ANNEX 4

"ON AMENDMENTS TO THE CUSTOMS CODE OF
THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN”

Law of the Republic of Kazakhstan No. 211 of 8 January, 2007

The following amendments shall be introduced to the Customs Code of the Republic of Kazakhstan of 5 April 2003:

1) Article 42:
   paragraph 3 shall be eliminated;
   in paragraph 4 the words “in paragraphs 2 and 3” shall be replaced with the words “in paragraph 2”;

2) paragraph 2 of Article 47 shall be replaced with the following:
   "2. Customs authorities specified in Paragraph 1 of this Article upon the person’s (applicant’s) application shall make a preliminary decision on the determination of the country of origin of a product when the information on the product is available and presented in accordance with the Article 48 of this Code. Preliminary decisions with regard to determination of the country of origin shall be made when preferential and non-preferential regimes are applied. The procedure for making and form of preliminary decision on these issues shall be defined by the authorized body on customs issues."

3) Article 307 shall be replaced with the following:
   " Article 307. Determination of the Customs Value of Imported Goods
   The customs value of goods imported onto the customs territory of the Republic of Kazakhstan shall be based on the general principles of customs valuation under the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade and the Agreement on Implementation of Article VII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade."

President of the Republic of Kazakhstan