

Outlooks for Substantial Contents in the Forthcoming FTAAP

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Beijing Roadmap for APEC's Contribution to the Realization of FTAAP:

“ FTAAP should be pursued by developing and building on ongoing regional undertakings such as ASEAN+3, ASEAN+6, and the Trans-Pacific Partnership. ”

“The FTAAP should; it should be comprehensive, high quality and incorporate and address “next generation” Trade and Investment Issues.”

Key Features in FTAAP

Comprehensive Market access

Addressing new trade challenges

Inclusive trade

Integration of regional GVC and Supply Chain

Substantial Contents for FTAAP: I

1 Trade and trade-related issues

2 Sanitary and phytosanitary measures

3 Technical barriers to trade

4 Trade remedies

5 Investment

6 Services

7 Electronic commerce

8 Government procurement

9 Intellectual property

10 Labor

11 Environment

Substantial Contents for FTAAP: II

Horizontal Issues:

To ensure that FTAAP fulfills its potential for development, competitiveness, and inclusiveness.

Dispute Settlement

Exceptions

Institutional Provisions

Key Controversial Issues in FTAAP

**Environmental
Issues**

Labor Issues

**Competition
Policies
(esp. SOEs)**

**Intellectual
Property
Rights**

E-Business

Difficulties to Tackle Because...

1. There are no matching law and regulation systems in the member economies;
2. Members diversity
3. Different development Stages

Comparison of China FTA and TPP

China FTA	TPP
Introduction	Initial Provisions and General Definitions
National treatment	Trade in Goods
	Textiles and Apparel
Rule of Origin and implementation procedures	Rules of Origin
Customs Administration and Trade Facilitation	Customs Administration and Trade Facilitation
Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Measures	Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Measures
Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT)	Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT)
Trade Remedies	Trade Remedies
Investment	Investment
Trade in Services	Cross-Border Trade in Services
Financial Services	Financial Services
Movement of natural persons	Temporary Entry for Business Persons
Telecommunications	Telecommunications
Electronic Commerce	Electronic Commerce
	Government Procurement
Competition Policy	Competition Policy
	SOEs and Designated Monopolies
Intellectual Property	Intellectual Property
	Labor
Environment and Trade	Environment
Economic Cooperation	Cooperation and Capacity Building
	Competitiveness and Business Facilitation
	Development (1) broad-based economic growth); (2) women and economic growth; (3) education, science and technology, research, and innovation
	Small- and Medium-Sized Enterprises
	Regulatory Coherence
Transparency	Transparency and Anti-Corruption
Institution Provisions	Administrative and Institutional Provisions
Dispute Settlement	Dispute Settlement
Exceptions	Exceptions
Final Provisions	Final Provisions

FTAAP in consistence with UN SDGs

New Development Concept by China:

1. For the post-2015 development agenda, there should be an equitable, open, all-round and innovation-driven development path, no country should be left behind.
2. Countries may differ in capacity for and achievement in development, but they have common yet differentiated responsibilities with shared objectives.
3. All countries equal right to participating in international rule-making

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To well implement the post-2015 development agenda, four-point proposal for the international community:

- ☐ Building up the development capacities;
- ☐ Improving the international environment for development;
- ☐ Updating the partnership for development;
- ☐ Strengthening the coordination mechanisms for development.

Thank You!