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Free Trade Area of Asia-Pacific Capacity Building Workshop on Competition Policy: Sharing Good Examples of Free Trade Agreements and Economic Partnership Agreements Puerto Varas, Chile 24 August 2019

(CTI 04 19T) FTAAP Capacity Building Workshop on Competition Policy under the 3rd REI CBNI: sharing good examples of FTAs/EPAs

24 August 2019 Enjoy/Tronador, Puerto Varas, Chile

<u>Programme</u>

08:30-09:00	Registration
09:00-09:10	Opening Remarks
(10 mins)	Mr. Justin ALLEN, CTI Chair Ms. Naoko UEDA, Director APEC Division, Economic Affairs Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Japan
09:10-09:20	Introduction
(10 mins)	Report on the results of collecting data on components of the Competition
	Chapter on FTAs/EPAs recently concluded by APEC economies
	Mr. Hiroshi KUDO, Negotiator for Economic Partnership Agreements, Economic Partnership Division, Economic Affairs Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Japan
09:20-11:10	Session 1
(110 mins)	Examples of FTAs/EPAs including "desirable elements" in the Competition
	Chapter
	 Good practice of "Addressing anti-competitive activities" (30 mins) Ms. Nadia VASSOS, Former Negotiator for Competition Policy Chapters for the Government of Canada
	2. Good practice of "technical cooperation" (30 mins)
	Mr. Hideyuki SHIMOZU, Senior Planning Officer, International Affairs Division, Secretariat,
	General Secretariat, Fair Trade Commission, Japan
	 Good practice of "technical cooperation" and its benefits (30 mins) Mr. Benjamin E. RADOC, Jr, Director, Economics Office, Philippine Competition Commission
	(Open the floor for discussion and Q&A) (20 mins)
11:10-11:20	Coffee Break
(10 mins)	
11:20-12:40	Session 2
(80 mins)	Examples of FTAs/EPAs including "optional elements"
	1. Cooperation between agencies, best practices of cooperation/coordination of enforcement
	activities, and policy) (30 mins) Mr. Timothy LONGMAN, International Counsel in the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice, USA
	 Good practice of cooperation among the competition authorities (30 mins) Ms. Julie GLASGOW, Director, Competition Law Implementation Program, Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC)
	(Open the floor for discussion and Q&A) (20 mins)

12:40-14:10	Lunch
(90 mins)	
14:10-15:30	Session 3
(80 mins)	Impacts of high-quality and comprehensive FTAs/EPAs on the economic
	circumstances (30 mins*2) Mr. Nick MALYSHEV, Head of Division, Regulatory Policy Division, OECD Ms. Ximena ROJAS PACINI, Lawyer, Counselor Competition Division, Estudio Alessandri, Chile (Open the floor for discussion and Q&A) (20 mins)
15:30-15:40	Wrap Up and Closing
(10 mins)	Mr. Hiroshi KUDO, Negotiator for Economic Partnership Agreements, Economic Partnership Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Japan
	(Participants to fill the evaluation form)