DDA negotiations
where are we now and what are other developments in trade remedies area?

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- DDA negotiations have been suspended

- Re-activation doesn't seem to be imminent
What were the factors which generated this crisis?
- historical background
- internal factors
- external factors

Are there any prospects to reactivate the Round and bring it to a successful conclusion: breakthrough or return to the Geneva process?
Where are the Rules negotiations?

- brief description of main issues as identified by Members
- Chairman’s papers

What is at stake that may be lost if the Round fails?
What are the main developments in the trade remedies area?

- who are the main users of trade remedies
- transparency and due process
- prospects for the immediate future
- What conclusions should be drawn from them for the negotiations?
What is the role of dispute settlement system as a factor taken into consideration in the negotiations?

- general characteristics of dispute settlement cases in the Rules area
- what are the reasons for certain concentrations of dispute settlement cases
- “positive” and “negative” impact on the negotiations
Thank you!