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Corrigendum

Paragraph 19, on page 5 of MTN.GNG/NG9/W/16, should read as follows:

"The issue of geographical coverage of safeguard measures has been at the core of the safeguards negotiations for a decade and a half. More than anytime before there is a need to approach this issue in the light of the overriding objective of the negotiations. The third indent of the negotiating mandate calls for clarification and reinforcement of the disciplines of the General Agreement. There is little purpose in clarifying and reinforcing the disciplines if those disciplines are not applied by all contracting parties. It is therefore essential that a comprehensive agreement on safeguards deals effectively with the question of "grey-area" measures. That is the fundamental challenge of the Negotiating Group on Safeguards."