5. The competent governmental authority of the exporting Party or its designees which has issued a Certificate of Origin shall keep a record of that Certificate of Origin for at least three years after the date on which the Certificate of Origin was issued.

Section 5
Arrangements for Administrative Cooperation

Article XXIV
Notifications

1. Each Party shall provide the other Party with:

(a) the form of its Certificate of Origin;

(b) the design feature of impressions of stamps used by the competent governmental authority or its designees for the issuance of Certificates of Origin; and

(c) a sample of impressions provided for in subparagraph (b).

2. Where the competent governmental authority of the exporting Party designates other entities or bodies to carry out the issuance of Certificate of Origin, the exporting Party shall notify in writing the other Party of its designees.

3. The competent governmental authority of a Party shall provide the other Party with information on the composition of the authorisation number for approved exporters, where established by the Party.

Article XXV
Verification of Proofs of Origin

1. In order to ensure the proper application of this Annex, the Parties shall assist each other to carry out verification of the proof of origin and the correctness of the information given therein, in accordance with this Agreement and their respective laws and regulations.

2. Upon request of the customs authority of the importing Party, the competent governmental authority of the exporting Party shall carry out the verifications referred to in paragraph 1.