



WORLD TRADE
ORGANIZATION

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**PROTOCOL AMENDING THE MARRAKESH AGREEMENT
ESTABLISHING THE WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION
DONE AT GENEVA ON 27 NOVEMBER 2014**

AGREEMENT ON TRADE FACILITATION

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE

I have the honour to inform you that on 22 April 2016, the **Russian Federation** accepted the Protocol Amending the Marrakesh Agreement Establishing the World Trade Organization, done at Geneva on 27 November 2014 (the "Protocol").

In accordance with its paragraph 4, the Protocol shall enter into force for the Russian Federation upon acceptance of the Protocol by two thirds of the Members.

Pursuant to paragraph 1 of the Protocol, Annex 1A to the Marrakesh Agreement Establishing the World Trade Organization shall, upon entry into force of the Protocol, be amended by the insertion of the Agreement on Trade Facilitation, as set out in the Annex to the Protocol, to be placed after the Agreement on Safeguards.

This notification is furnished in accordance with paragraph 5 of the Protocol.

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Director-General