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the ACP Ministers of Trade have outlined priority issues including agriculture, Non-Agricultural Market Access (NAMA), implementation issues, special and differential treatment, trade preferences and Regional Trade Agreements as well as expeditious implementation of work programmes for LDCs and Small Economies. This should include duty-free and quota-free market access for export products of LDCs.

The negotiations on agriculture are central to the success of the Doha Development Round. However, this is one area where the positions of Member States are still far apart. This reflects the importance of the sector to the economies of the Member States, both developed and developing. This for