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Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] Re: Freedom of Information Act request

This is a partial response of the Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR) to Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) No. FY18-02 requesting copies of “the listing/index of position papers in the office of the Trade Policy Staff Committee,” “the listing of Subcommittees under the Trade Policy Staff Committee framework,” “the meeting minutes for the Trade Policy Staff Committee during Calendar Year 2017 to date,” and “a copy of the directory of members of the Trade Policy Review Group SUBCOMMITTEES.”

After a search of our files, we have located one responsive document totaling three pages. Attached please find the list of subcommittees under the Trade Policy Staff Committee (TPSC) framework.

With respect to the remaining three records you requested,

1. the listing/index of position papers in the office of the Trade Policy Staff Committee: the USTR is still processing this portion of your request;
2. the meeting minutes for the TPSC during CY2017 to-date: after a search of our files, we did not locate any responsive records; and
3. directory of members of the Trade Policy Review Group (TPRG) subcommittees: please be advised that the TPRG does not have subcommittees.

If you have any questions, please let me know. I will keep you posted on our progress with respect to the listing/index of position papers.

Thank you,  
Monique

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This is the final response of the Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR) to Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) No. FY18-02 dated September 30, 2017 requesting “the listing/index of position papers in the office of the Trade Policy Staff Committee,” “the listing of Subcommittees under the Trade Policy Staff Committee framework,” “the meeting minutes for the Trade Policy Staff Committee during Calendar Year 2017 to date,” and “a copy of the directory of members of the Trade Policy Review Group SUBCOMMITTEES.” We have previously, partially responded on November 13, 2017.

Attached please find the “current listing/index of position papers,” which we are releasing in full.

If you need any further assistance or would like to discuss any aspect of your request, please contact me or my colleague Melissa Keppel by email at FOIA@ustr.eop.gov or 202-395-3419.

Thank you,  
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**Trade Policy Staff Committee Subcommittees  
Current through November 13, 2017**

<b>I.</b>	<b><u>Subcommittees</u></b>
	<b><u>A. Geographic Subcommittees</u></b>
	Africa
	AGOA Implementation
	Bolivia/Ecuador
	ASEAN
	APEC
	Australia FTA
	Australia/New Zealand
	Canada
	Caribbean (CARICOM) (excluding Cuba and Dominican Republic)
	CAFTA/DR
	Colombia
	Cuba
	Panama
	Arg./Brazil/Paraguay/Uruguay/Venezuela
	Chile/Peru
	China
	Europe (Including Turkey)
	India
	Japan
	Korea
	Laos
	Mexico/NAFTA
	Middle East and North Africa
	Pakistan
	Russia, Ukraine and Eurasian Economic Union
	Caucasus
	Russia Bilateral Agriculture Issues
	Singapore FTA
	Southern Africa Customs Union
	Southeast Asia
	Taiwan
	Trade Africa
	Vietnam
	<b><u>B. Functional Subcommittees</u></b>
	Aerospace Trade Issues
	Aeronautical Equipment
	Agriculture
	Antidumping
	Balance of Payments Restrictions
	Chemical Trade
	Congressional Liaison

**Trade Policy Staff Committee Subcommittees  
Current through November 13, 2017**

Customs (Including Harmonized System Customs Valuation Code)
Doha Working Group on Trade, Debt & Finance
Doha Rules
Environmental Goods and Services
Energy Goods Issues
Environmental Reviews
Goods MRAs
Fisheries/
FTA Environment Implementation, Monitoring and Compliance
Generalized System of Preferences
Government Procurement
Import Licensing
Information Systems
Intellectual Property, Special 301
Intergovernmental Relations
International Coffee Organization
WTO Trims
Bilateral Investment Treaties
Monitoring & Enforcement of Trade Agreements
NAFTA Standards Related Measures
OECD Trade
Preference Program Renewal and Reform
Pre Shipment Inspection
Rules of Origin
Safeguards
Section 301
Section 337
Information Technology Goods/Semiconductors
Services
Small Business Trade Issues
Softwood Lumber
Space Industries Trade
Steel/Metals
Subsidies/Countervailing Duties
Telecom
Textiles
Trade and Competition
Trade Deficit
Trade and Labor Negotiations
Trade and Labor M&E
Trade Capacity Building/ A4T
Trade and SOEs
UNCTAD Trade Issues
Wine
Wood Products
WTO Accessions
WTO Agriculture
WTO Dispute Settlement

