AGENDA

FIRST CEFTA SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING ON TECHNICAL BARIERS TO TRADE AND NON TARIFF BARRIERS

5-6 June 2008, Belgrade The Republic of Serbia

Venue: Ministry of Economy and Regional Development Bulevar Kralja Aleksandra 15 Belarade Meeting room, 1st floor

Thursday - 5 June 2008

09:15 Registration

Welcome Address and Introductory Remarks 09:30

Bojana Todorovic

Assistant Minister in the Ministry of Economy and Regional Development of the Republic of Serbia

- 09:40 Review of development of regional trade, focusing on TBT and NTBs - specific activities/measures affecting trade among CEFTA Parties Tour de Table (by Parties in alphabetical order)
- 10:30 Coffee Break
- 10:45 Identify sectors and products where TBT and NTBs exist in trade among CEFTA Parties and bilateral – based on filled template Tour de Table (by Parties in alphabetical order)
- 11:30 Discussion on the best way of eliminating TBT and NTBs Tour de Table (by Parties in alphabetical order)
- 13:00 Lunch break - a cocktail will be organized in the Ministry of Economy and **Regional Development**
- 14:30 Identification of possible ways to conclude plurilateral agreements on harmonization of technical regulations and standards and mutual recognition of conformity assessment procedures between CEFTA Parties;
- 15:30 Coffee break
- 15:45 Exchange of experience on TBT issues - network of institutions; functioning of enquiry points and notification bodies; procedures on the border crossings and market surveillance bodies;

Tour de Table (by Parties in alphabetical order)

17:00 Close of Meeting

19:30 Reception - dinner Hosted by the Ministry of Economy and Regional Development

Friday – 6 June 2008

- **09:30** Elaboration and adoption of the Action Plan Timetable on further steps
- **10:30** Coffee break
- 10:45 Adoption of the Agreed Minutes
- 12:30 Close of Meeting