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Labour and environment

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Pharmaceuticals

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Meaningful stakeholder engagement despite different format

15 Despite questions raised by some stakeholders before the round about a lack of opportunity for meaningful interaction, the Singapore programme allowed for useful engagement in a number of contexts. In order to allow maximum time for negotiation and to address security concerns, Singapore organised a half-day stakeholder forum on Sunday, which was well-attended by stakeholders and delegates and prompted some useful debate, particularly in intellectual property, with presentations from Google and other IT groups; along with some US textiles interests. Both these sessions were useful in highlighting the extent of mainstream US industry interests.

There was a stakeholder briefing by chief negotiators on Tuesday, a reception for delegates and stakeholders on Wednesday and a media briefing on Friday which generated a large turn-out. In addition, Singapore organised a specific half-day labour programme including unions and the chamber of commerce. While negotiating rooms themselves were closed to stakeholders, the venue was part of a large hotel and shopping complex which provided good opportunities for interaction between negotiators and stakeholders in the lobbies and adjacent public areas.

Shape of a Honolulu “framework” is less clear

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Political road map and timetable will need to be the focus in Montana

18. We still await details from Washington, US, on timing and format for a meeting of TPP Ministers in the
margins of the APEC/WFTT from 9-20 May.
20 The next round will be held in Ho Chi Minh City. The official dates are 20-24 June, but the round is likely to be extended following the practice in Singapore.

21 TPP countries have commenced contingency planning for a meeting in December and up to five rounds next year. If addressees are asked about the fact that we are looking at dates for 2012, it will be important to note that a) we are pencilling in dates for December and the early part of 2012 to ensure we have time blocked out for work needed to complete an agreement based on a Honolulu framework deal and that b) we also want to have dates in place to allow for the possibility of launching.
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SUBJECT

TPP Round 6: Snapshot report (1 of 2)

SUMMARY

Our C4/1/223 refers. Attached are the rough "snapshot" reports produced by chapter leads at the end of Round 6 in Singapore.

Snapshots will be sent in two batches given difficulties with sending large numbers of attachments.

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Snapshot Report, Round 6 – Singapore

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Round 6
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Snap Shot report on Technical Barriers to Trade

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Sixth Round of Negotiations
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TPP Round 6: Snapshot reports (2 of 2)

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'Snap Shot' Report - Legal and Institutional Chapters

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SUBJECT

TPP: MINISTERIAL DISCUSSIONS IN BIG SKY

SUMMARY

Full-fledged elimination is still the goal for TPP.

Common ground among TPP ministers on satisfaction with progress to date, on need for broad outline of a deal by November and desire to conclude in a matter of months after Honolulu.

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TPP-related issues have featured heavily in discussion in the margins of this week's APEC trade ministers' meeting in Big Sky, Montana.

Goals for Honolulu

Push for clarity on goods for Honolulu
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Viet Nam

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At the end of their meeting TPP ministers released a joint statement (attached, along with MoT statement) which among other things made explicit the goal of reaching the broad outlines of an agreement by November.
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TPP Round 7: Ho Chi Minh City 15-24 June 2011

SUMMARY

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Action

For information. A separate cable will follow containing more detailed "snapshot" reports from each working group.

Report

Page 1 of 5
The seventh round of TPP negotiations took place in Ho Chi Minh City from 15 to 24 June.

3 Viet Nam also ran a mod programme for the 190 registered stakeholders and fronted s6(a) for media and stakeholder briefings. There was a strong turnout for a Stakeholder Forum on the Sunday, with presentations ranging from business perspectives on specific commercial and regulatory issues through to NGO concerns about impacts on social policies. Viet Nam’s Minister of Trade and Industry welcomed delegates and stakeholders at a reception on 20 June, and chief negotiators from all nine countries briefed stakeholders in a dedicated session on 21 June. Stakeholders also organised several events, including a joint event by the New Zealand, Australian, US and Chilean dairy industries on the importance of preserving common-use food names in TPP Intellectual Property negotiations, and a luncheon forum organised by NZRise on the technology industry’s concerns around the potential impact of certain intellectual property commitments on the sector.

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SUMMARY
Overall there was good progress at the eighth (Chicago) round of Trans Pacific Partnership negotiations and the negotiation is in reasonable shape as we prepare for the next round in Lima in October and the TPP meetings in the margins of APEC in Honolulu in November. A number of chapters have been identified for substantial completion in Lima or following rounds though there are others where we are wrestling with major differences.

Plans for TPP announcements at APEC in November are firming up. Current thinking is that there should be a short statement from Leaders coupled with a report from TPP trade ministers and a more detailed paper outlining progress and outlook in the main working groups. The aim would be to release sufficient detail to substantiate a Honolulu announcement that participants have achieved the 'broad outlines of an agreement'.

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REPORT

Overview

Delegations from New Zealand, Australia, Brunei, Chile, Malaysia, Peru, Singapore, the United States
of America and Viet Nam met in Chicago between 6 and 15 September for the eighth round of Trans
Pacific Partnership negotiations. While progress was uneven, results from the round overall were
positive.

