3. The period of application of a bilateral safeguard measure referred to in this Section shall not be interrupted by a Party's non-application of the bilateral safeguard measure in accordance with paragraph 2. That Party may resume the application of the bilateral safeguard measure to imports of the originating good upon the termination of the safeguard measures applied in accordance with subparagraph 1(a) or (b), up to the remaining period of the bilateral safeguard measure.

SECTION 3
OTHER PROVISIONS

Article 2.20
Reviews of Market Access and Protection of Competitiveness

1. For the purposes of Article 2.4, treatment of originating goods classified under the tariff lines indicated with "S" in Column 4 of the Schedule in Section 2 of a Party's Schedule to Annex 1 (Schedules in Relation to Article 2.4 (Elimination or Reduction of Customs Duties)), shall be subject to review by the Parties in the fifth year following the date of entry into force of this Agreement or a year on which the Parties otherwise agree, whichever comes first. The review shall proceed with a view to improving market access conditions through, for example, such measures as faster reduction and/or elimination of custom duties, streamlining tendering processes and increasing quota quantities, as well as addressing issues related to levies.

2. The Parties shall also conduct a review if there is a significant change to the competitiveness in the Japanese market of such originating good designated in paragraph 1 as a result of preferential market access being granted by Japan to a non-Party based on an international agreement with that non-Party, with a view to providing equivalent treatment to the originating good of Australia. The Parties shall commence such a review within three months following the date of entry into force of the international agreement with the non-Party and will conduct the review with the aim of concluding it within six months following the same date.

Article 2.21
Sub-Committee on Trade in Goods

1. For the purposes of the effective implementation and operation of this Chapter, the Parties hereby establish a Sub-Committee on Trade in Goods (hereinafter referred to in this Article as "the Sub-Committee").

2. The functions of the Sub-Committee shall be:

(a) reviewing and monitoring the implementation and operation of this Chapter;

(b) discussing any issues relating to the Chapter, including:

(i) promoting trade in goods between the Parties, including through consultations on further liberalisation of customs duties and accelerating tariff elimination under this Agreement;

(ii) addressing tariff and non-tariff measures to trade in goods between the Parties; and

(iii) addressing issues relating to each Party's administration of its tariff rate quotas, including to promote transparency in its administration;

(c) reporting the findings of the Sub-Committee to the Joint Committee; and

(d) carrying out other functions which may be delegated by the Joint Committee.

3. The Sub-Committee shall review non-tariff measures, raised by either Party for the purposes of considering approaches that may facilitate trade between the Parties. The Sub-Committee shall, if necessary, report the findings through such a review to the Joint Committee.

4. The Sub-Committee shall be composed of and co-chaired by representatives of the Governments of the Parties.