

**First Meeting of the Free Trade Commission  
established under the Free Trade Agreement between the Government of the  
Republic of Peru and the Government of the People's Republic of China**

**Joint Report**

The Delegation of the Government of the People's Republic of China and the Delegation of the Government of the Republic of Peru, held the First Meeting of the Free Trade Commission established under the Free Trade Agreement (FTA) between both countries, on July 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> 2012, at the Ministry of Foreign Trade and Tourism in Lima, Peru. The list of delegates of both countries is attached to this report as Annex 1.

The Free Trade Commission Meeting has allowed both countries to jointly discuss the development of bilateral trade relations and the proper implementation of the FTA, the exchange of information and experiences, the solution of difficulties encountered in various areas of bilateral trade and investment, and the promotion of the bilateral cooperation.

Also, in the framework of the Free Trade Commission, the Committees on Trade in Goods, Rules of Origin, Trade Facilitation, Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures, Technical Barriers to Trade, Investment, and Cooperation, including Intellectual Property, established under the FTA, have met on July 25<sup>th</sup>.

The Parties agreed on an agenda for the meeting and reached the following results:

1. Dynamic of Bilateral Trade: The Parties exchanged information about the results of the first two years of the entry into force of the FTA, expressing a common view regard the positive outcomes reached in terms of bilateral trade.
2. Issues relating to compliance and implementation of the FTA: The Parties discussed about the following issues:
  - Contact Points of the Agreement, Committees and Working Groups: Peru and China will send an updated list of contact points established under different provisions of the FTA, including the specific contact information, on August 24<sup>th</sup>.

- Information on Peruvian importers problems regarding Chinese suppliers: Peru shared information about two cases and expressed its concerns about possible affectation of the bilateral trade. The Parties agreed to share that information with the pertinent authorities, for the Chinese side is through the Economic-Commercial Counselors Office of its Embassy in Peru. Peru will exchange the specific contact point information.
- Proposal for develop an agreement between Trade Promotion Agencies to support Commercial Offices of both countries in the counterpart: Peru shared general information about its interest and expressed its intention to send a proposal before the end of this year.
- Concerning the proposal of Peruvian side on promoting trade relations through the Promotion Agencies. Chinese side express that from the perspective of mutual relations, the idea of the Peruvian side is welcomed.
- Other matters of interest of the Parties. The China side express their concern about the antidumping probe took by INDECOPI on Chinese apparels and apparel accessories on June 23, 2012.

Peru manifest that this process is conducted by INDECOPI, even though they encourage to Chinese government to support exporters and importers of those sectors to provide all the information required by INDECOPI, because that is a key issue to conclude those process.

For the provision of that information the Chinese contact point will be Economic-Commercial Counselors Office of its Embassy in Peru.

### 3. Exchange of information on ongoing trade negotiations with third countries:

- Peru shared information about its participation in trade negotiation in the framework of the Trans Pacific Partnership, the Pacific Alliance and the bilateral negotiations with Thailand, Honduras and El Salvador.
- China shared information about its participation in trade negotiation. At this time China has 6 ongoing trade negotiations, including 11 countries. Those

negotiations are with Korea, Australia, Switzerland, Norway, Iceland and GCC, respectively.

- The Parties agree to continue sharing information about experience on FTA agreements.
4. Next Meeting of the Free Trade Commission, Committees and Working Groups established under the FTA: The Parties agreed to hold the Second Meeting of the Free Trade Commission in China during 2013. The Parties will conduct additional coordination in the next months in order to establish the possible date and venue for the meeting taking into account the availability in their agendas.

China side congratulates Peruvian coordination as the host of the First Free Trade Commission Meeting.

5. Evaluation of results of Committees Meetings: The Free Trade Commission received and evaluated the results of Committees Meetings. The description of results of each committee is attached to this report as Annex 2.

Finally, the Heads of both delegations welcomed the positive results during the meetings of the Free Trade Commission and Committees, expressed and adopted in this report and its annexes, and encouraged each other to continue making efforts to increase bilateral trade and maintain good bilateral relations between both countries.

Lima, July 26<sup>th</sup> 2012

## ANNEX 1

### Delegation Lists for the Peru-China Free Trade Commission Meeting

#### I. Chinese Delegation

Mr. Yao Wenliang	Commercial Counselor, Department of International Trade and Economic Affairs, Ministry of Commerce (MOFCOM)
Ms. Wang Yan	First Secretary, Department of International Trade and Economic Affairs, MOFCOM
Mr. Hu Rongzhong	Official, Department of International Trade and Economic Affairs, MOFCOM
Mr. Feng Jinping	Deputy Director-General, Department of Customs, Ministry of Finance
Mr. Yang Chenfei	Deputy Division Director, Department of Customs, Ministry of Finance
Mr. Liu Ping	Division Director, Customs Duties Collection and Control Department, General Administration of Customs
Mr. Li Zhi	Deputy Division Director, Customs Duties Collection and Control Department, General Administration of Customs
Mr. Zheng Dongyang	Deputy Division Director, Shenzhen Customs District, General Administration of Customs
Mr. Liu Hui	Official, Customs Duties Collection and Control Department, General Administration of Customs
Mr. Yang Song	Division Director, Research Center of Standards & Technical Regulations, General Administration of Quality Supervision, Inspection and Quarantine (AQSIQ)
Mr. Tang Bojun	Deputy Division Director, Department of Clearance Business, AQSIQ
Mr. Gao Ginbao	Economical-Commercial Counselor of the Chinese Embassy in Peru.
Mr. Liu Peng	Commercial Attache of the Chinese Embassy in Peru.

## II. Peruvian Coordinators from the Ministry of Foreign Trade and Tourism

Mr. Edgar Vásquez	Coordinator of the China – Peru Free Trade Agreement, Director General of Asia-Oceania Bilateral Affairs, MINCETUR.
Ms. Roxana Caballero	Deputy Coordinator of the China – Peru Free Trade Agreement. MINCETUR.
Ms. Angela Guerra	Coordinator of Trade in Goods Group, MINCETUR.
Ms. Jennifer Olortegui	Coordinator of Rules of Origin Group, MINCETUR. Coordinator of Trade Facilitation Group, MINCETUR.
Ms. Silvia Hooker	Director of the Origin Unit, MINCETUR.
Mr. Waldy Bejarano	Deputy Coordinator of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures Group, MINCETUR.
Ms. Liliana Honorio	Coordinator of Cooperation Group, MINCETUR.
Mr. Edgar Escudero	Deputy Coordinator of Cooperation Group, MINCETUR.
Ms. Teresa Mera	Coordinator of Intellectual Property Group, MINCETUR
Ms. Vanessa Rivasplata	Coordinator of Investment Group, MINCETUR.
Ms. Monica Guerrero	Coordinator of Legal Issues, MINCETUR