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## SIDE EVENT ON GOOD GOVERNANCE IN DEVELOPING MODERN QUALITY INFRASTRUCTURE SYSTEMS

20 JUNE 2018, 13.15 – 14.45<sup>1</sup>

ROOM S2

DRAFT PROGRAMME

### Welcoming remarks

Ms. Monica Rubiolo, Head of Division at Swiss State Secretariat for Economic Affairs SECO  
Mr. Aik Hoe Lim, Director, Trade and Environment Division, WTO

### Video

“Good Governance in setting modern Quality Infrastructure systems”

### Panel Discussion

Setting a Strategic Approach to Access the Global Trading System

Moderator:

Mr. Deryck Omar, Chief Executive Officer, Regional Organization for Standards and Quality (CROSQ) - The African, Caribbean and Pacific Group of States (ACP)

Speakers:

- Good Governance in Quality Policy Design - Foundations for a Robust QI: Mr. Bernardo Calzadilla Sarmiento, Director of Trade, Investment and Innovation TII, UNIDO
- Conformity Assessment standards as a means for good governance of QI - Focus on the ISO/CASCO conformity assessment toolbox: Mr. Sean McCurtain, Head of Conformity Assessment, International Organization for Standardization ISO
- Reducing the Cost of Trading through International Cooperation in QI and Mutual Recognition Agreements (MRAs): Ms. Merih Malmqvist Nilsson, ILAC Chair on behalf of INQI
- Approaching good governance in QI through Technical Assistance - The Global Standards and Quality Programme GQSP: Ms. Monica Rubiolo, Head of Division at Swiss State Secretariat for Economic Affairs SECO
- The regional perspective in good governance principles for QI in the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS): Mr. Mamadou Traore, ECOWAS Commissioner for Industry and Private Sector Promotion
- Role of WTO in supporting QI: Mr. Aik Hoe Lim, Director, Trade and Environment Division

Q&A

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<sup>1</sup> A light lunch will be offered in front of Room S2 prior to the session.