Progress

Goods

Services and Investment

There has been reasonable progress on text in most areas of the services and investment cluster.

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Regulatory issues

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Other areas of the negotiation
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- State enterprises:

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- Pharmaceuticals:

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Future process

16 Delegations have a short time after completion of the Chicago round to prepare for a ninth round in Lima beginning on 19 October. Results from Lima will essentially determine what can be said in Honolulu about our success in achieving the “broad outlines of an agreement”. A number of chapters have been identified as candidates for concentrated attention in Lima in the hope that we can achieve “substantial completion” of chapter text.

17 In the interests of maintaining momentum after the Honolulu meetings of Trade Ministers and Leaders, plans are in place for a mini-round in Kuala Lumpur in the week of 6 December focusing primarily on market access. Key dates have yet to be tied down for 2012 rounds but current thinking is that we should aim to have three full rounds in the March to July period.

Honolulu

19 There was some discussion in Chicago on TPP deliverables for Honolulu centred on an announcement that negotiators have arrived at the “broad outlines of an agreement”. Stakeholders

20 As with previous rounds there was a large stakeholder presence in Chicago. New Zealand stakeholders (NZ-US Council), (Beef + Lamb), (Forterra), (Internal NZ), (NZ Seafood Industry Council), attended and presented on various topics at the large programme of stakeholder presentations on Saturday 10 September. In addition to attendance at the presentations, New Zealand negotiators engaged with these stakeholders, and others representing industry and civil society from other countries. New Zealand stakeholders were quite active both in involvement in the stakeholder presentations and in discussions with negotiators from a variety of delegations, leading a member of another delegation to remark that they were impressed with the quality of the engagement of New Zealand stakeholders in this process. While sometimes a distraction from the core purpose of the round - to negotiate - the visibility of New Zealand stakeholders at these events usefully reinforced to other delegations that New Zealand has a significant stake in this game.
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Summary

The Lima round produced limited progress in core areas of the negotiation such as market access for goods and services. There were strong results in parts of the regulatory agenda. We are now seeing better engagement in some areas of the negotiation on intellectual property but positions on key issues remain far apart.

There was broad agreement on the content of a Honolulu Leaders’ statement, a report from Ministers to Leaders and other supporting documentation. These drafts offer a good basis for Leaders to announce that we have arrived at the “broad outlines of an agreement”.

Pending instructions from Ministers and Leaders on next steps, negotiators have provisionally agreed on timing for a mini-round in December and five full negotiating rounds in 2012. There is a general understanding that we can aim to have chapter text substantially completed by July 2012.

Action

Background for forthcoming TPP meetings in Honolulu.

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Progress in the services and investment non-conforming measures negotiations continue at a slow pace. Reviewing nine sets of schedules was always going to be a long and complicated task. Over the past few rounds there have been some positive discussions in the regulatory area. Over the past few rounds there have been some positive discussions in the regulatory area.
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Progress in other areas of the services and investment clusters is mixed:

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The highlights of discussions on other areas of the negotiation not covered above are as follows:

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Chief negotiators' discussions

Membership

14 Membership issues featured in a number of discussions in Lima.

Honolulu deliverables

17 The Honolulu package is coming together well. The documents prepared for release after the 12 November Leaders meeting comprise a statement from Leaders announcing the conclusion of the broad outlines of an agreement, a report from Trade Ministers to Leaders on progress, and a report on how the broad outlines of the agreement had been achieved by negotiators.

Timing for 2012 rounds

However, chief negotiators have reached agreement on provisional dates for intersessional meetings in December and January and five full negotiating rounds in 2012. The dates agreed for 2012 are 1-9 March, 8-16 May, 2-10 July, 24 September-3 October and 3-12 December. It is likely to be the venue for the first round of negotiations in 2012. There will be an expectation of New Zealand hosting another round in 2012.
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Chapter by chapter

21  We attach a chapter by chapter summary of the situation in the negotiation at the conclusion of the Lima round, together with some comment from a New Zealand interest perspective.

Handling media queries

22  We expect that media interest in TPP will increase in the lead up to APEC meetings in Honolulu. Our general guidance on responding to media enquiries regarding TPP is that Posts should respond to factual questions about New Zealand’s participation in TPP but if you receive queries about New Zealand’s approach to aspects of the negotiation please contact CMD (s92724) for advice or refer the reporter to the MFAT media phone (+64 21 375 163).
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Legal and Institutional Issues

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Summary

The Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) intersessional meeting offered the first opportunity for TPP
countries to work through the operational implications of Leaders’ call for negotiators to conclude an
agreement in the coming year.

Five working
groups met to work on text and also developed chapter work plans to help focus their efforts over the
next six months, including March and May full rounds. Remaining working groups will manage the
same task electronically. New Zealand also conducted some market access bilaterals.

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For information.

Report

Chief Negotiators (CNs) and five working groups from the nine Trans-Pacific Partnership parties met in
Kuala Lumpur (KL) for an intersessional round 5-9 December 2011. It was agreed that the meeting
would be known as Round 10 although it did not involve all working groups.