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Review

1. The Committee shall review annually the implementation and operation of Parts II and III of this Agreement having regard to its objectives. The Committee shall annually inform the Council for Trade in Goods of developments during the period covered by such reviews.
2. The Committee shall review the provisions of Parts I, II and III and propose amendments as necessary to reflect the results of the harmonization work programme.
3. The Committee, in cooperation with the Technical Committee, shall set up a mechanism to consider and propose amendments to the results of the harmonization work programme, taking into account the objectives and principles set out in Article 9. This may include instances where the rules need to be made more operational or need to be updated to take into account new production processes as affected by any technological change.

1.2 Article 6.1: Annual reviews of Parts II and III

1. As of February 2020, the Committee on Rules of Origin had conducted twenty-six annual reviews of the implementation and operation of the Agreement on Rules of Origin.¹ Currently, Members have not finalized the work programme for the harmonization of non-preferential rules of origin mandated in Article 9 of the Agreement. A report describing the work of the Committee has been prepared every year and forwarded to the Council for Trade in Goods.²

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¹ See [G/RO/3](#); [G/RO/12](#); [G/RO/21](#); [G/RO/28](#); [G/RO/43](#); [G/RO/47](#); [G/RO/50](#); [G/RO/55](#); [G/RO/57](#); [G/RO/59](#); [G/RO/60](#); [G/RO/63](#); [G/RO/65](#); [G/RO/67](#); [G/RO/69](#); [G/RO/70](#); [G/RO/71](#); [G/RO/73](#) and [Corr.1](#); [G/RO/74](#); [G/RO/75](#); [G/RO/77](#); [G/RO/78](#); and [G/RO/86](#).

² [G/L/36](#) and [Corr.1](#) for 1995; [G/L/119](#) for 1996; [G/L/210](#) for 1997; [G/L/271](#) for 1998; [G/L/326](#) for 1999; [G/L/413](#) for 2000; [G/L/490/Rev.1](#) for 2001; [G/L/593](#) for 2002; [G/L/656](#) for 2003; [G/L/704](#) for 2004; [G/L/747](#) for 2005; [G/L/790](#) for 2006; [G/L/831](#) for 2007; [G/L/870](#) for 2008; [G/L/905](#) for 2009; [G/L/939](#) for 2010; [G/L/975](#) for 2011; [G/L/1016](#) for 2012; [G/L/1047](#) for 2013; [G/L/1085](#) for 2014; [G/L/1127](#) for 2015; [G/L/1159](#) for 2016; [G/L/1188](#) for 2017; [G/L/1266](#) for 2018; [G/L/1331](#) for 2019; [G/L/1378](#) for 2020; [G/L/1405](#) for 2021; [G/L/1440](#) for 2022; and [G/L/1499](#) for 2023.