



REPUBLICA DE CHILE
Ministerio De Relaciones Exteriores

4 February, 2016

Ambassador Michael B. Froman
United States Trade Representative
600 17th Street, N.M.
Washington, D.C. 20508
United States of America

Dear Ambassador Froman:

In connection with the signing on this date of the Trans-Pacific Partnership Agreement (TPP Agreement), I have the honour to confirm the following agreement reached between representatives of the Government of the United States of America (United States) and the Government of the Republic of Chile (Chile):

Notwithstanding Article 1.2 (Relation to Other Agreements) of the TPP Agreement, the United States and Chile agree that Article 17.10.2(b) and (c) of the *United States – Chile Free Trade Agreement* is superseded by Article 18.53.1(a) (Measures Relating to the Marketing of Certain Pharmaceutical Products), 18.53.1(b) and 18.53.1(c) of the TPP Agreement.

I have the honour to propose that this letter and your letter of confirmation in reply shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments, subject to dispute settlement under Chapter 28 (Dispute Settlement) of the TPP Agreement, which shall enter into force on the date of entry into force of the TPP Agreement as between the United States and Chile.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'H. Muñoz', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

HERALDO MUÑOZ
Minister of Foreign Affairs.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20508

February 4, 2016

The Honorable Heraldo Muñoz
Minister of Foreign Affairs
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Santiago, Chile

Dear Minister Heraldo Muñoz:

I am pleased to acknowledge your letter of February 4, 2016, which reads as follows:

In connection with the signing on this date of the Trans-Pacific Partnership Agreement (TPP Agreement), I have the honour to confirm the following agreement reached between representatives of the Government of the United States of America (United States) and the Government of the Republic of Chile (Chile):

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I have the honour to propose that this letter and your letter of confirmation in reply shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments, subject to dispute settlement under Chapter 28 (Dispute Settlement) of the TPP Agreement, which shall enter into force on the date of entry into force of the TPP Agreement as between the United States and Chile.

I have the honor to confirm that my Government shares this understanding, and that your letter and this letter in reply shall constitute an agreement between our two Governments, subject to dispute settlement under Chapter 28 (Dispute Settlement) of the TPP Agreement, which shall enter into force on the date of entry into force of the TPP Agreement as between the United States and Chile.

Sincerely,



Ambassador Michael B. G. Froman