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GLOSSARY OF TERMS

APEC	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
ABAC	APEC Business Advisory Council
ACBD	APEC Customs Business Dialogue
AD	Automotive Dialogue
ADB	Asian Development Bank
AELM	APEC Economic Leaders Meeting
AEO	Authorised Economic Operator
AHC	APEC LSIF Harmonization Centre
AMM	APEC Ministerial Meeting
ARCAM	APEC Regulatory Cooperation Advancement Mechanism on Trade Related Standards and Technical Regulations
ASEAN	Association of South East Asian Nations
ASGI	APEC Smart Grid Initiative
BMG	Business Mobility Group
CAP	Counterfeiting and Piracy under WCO
CAPs	Collective Action Plans
CBPR	Cross-Border Privacy Rules
CD	Chemical Dialogue
CMAAs	Customs Mutual Assistance Agreements
CPEA	Cross-Border Privacy Enforcement Arrangement
CTI	Committee on Trade and Investment
DPS	Data Privacy Subgroup
EC	Economic Committee
ECSG	Electronic Commerce Steering Group
EEMRA	Electrical and Electronic Equipment Mutual Recognition Arrangement
EGEE&C	Expert Group of Energy Efficiency and Conservation
EGS	Environmental Goods and Services
EGSIE	Environmental Goods and Services Information Exchange
EoDB	ease of doing business
ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and Pacific
ESIS	Energy Standard Information System
FOTC	Friends of the Chair
FSCF	Food Safety Cooperation Forum
FTAAP	Free-Trade Area of the Asia-Pacific
FTZ	Free Trade Zone
GBDe	Global Business Dialogue on Electronic Commerce
GOS	Group of Services
GRP	Good Regulatory Practice
GSCs	global supply chains
ICC	International Chamber of Commerce
ICDPPC	International Conference of Data Protection and Privacy Commissioners
ICPO	International Criminal and Police Organization
ICTSD	International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development
IEC	International Electrotechnical Commission
IEG	Investment Experts Group
IFAP	Investment Facilitation Action Plan

IIAs	international investment agreements
iPAC	Intellectual Property Academy Collaborative Initiative
IPBA	Inter-Pacific Bar Association
IPR	Intellectual Property Rights
JRAC	Joint Regulatory Advisory Committee
KPIs	Key Performance Indicators
LSI	Legal Services Initiative
LSIF	Life Sciences Innovation Forum
MAG	Market Access Group
MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
MRT	Ministers Responsible for Trade
NBIP	Non-Binding Investment Principles
NTMs	non-tariff measures
OAA	Osaka Action Agenda
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
PAA	Pan Asian Alliance on E-Commerce
PSU	Policy Support Unit
PTIN	Partnership Training Institute Network
REI	regional economic integration
RHSC	Regulatory Harmonization Steering Committee
SAP	Services Action Plan
SC	Supply-Chain Connectivity
SCCP	Sub-committee on Customs Procedures
SCI	Supply Chain Initiative
SCSC	Sub-Committee on Standards and Conformance
SCV	Supply Chain Visibility
SFOM	Senior Finance Officials
SMEWG	Small and Medium Enterprises Working Group
SMMEs	small, medium and micro-enterprises
STAR	Services Trade Access Requirements STAR
SWs	Single Windows
TBT	Technical Barriers to Trade
TEL	Telecommunications and Information Working Group
TFAP II	Second Trade Facilitation Action
TFTF	Trade Facilitation Task Force
TILF	Trade and Investment Liberalization and Facilitation
TPD	Trade Policy Dialogue
TPMs	technological protection measures
TPT	Transportation Working Group
UNCEFACT	United Nations Centre for Trade Facilitation and Electronic Business
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
VAP	Voluntary Action Plan
WB	World Bank
WCO	World Customs Organisation
WebTR	APEC Website on Tariffs and ROOs
WTO	World Trade Organization