ANNEX B

DECISION OF THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT ON ADOPTION OF WORK PROGRAMMES*

Decision of 30 March 2012

The Committee on Government Procurement,

Noting that pursuant to Article XXII:8(b), the Committee may adopt a decision listing additional work programmes, which the Committee shall undertake to facilitate the implementation of the Agreement and the negotiations provided for in Article XXII:7 of the Agreement;

Decides as follows:

1. The following work programmes are added to the list of work programmes on which the Committee shall conduct future work:
   (a) a review of the use, transparency and the legal frameworks of public-private partnerships, and their relationship to covered procurement;
   (b) the advantages and disadvantages of developing common nomenclature for goods and services; and
   (c) the advantages and disadvantages of developing standardized notices.

2. The Committee shall develop the scope and timetable for each such work programme at a later date.

3. The Committee shall periodically review this list of programmes and make appropriate adjustments.