(b) every six years thereafter.

6. The Commission shall develop a framework in accordance with which the Commission shall carry out the review under paragraph 5.

7. As part of the general review under Article 27.2.1(b) (Functions of the Commission) of the TPP as incorporated into the CPTPP, the Commission shall review whether paragraphs 2 through 7 remain necessary.

Article 16: Provisions Relevant to Annex II and Annex III

For the purposes of the following paragraphs of the following entries in the Schedules to Annex II and Annex III of the TPP as incorporated into the CPTPP, for the United Kingdom, "the date of entry into force of this Agreement" means the date of entry into force of this Protocol:

(a) the first paragraph of the Description of the entry at Annex II – Australia – 19;

(b) sub-paragraph (a) of the Description of the entry at Annex II – Brunei Darussalam – 4;

(c) paragraph 1 of the Description of the entry at Annex II – Canada – 13;

(d) the first paragraph of the Description of the entry at Annex II – Chile – 3;

(e) paragraph 1 of the Description of the entry at Annex II – Japan – 18;

(f) the first paragraph of the Description of the entry at Annex II – Malaysia – 7;

(g) the first paragraph of the Description of the entry at Annex II – Mexico – 11;

(h) the first paragraph of the Description of the entry at Annex II – New Zealand – 9;

(i) the first paragraph of the Description of the entry at Annex II – Peru – 1;

(j) the first paragraph of the Description of the entry at Annex II – Singapore – 36;

(k) paragraph 1 of the Description of the entry at Annex III – Singapore – 30; and

(l) sub-paragraph (a) of the Description of the entry at Annex II – Viet Nam – 5.

Article 17: References to APEC

As long as the United Kingdom is not a member economy of APEC, paragraphs 5, 6 and 7 of Annex 10-A (Professional Services), Article 12.5 (Business Travel), Article 16.7.2 (Transparency) and Article 26.6.1 (Scope) of the TPP as incorporated into the CPTPP shall not apply to the United Kingdom.[9] Until that time, to support and promote the policy objectives underlying these provisions, the United Kingdom:

(a) acknowledges the work carried out in bilateral and multilateral fora to promote the mutual recognition of professional competence in engineering and architecture and the professional mobility of these professions. In the engineering sector, this includes the work carried out under the International Professional Engineers Agreement;

(b) recognises the importance of promoting the facilitation of business travel;

(c) shall endeavour to maintain and update its public information concerning its national competition laws, policies and enforcement activities through links on its official websites consolidated into a single portal that is publicly accessible, recognising the value of transparency of national competition laws, policies and enforcement activities; and

(d) affirms its resolve to eliminate bribery and corruption in international trade and investment. Recognising the need to build integrity within both the public and private sectors and that each sector has complementary responsibilities in this regard, the United Kingdom affirms its commitments under the *United Nations Convention Against Corruption*, done at New York on 31 October 2003 (UNCAC) in particular Article 7 (Public Sector), Article 8 (Codes of Conduct for Public Officials) and Article 12 (Private Sector) of the UNCAC, and affirms its support for the *OECD Recommendation of the Council on Public Integrity*, adopted on 26 January 2017, and Annex II (Good Practice Guidance on Internal Controls, Ethics and Compliance) to the *OECD Recommendation of the Council for Further Combating Bribery of Foreign Public Officials in International Business Transactions*, adopted on 26 November 2021.

Section III: Schedules of the United Kingdom[10]

Article 18: Schedules of the United Kingdom

The Schedules of the United Kingdom annexed to this Protocol that shall become an

[9] For greater certainty, this is without prejudice to any reservations the United Kingdom may take under APEC if it were to ever join.

[10] For greater certainty, for the purposes of the United Kingdom's Schedules in this Section, "the date of entry into force of this Agreement for the United Kingdom" means the date of entry into force of this Protocol, on which the United Kingdom accedes to the CPTPP and thereby becomes a Party to the CPTPP.