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
UNEP	United Nations Environmental Programme
USA	United States of America
USMCA	United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement
WEF	World Economic Forum
WTO	World Trade Organization