VIRTUAL WTO WORKSHOP FOR BRAZILIAN PRIVATE SECTOR ON THE WTO TBT AND SPS AGREEMENTS

ROUGH DRAFT PROGRAMME

November-December 2020

Module 1

***OVERVIEW TBT AGREEMENT AND TBT COMMITTEE***

10 Nov (Tue) - 15.00-16.30 GVA time // 10.00-11:30 Brasilia time (total duration 1h30)

- Intro TBT principles and obligations (30 min)

- Intro work of the TBT Committee (20 min)

- Q&As/Debates (40 min)

Module 2

***OVERVIEW SPS AGREEMENT AND SPS COMMITTEE***

17 Nov (Tue) - 15.00-16.30 GVA time // 10.00-11:30 Brasilia time (total duration 1h30)

- Intro SPS principles and obligations (30 min)

- Intro work of the TBT Committee (20 min)

- Q&As/Debates (40 min)

Module 3

***TRANSPARENCY & WRAP-UP:***

3 Dec (Thu) - 15.00-17.00 GVA time // 10.00-noon Brasilia time (total duration 1h30)

- (part 1) *Transparency* (1h30): overview TBT-SPS transparency; TBT-SPS transparency tools with emphasis on ePing

- (part 2) *wrap-up* (30 min): Q&A with respect to any issues from Modules 1, 2 or 3