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# REPORT ON THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE/CAPACITY BUILDING ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN BY THE SECRETARIAT AND MEMBERS

(Item IV (a) on the Agenda)

#### Reference documents:

VT0805E1a (TCCV/33)	VT0901E1a (TCCV/37)	VT1039E1a (TCCV/42)
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VT0834E1a (TCCV/34)	VT0934E1a (TCCV/38)	VT1066E1a (TCCV/43)
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VT0870E1a (TCCV/35)	VT0998E1a (TCCV/41)	VT1102E1a (TCCV/45)
VT0879E1a (TCCV/36)	VT0101E1a (TCCV/41)	VT1121E1a (TCCV/46)
VT0896E1a (TCCV/36)	VT1024E1a (TCCV/42)	VT1141E1a (TCCV/47)

- In pursuance of a decision taken by the Technical Committee on Customs Valuation, the Secretariat has monitored and communicated details of the technical assistance/capacity building activities scheduled or delivered by Members, in order to provide useful information to all Members for planning purposes and to prevent duplication of effort.
- 2. Since the last session, the Customs Administrations of the United States and Japan have provided information about their technical assistance activities. This information is reproduced in this document, together with information about the technical assistance/capacity building activities undertaken by the Secretariat (see Annexes I and II, respectively).

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# TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE/CAPACITY BUILDING ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN BY MEMBERS

### **United States**

#### 1. Acceptance of trainees

Period of Training Course	Course	Country of Trainees	Number of Trainees	
15 May 2018	Basics of Customs Valuation	Saudi Arabia	4	

#### <u>Japan</u>

- Japan has dispatched experts and accepted trainees to enhance knowledge of Customs Valuation/Post-Clearance Audit (PCA) and to support the implementation of the WTO Valuation Agreement.
- 2. The details of the technical assistance/capacity building activities, which Japan has carried out since the last session and is planning to implement by 30 September 2018, are indicated below.

#### 1. Dispatch of experts

Period of Dispatch	Course	Recipient Country	Number of Experts
6 - 12 May 2018	PCA	Vietnam	2
2 - 10 June 2018	PCA	Bhutan	1

### 2. Acceptance of trainees

Period of Training Course	Course	Country of Trainees	Number of Trainees
4 - 8 June 2018	PCA and Valuation	Lao People's Democratic Republic	10

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Annex II to Doc. VT1153E1a (VT/47/Oct. 2018)

# TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE/CAPACITY BUILDING ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN BY THE SECRETARIAT

No.	Period	Recipient Countries	Subjects	Duration	Location
1.	9 to 13 April 2018	Côte d'Ivoire	Diagnostic Mission on the Infrastructure for Customs Valuation and Tariff Classification Work	5 days	Côte d'Ivoire (Abidjan)
2.	4 to 8 June 2018	Europe region	Accreditation Workshop for Customs Valuation Experts	5 days	Azerbaijan (Baku)
3.	23 to 27 July 2018	Senegal	National Training Workshop on Customs Valuation and Transfer Pricing	5 days	Senegal (Dakar)
4.	20 to 24 August 2018	Sierra Leone	National Workshop on Customs Valuation	5 days	Sierra Leone (Freetown)
5.	27 to 31 August 2018	Liberia	Diagnostic Mission on the Infrastructure for Customs Valuation and Tariff Classification Work	5 days	Liberia (Monrovia)
6.	1 to 5 October 2018	French- speaking countries of the East and Southern Africa region	Training of Trainers on Customs Valuation and Tariff Classification	5 days	Mauritius (Port Louis)
7.	1 to 5 October 2018	Bahamas	National Workshop on Customs Valuation	5 days	Bahamas (Nassau)

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