

Permanent Technical Committee

243rd/244th Sessions

(23-26 April 2024)

II.	Adoption of the Agenda <i>(For decision)</i>	PC0738E
V.	World Trade Organization (WTO) Trade Facilitation Agreement (TFA) <i>(To take note and for discussion)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Update from the WTOb. Mercator Programme progress reportc. Panel discussion on cooperation with the WTO and other Annex D organizations: How can collaboration and synergies between the WCO and these traditional partners be strengthened?<ul style="list-style-type: none">• WTO Trade Facilitation Agreement Facility (TFAF)• Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)• UN Trade and Development (formerly UNCTAD)• World Bank (WB)d. Presentation by Colombiae. Multi-agency initiatives<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation on Global Trade Helpdesk (GTH)• Presentation on Trade4MSMEs	PRESENTATION PC0739Ea PRESENTATION PRESENTATION PRESENTATION PRESENTATION PRESENTATION PRESENTATION
VI.	E-Commerce <i>(To take note, for discussion, guidance and endorsement)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Update on intersessional progress and Members' experiences of implementing the Framework of Standards on Cross-Border E-Commerce<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation by Brazil on Safety and security• Presentation by Japan on Public awareness, outreach and capacity building, and Measurement and analysis	PC0741Ea PRESENTATION PRESENTATION

	<p>b. E-commerce fulfilment and its implications for Customs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentations by Amazon (tbc) and Alibaba Group • Presentation by the United Kingdom on Fulfilment Houses <p>c. Expanding the concept of Authorized Economic Operator (AEO) to cross-border e-commerce</p> <p>d. 5th edition of the Compendium of Case Studies on E-Commerce</p>	<p>PRESENTATION</p> <p>PRESENTATION</p> <p>PC0742Ea PC0742EAE1a</p> <p>PC0743Eb PC0743EAE1b</p>
VII.	<p>Traveler facilitation and control</p> <p><i>(To take note, and for discussion, guidance and endorsement)</i></p> <p>a. Update on new Terms of Reference (ToR) for the API and BRI/PNR Contact Committee</p> <p>b. Information on submission to the International Maritime Organization (IMO) for an amendment to the Convention on Facilitation of International Maritime Traffic (FAL Convention)</p> <p>c. Report on BRI Pilot</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by Cruise Line International Association 	<p>PC0744Ea PC0744EAE1a PC0744EAE2a</p> <p>PRESENTATION</p>
VIII.	<p>Smart Customs Project</p> <p><i>(To take note)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update on the Smart Customs Project 	<p>PRESENTATION</p>
IX.	<p>Digital Customs</p> <p><i>(For discussion, guidance and decision)</i></p> <p>a. Foreign Trader Identification Number</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by the United States <p>b. Concept paper on the use of blockchain by Customs</p> <p>c. DMPT's recommendation for the revision of the WCO Data Strategy Paper</p>	<p>PRESENTATION</p> <p>PC0745Ea</p> <p>PC0746Ea</p>
X.	<p>Single Window</p> <p><i>(To take note, and for discussion and guidance)</i></p>	<p>PC0747Ea</p>

	<p>b. UN Trade and Development (formerly UNCTAD) Paper on Roadmap for Building a Trade Single Window</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by the UN Trade and Development (formerly UNCTAD) <p>d. Presentation by Pakistan on the Pakistan Single Window (PSW) initiative</p>	<p>PRESENTATION</p> <p>PRESENTATION</p>
XI.	<p>Customs-Port Cooperation</p> <p><i>(For discussion and guidance)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revision of the Guidelines on Cooperation between Customs and Port Authorities 	<p>PC0748Ea PC0748EAE1a</p>
XII.	<p>Rules of Origin</p> <p><i>(To take note, and for discussion and endorsement)</i></p> <p>a. Update on the Feasibility Study on the Interconnectivity Framework for Certificates of Origin</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by Korea on interconnectivity for Certificates of Origin • The draft Feasibility Study on the Interconnectivity Framework for Certificates of Origin <p>b. WCO Origin-related Studies: Study on the Digitalization of the Certificate of Origin, Study on Accumulation/Cumulation</p>	<p>PC0749Eb PC0749EAE1b</p> <p>PRESENTATION</p> <p>PC0750Ea PC0750EAE1a PC0750EAE2a</p>
XIII.	<p>Time Release Study (TRS)</p> <p><i>(To take note and for guidance)</i></p> <p>c. Update on TRS capacity building support under the SECO-WCO Global Trade Facilitation Programme (GTFP)</p> <p>d. Presentation by Zambia</p>	<p>PC0751Ea</p> <p>PRESENTATION</p> <p>PRESENTATION</p>
XIV.	<p>Transit</p> <p><i>(To take note, for discussion and guidance)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by the Borderless Alliance 	<p>PC0740Ea</p> <p>PRESENTATION</p>
XV.	<p>Facilitation tools</p> <p><i>(For discussion and guidance)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developing and updating tools in line with the WCO Strategic Plan 	<p>PC0754Ea</p>

XVI.	<p>Strengthening Customs-Industry Resilience</p> <p><i>(For discussion and decision)</i></p> <p>a. Draft Resolution of the Customs Co-operation Council on Strengthening Customs-Industry Resilience</p> <p>b. Presentation by New Zealand</p>	<p>PC0753Eb PC0753EAE1b</p> <p>PRESENTATION</p>
XVII.	<p>Green Customs</p> <p><i>(To take note)</i></p> <p>a. Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for the control of waste shipments</p> <p>b. Improving the Prior Informed Consent (PIC) procedure under the Basel Convention, and electronic approaches</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by the Basel Convention Secretariat 	<p>PC0752Ea</p> <p>PRESENTATION</p>
XVIII.	<p>Glossary of International Customs Terms</p> <p><i>(To take note and for guidance)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update on the Glossary of International Customs Terms 	<p>PC0755Ea</p>
XIX.	<p>PTC Work Programme</p> <p><i>(To take note and for decision)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Progress report on the Revised PTC Work Programme 2022-2025 	<p>PC0756Ea PC0756EAE1a</p>
XXII.	<p>Upcoming events</p> <p><i>(To take note)</i></p>	<p>PRESENTATION</p>