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## Meeting JLD-Cefic, 4 February 2014, 11.00-12.00

Cefic: Hubert Mandery, Director General; René van Sloten, Executive Director Industrial Policy DG TRADE: JLD, [Art. 4.1(b)] (G.3), [Art. 4.1(b)] (H.1), [Art. 4.1(b)] (D.3), [Art. 4.1(b)] (G.3)

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➢ JLD summarized the state of play of the EU-Japan FTA negotiations. The 4<sup>th</sup> negotiation round held last week in Brussels was successful, with good engagement on the Japanese side. The exchange of market access offers is expected for the coming weeks. The upcoming review is expected for April/May and will focus on NTBs and public procurement issues. It is also important to consider that Japan is at the same time engaged in the TPP negotiations where similar sensitivities exist (namely in the area of food and agricultural products). HM offered continued industry support throughout the further negotiation process.

