

**DECISION OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE OF
THE UNITED STATES-BAHRAIN FREE TRADE AGREEMENT**

Considering that Article 9.12.2 of the United States-Bahrain Free Trade Agreement (“the Agreement”) authorizes either Party to make rectifications of a purely formal nature to its coverage under Chapter 9, or minor amendments to its Schedule to Annex 9-A-1 or 9-A-2, provided that it notifies the other Party in writing and the other Party does not object in writing within 30 days after the notification;

Taking into account that a Party that makes such a rectification or minor amendment need not offer compensatory adjustments to the other Party;

Recognizing that the Government of the United States of America (“United States”) provided written notification of certain minor amendments of Annex 9-A-1 to the Government of the State of Bahrain (“Bahrain”) on October 30, 2007;

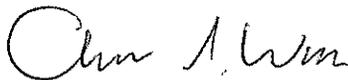
Recognizing that Bahrain made no objections to these minor amendments;

Further recognizing that Article 9.12.4 of the Agreement requires the Joint Committee to adopt agreed modifications, technical rectifications or minor amendments;

The Joint Committee hereby adopts the minor amendments to Annex 9-A-1 as specified in items (1) and (2) below, which shall be reflected in that Annex.

- (1) The current website link for the U.S. Federal Supply Classification shall be replaced with the website link: <http://www.fedbizopps.gov/classCodes1.html> in Note 1(a) of the Notes to Schedule of Bahrain and Note 3 of the Notes to Schedule of the United States.
- (2) The current website link for the *Common Classification System* shall be replaced with the website link: <http://www.sice.oas.org/trade/nafta/chap-105.asp> in Note 1(b) of the Notes to Schedule of Bahrain.

Done at Manama, Bahrain, this 21st day of October, 2009.



**For the Government of the
United States of America**



**For the Government of the
Kingdom of Bahrain**