



AGREEMENT ON TRADE EXCHANGE BETWEEN THE UNITED  
REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA AND THE REPUBLIC OF RWANDA

The Government of the United Republic of Tanzania  
and

The Government of the Republic of Rwanda,

DESIROUS of strengthening further the bonds of friendship and good neighbourliness between the two countries and of promoting the well-being of their peoples, particularly the peoples living on both sides of their common border,

DESIROUS of developing their commercial relations and co-operation between their respective Customs Administration at the same time,

HAVE AGREED ON THE FOLLOWING:

ARTICLE 1.

The Contracting Parties shall make concerted efforts in the framework of the provisions of the present Agreement with a view to facilitating and encouraging border and trade exchange between their two territories, and with a view to preventing, investigating and curbing violation of their respective customs legislations.

PROMOTION OF COMMERCIAL EXCHANGE

ARTICLE 2.

For the purpose of the present Agreement, it is understood that:

a) "Goods in transit" means the goods, including unaccompanied baggage imported from a foreign place through the territory of one or more of the Partner States of the East African Community to the Republic of Rwanda and goods exported from the Republic of Rwanda through the territory of one or more of the Partner States of East African Community to a foreign destination. The transshipment were housing, breeding of bulk or the change of mode of transport of goods as well as the assembling, dismantling and re-assembling of voluminous articles shall not alter the nature of goods in transit, any