**Trade Policy Staff Committee Subcommittees  
Current through November 13, 2017**

	WTO Environment
	WTO Developing Country Issues
	WTO Institutional (Council, Waivers, Budget)
	WTO Market Access
	WTO Monitoring of Protectionist Trade Measures
	WTO Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures
	WTO State Trading
	WTO Systemic Issues
	WTO Technical Barriers to Trade
	WTO Regional Trade Agreements
	WTO Trade Policy Reviews
<b><u>II.</u></b>	<b><u>Task forces</u></b>
	Compliance Task Force
	Electronic Commerce
	Localization Barriers to Trade
<b><u>III.</u></b>	<b><u>TTIP-related Groups</u></b>
	TTIP Coordinating Committee
	TTIP Regulatory Working Group
	TTIP SPS Sub Committee
	TTIP Agriculture Sub Committee

**Trade Policy Staff Committee Position Paper Index**

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2017-002	US-Colombia Secretariat Agreement
2017-003	EXCHANGE OF LETTERS TO IMPLEMENT THE APEC TELECOM MRA WITH NEW ZEALAND
2017-004	United States - European Union Sectoral Annex for Pharmaceutical Good Manufacturing Practices (GMPs): REVISION OF THE PHARMACEUTICAL ANNEX OF THE 1998 US-EU MUTUAL RECOGNITION AGREEMENT
2017-005	Subsidies Enforcement Report to Congress
2017-006	Section 337-TA-951, Certain Lithium Metal Oxide Cathode Materials
2017-007	Proposal to begin negotiations with the countries of Guatemala, El Salvador, Honduras, and Nicaragua on Tariff Rate Quotas for Chicken Leg Quarters Under the CAFTA-DR
2017-008	WTO Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Measures U.S. Submission: Options for discussion on the report of the fourth review
2017-009	Section 337: In the Matter of Certain Table Saws Incorporating Active Injury Mitigation Technology and Components Thereof, Investigation No. 337-TA-965
2017-010	WTO Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Measures, Workshop on Pesticide Maximum Residue Levels (MRLs): Possible Next Steps for Consideration by the SPS Committee Submission by Kenya, Uganda and the United States
2017-011	Joint Committee Decision to Modify a Claim of Preference under the United States – Israel Free Trade Agreement
2017-012	Section 337 Investigation No. 337-TA-959: In the Matter of Certain Electric Skin Care Devices, Brushes and Chargers Therefor, and Kits Containing the Same
2017-013	WTO Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Measures Sixty-eighth meeting Delegation Instructions
2017-014	WTO Technical Barriers to Trade Committee meeting which will be held on March 29-30, and TBT Committee Agenda
2017-015	World Wine Trade Group Arrangement on Information Exchange, Technical Cooperation and Counterfeiting
2017-016	Agreement on Exchange of Letter on Guatemalan Poultry Imports from the United States
2017-017	TPSC meeting on 2017 Special 301 Review
2017-018	Results of 2017 Special 301 review and the 2017 Special 301 Report
2017-019	Section 337 Investigation No. 337-TA-976: In the Matter of Certain Woven Textile Fabrics and Products Containing Same
2017-020	AGOA: Out-Of-Cycle Reviews
2017-021	Section 337 Investigation No. 337-TA-977: In the Matter of Certain Arrowheads with Deploying Blades and Components Thereof and Packaging Therefor
2017-022	Memorandum of Understanding with the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia regarding implementation of the Gulf Cooperation Council Food Guide
2017-023	Market access for U.S. producers of steel reinforcing bar in the Dominican Republic
2017-024	Section 337: In the Matter of Certain Pumping Bras, Investigation No. 337-TA-988,
2017-025	Generalized System of Preferences (GSP): 2016/2017 GSP Annual Review – Decisions on Product Issues and Self-Initiated Country Practice Reviews
2017-026	WTO Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Measures U.S. Comments on Transparency Workshop
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2017-028	WTO Technical Barriers to Trade Committee Instructions for June 14-15 and the TBT Committee Agenda
2017-029	The Eighteenth Report to Congress Pursuant to the Softwood Lumber Act of 2008
2017-030	Section 337: In the Matter of Certain Network Devices, Related Software and Components Thereof (II) Investigation No. 337-TA-945
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2017-035	Section 337: In the Matter of Certain Air Mattress Systems, Components Thereof, and Methods of Using the Same, Investigation No. 337-TA-971
2017-036	Section 337: In the Matter of Certain Automatic Teller Machines, ATM Modules, Components Thereof, and Products Containing Same Investigation No. 337-TA-972
2017-037	Section 337: In the Matter of Certain Carbon Spine Board, Cervical Collar, CPR Masks and Various Medical Training Manikin Devices, and Trademarks, Copyrights of Product Catalogues, Product Inserts and Components Thereof, Investigation No. 337-TA-1008
2017-038	Federal Register Notice Inviting Public Input on Congressionally Required Report on China's Compliance with WTO Commitments
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