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1.1 Text of Paragraph A

Members hereby agree as follows:

A. Objectives

(i) The purpose of the Trade Policy Review Mechanism ("TPRM") is to contribute to improved adherence by all Members to rules, disciplines and commitments made under the Multilateral Trade Agreements and, where applicable, the Plurilateral Trade Agreements, and hence to the smoother functioning of the multilateral trading

1. In Canada – Aircraft, Brazil referred to material from a Trade Policy Review, and argued against reliance on this material. Brazil argued that assistance to the regional aircraft industry conferred a "benefit", relying on a statement in the Secretariat report in the 1998 Policy Review of Canada that the programme in question "provides export guarantees for projects considered too risky by private financial institutions". The Panel noted that according to paragraph A(i), the TPRM "is not, however, intended to serve as a basis for the enforcement

consider that paragraph A(i) of the TPRM applies to this situation, or that the Panel is