

**RECOMMENDATION OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE OF THE CENTRAL  
EUROPEAN FREE TRADE AGREEMENT  
No. 1/2012**

**On recognition of test report of the CABs**

**Adopted on 8 November 2012**

The Joint Committee,

Pursuant to Article 13.4 of Annex 1 to the Agreement on Amendment of and Accession to the Central European Free Trade Agreement;

With the objective to eliminate unnecessary existing technical barriers to trade,

Has recommended the following:

The CEFTA Party will recognize the test report of the other CEFTA Party when it has been issued by the conformity assessment body which is accredited by the accreditation body signatory of EA multilateral agreements provided that the respective conformity assessment tasks have been included in the scope of the multilateral agreement to which the accreditation body is a signatory.

Notwithstanding the paragraph above the Parties take note and agree with the decision of Montenegro and the Republic of Moldova, as the CEFTA Parties, not to join to this Recommendation.

This recommendation shall take effect on the date of its adoption.

Adopted in Tirana on 8 November 2012 in the presence of representatives of

Republic of Albania

Bosnia and Herzegovina

Republic of Croatia

Republic of Macedonia

Republic of Moldova

Montenegro

Republic of Serbia

The United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo on behalf of Kosovo  
in accordance with United Nations Security Council Resolution 1244