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**Notification to the Parties and Signatories to the Agreement Establishing  
the Agency for International Trade Information and Cooperation (AITIC)  
as an Intergovernmental Organisation, concluded in Geneva on 9 December 2002**

***Accession by the Republic of Sudan***

On 19 September 2008, the Republic of Sudan deposited with the Swiss Government its instrument of accession to the Agreement Establishing the Agency for International Trade Information and Cooperation (AITIC) as an Intergovernmental Organisation, concluded in Geneva on 9 December 2002.

According to its article 17 paragraph 3, the Agreement will enter into force for the Republic of Sudan on the 30<sup>th</sup> day following the date on which the instrument has been deposited, i.e. on 19 October 2008.

The Swiss Federal Council makes the present notification in its capacity as depositary ([www.eda.admin.ch/depositary](http://www.eda.admin.ch/depositary)) according to article 20 of the Agreement.

Berne, 8 October 2008

