

STATUS OF AGREEMENTS

CONCLUDED BY THE SOUTHERN AFRICAN CUSTOMS UNION STATES

No.	TITLE	DATE OF SIGNATURE(s) OR ADOPTION (a)	DATE OF RATIFICATION	STATUS
1.	Southern African Customs Union Agreement, 2002.	Botswana - 21 October 2002 (s)	Botswana - 01 June 2004	<i>Entered into force on <u>15 July 2004.</u></i>
		Lesotho - 21 October 2002 (s)	Lesotho - 24 March 2004	
		Namibia - 21 October 2002 (s)	Namibia - 27 March 2004	
		South Africa - 21 October 2002 (s)	South Africa - 15 June 2004	
		Swaziland - 21 October 2002 (s)	Swaziland - 29 March 2004	
2.	Amendments to the Southern African Customs Union Agreement, 2002, to institutionalise the SACU Summit, 2013.	Botswana - 12 April 2013 (s)	Botswana - 04 December 2013	<i>Entered into force on <u>16 September 2016.</u></i>
		Lesotho - 12 April 2013 (s)	Lesotho - 08 October 2014	
		Namibia - 12 April 2013 (s)	Namibia - 28 July 2015	
		South Africa - 12 April 2013 (s)	South Africa - 17 August 2016	
		Swaziland - 12 April 2013 (s)	Swaziland - 27 August 2013	
3.	Annex E - Annex to the SACU Agreement on Mutual Administrative Assistance, 2011.	Botswana - 16 September 2011 (a)	Botswana - 28 August 2012	<i>Entered into force on <u>08 March 2017.</u></i>
		Lesotho - 16 September 2011 (a)	Lesotho - 11 December 2014	
		Namibia - 16 September 2011 (a)	Namibia - 06 February 2017	
		South Africa - 16 September 2011(a)	South Africa - 23 September 2015	
		Swaziland - 16 September 2011 (a)	Swaziland - 19 September 2016	

4.	Free Trade Agreement between the European Free Trade Association (EFTA) States and the Southern African Customs Union (SACU) States, 2006.	Botswana - 14 July 2006 (s)	Botswana - 21 December 2006	<i>Entered into force on <u>01 May 2008.</u></i>
		Lesotho - 07 August 2006 (s)	Lesotho - 25 September 2007	
		Namibia - 14 July 2006 (s)	Namibia - 21 November 2007	
		South Africa - 01 July 2006 (s)	South Africa - 14 May 2007	
		Swaziland - 01 July 2006 (s)	Swaziland - 11 October 2007	
		Iceland - 26 June 2006 (s)	Iceland - 29 January 2007	
		Liechtenstein - 26 June 2006 (s)	Liechtenstein - 02 May 2007	
		Norway - 26 June 2006 (s)	Norway - 24 November 2006	
	Switzerland - 01 July 2006 (s)	Switzerland - 25 April 2007		
5.	Agricultural Agreement between the Southern African Customs Union (SACU) States and Iceland, 2006.	Botswana - 14 July 2006 (s)	Botswana - 31 March 2008	<i>Entered into force on <u>01 May 2008.</u></i>
		Lesotho - 07 August 2006 (s)	Lesotho - 11 March 2008	
		Namibia - 14 July 2006 (s)	Namibia - 21 November 2007	
		South Africa - 01 July 2006 (s)	South Africa - 14 May 2007	
		Swaziland - 01 July 2006 (s)	Swaziland - 21 December 2007	
	ICELAND - 26 June 2006 (s)	ICELAND - 29 January 2007		
6.	Agricultural Agreement between the Southern African Customs Union (SACU) States and Norway, 2006.	Botswana - 14 July 2006 (s)	Botswana - 31 March 2008	<i>Entered into force on <u>01 May 2008.</u></i>
		Lesotho - 07 August 2006 (s)	Lesotho - 11 March 2008	
		Namibia - 14 July 2006 (s)	Namibia - 21 November 2007	
		South Africa - 01 July 2006 (s)	South Africa - 14 May 2007	
		Swaziland - 01 July 2006 (s)	Swaziland - 21 December 2007	
	NORWAY - 26 June 2006 (s)	NORWAY - 24 November 2006		

7.	Agricultural Agreement between the Southern African Customs Union (SACU) States and Switzerland, 2006.	Botswana - 14 July 2006 (s)	Botswana - 31 March 2008	<i>Entered into force on <u>01 May 2008.</u></i>
		Lesotho - 07 August 2006 (s)	Lesotho - 11 March 2008	
		Namibia - 14 July 2006 (s)	Namibia - 21 November 2007	
		South Africa - 01 July 2006 (s)	South Africa - 14 May 2007	
		Swaziland - 01 July 2006 (s)	Swaziland - 21 December 2007	
		SWITZERLAND - 01 July 2006 (s)	SWITZERLAND - 25 April 2007	
8.	Preferential Trade Agreement between the Common Market of the South (MERCOSUR) and the Southern African Customs Union (SACU), 2009.	Botswana - 03 April 2009 (s)	Botswana - 31 March 2010	<i>Entered into force on <u>01 April 2016.</u></i>
		Lesotho - 03 April 2009 (s)	Lesotho - 20 February 2014	
		Namibia - 03 April 2009 (s)	Namibia - 09 March 2012	
		South Africa - 03 April 2009 (s)	South Africa - 11 January 2012	
		Swaziland - 03 April 2009 (s)	Swaziland - 07 December 2012	
		Argentina - 15 December 2008 (s)	Argentina - 31 July 2013	
		Brazil - 15 December 2008 (s)	Brazil - 21 October 2015	
		Uruguay - 15 December 2008 (s)	Uruguay - 02 December 2015	