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Dear Mr. Smith:

This letter is USTR's response to the ISCAP decision to declassify and release some portions of the report, "Probably Economic Effect of Providing Duty-Free Treatment for Imports from Israel," Investigation No.332-180.

On November 3, 2011 we sent to you, via e-mail, portions of the document and informed you that additional portions would be provided as they become available.

Today, we are providing you the remaining portions of the document. The ITC has asked us to redact some of the data from Appendix B pursuant to 5 U.S.C. §552 (b(4), because the data discloses confidential business information which the ITC obtained from private sources.

If you have any questions regarding this release please contact David Apol at (202) 395-9633.

Sincerely.

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