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- United States – Anti-Dumping Measures on Certain Oil Country Tubular Goods from Korea (DS488)
- European Communities – Measures Affecting Trade in Commercial Vessels (DS301)
- Korea – Measures Affecting Trade in Commercial Vessels (DS273)
- United States – Anti-Dumping Duty on Dynamic Random Access Memory Semiconductors (DRAMS) of One Megabit or Above from Korea (DS99)
- United States – Anti-Dumping Duties on Imports of Color Television Receivers from Korea (DS89)
- Korea – Taxes on Alcoholic Beverages (DS84)
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- Korea-EU technical barriers regulation dispute settlement procedure

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