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1.4 Article 20.2: Delayed application of the computed value method

5. Pursuant to paragraph 2 of Article 20, 51 developing country Members delayed application of paragraph 2(b)(ii) of Article 1 and of Article 6 for three years from the date of entry into force of the WTO Agreement for each of them.⁷

1.5 Article 20.3: Technical assistance

6. At its meeting of 24 July 2001 the Committee agreed on resuming its work on technical assistance in response to a proposal from the European Communities and adopted its work programme on technical assistance.⁸ On 26 February 2002, the Committee decided to start its work programme with a seminar on technical assistance.⁹ Currently, technical assistance in the area of customs valuation is incorporated into the WTO-wide technical assistance programme.¹⁰

7. The WTO Secretariat has been providing technical assistance based on biennial plans. Individual Members may submit a request for technical assistance at any time and it will be met by a national activity designed according to the needs of the recipient.¹¹

1.6 Annex III

1.6.1 Text of Annex III

ANNEX III

1. The five-year delLi.4 (d)2m52.3 (e)98 delL45 e-xt -0. (e)-50 c /CS1 cs 0 1 assi

"The Government of reserves the right to provide that the relevant provision of Article 4 of the Agreement shall apply only when the customs authorities agree to the request to reverse the order of Articles 5 and 6."

If developing countries make such a reservation, the Members shall consent to it under Article 21 of the Agreement. 4 of 084 >>BDC (v)11.4 (eD Td th(476)-2 (l)11.3 (4 ((pr)4.3 -5.3 (.)gi)

