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that could be imposed on China. According the to GAO, average AD margins tend to be significantly lower against market economies than NMEs.

A second option available would be to adopt legislation permitting CVD c





potential for further revaluations. Officials have stated that China's move was aimed at modifying the exchange rate mechanism, rather than the actual exchange rate.

It appears that China is committed to maintaining the current















apparel produced in the region. A current loophole in the agreement would permit the use of Chinese fabrics, jeopardizing a US\$100 million export market. In order to achieve such an amendment, legislative changes would need to be made to the agreement. On July 27th, House Ways and Means Chairman







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DR-CAFTA Update: House Republican Leadership Promises July Vote, But Timing Remains Uncertain

SUMMARY

The Dominican Republic-Central America Free Trade Agreement (DR-CAFTA) continues to await a final vote in the US House of Representatives. Senior House Republicans have promised a final vote before the August recess, which





countries if total U.S. imports of sugar rise above the 1.52 million tons authorized in the Farm





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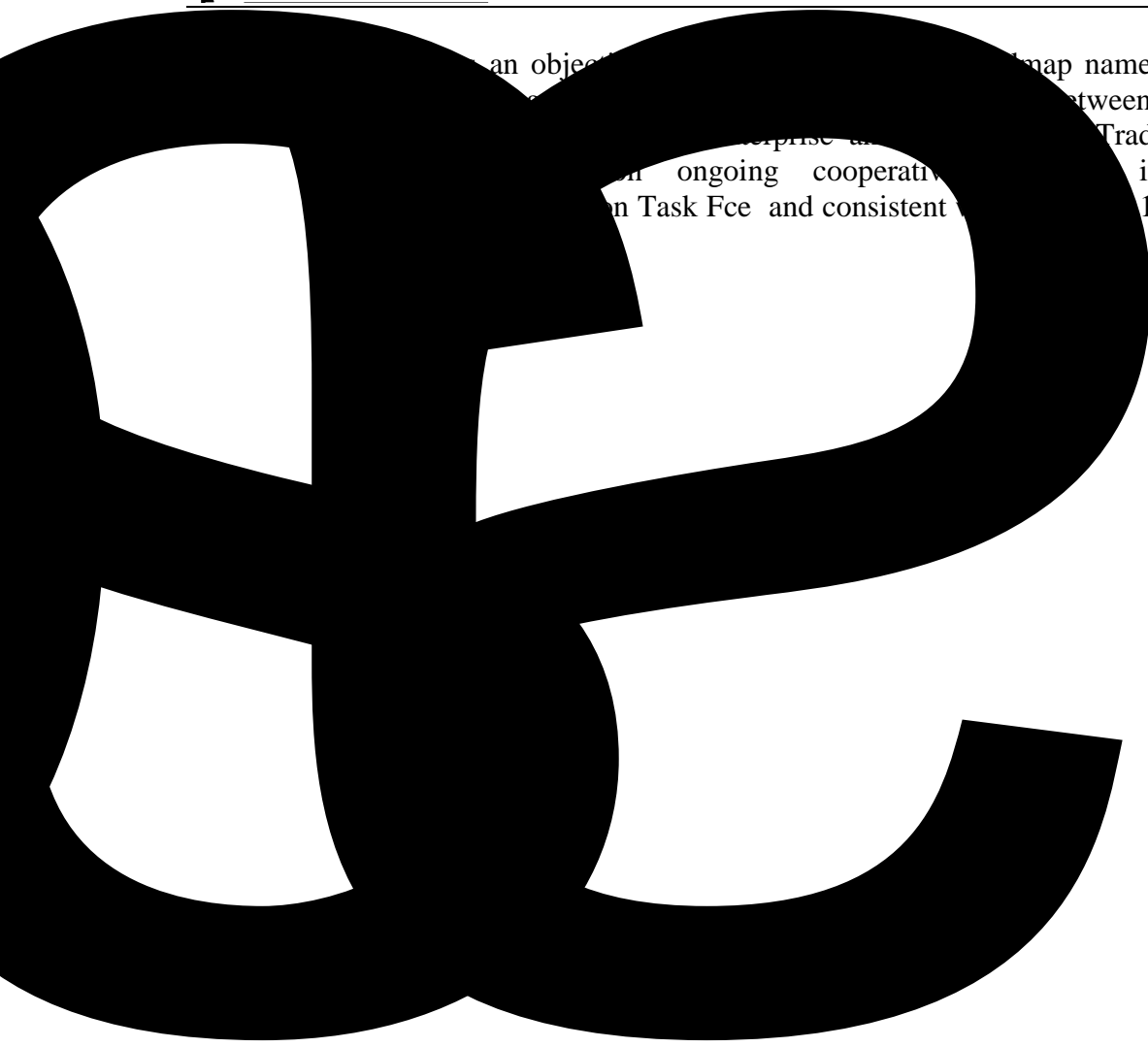




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