

European Commission agrees interim EPA with Namibia – Brussels, 12 December 2007

Namibia initialled an interim Economic Partnership Agreement with the European Commission, joining fellow members of the South African Development Community (SADC) Botswana, Lesotho, Swaziland and Mozambique in agreeing a WTO-compatible interim deal.

The Commission welcomes this development which will ensure duty free and quota free access to the European market for Namibian exports and consolidates regional integration in Southern Africa. Talks with SADC EPA countries will continue in the context of talks leading to full EPA next year.

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