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PROTOCOL OF ACCESSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA TO THE MARRAKESH AGREEMENT ESTABLISHING THE WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION DONE AT GENEVA ON 8 MAY 2001

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE

ENTRY INTO FORCE

I have the honour to inform you that on 26 June 2001, the Government of Moldova deposited with me an Instrument of Ratification of the above-mentioned Protocol, thereby recognizing as fully binding the signature affixed by its plenipotentiary on 8 May 2001.

In terms of its paragraph 8, the Protocol shall enter into force on 26 July 2001.

Pursuant to paragraph 1 of the Protocol, <u>Moldova</u> shall become a Member of the World Trade Organization on <u>26 July 2001</u>.

This notification is furnished in accordance with paragraph 9 of the Protocol.

Mike Moore Director-General

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