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CHAPTER TWENTY-ONE
FINAL PROVISIONS

ARTICLE 21.1: ANNEXES

The Annexes to this Agreement constitute an integral part of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 21.2: AMENDMENTS

The Parties may agree to amend this Agreement. When agreed in writing and approved in accordance with each Party's applicable legal requirements and procedures, an amendment shall enter into force in accordance with Article __.5.1.

ARTICLE 21.3: AMENDMENT OF THE WTO AGREEMENT

If any provision of the WTO Agreement that the Parties have incorporated into this Agreement is amended, the Parties shall consult to consider amending the relevant provision of this Agreement, as appropriate, in accordance with Article __.2.

ARTICLE 21.4: EXPANSION OF THE FREE TRADE AREA

1. Any country or group of countries may agree to become a Party to this Agreement, subject to such terms and conditions as may be agreed between such country or countries and the Parties and following approval in accordance with the applicable legal requirements and procedures of each country.
2. This Agreement shall not apply as between any Party and any country or group of countries if, at the time of the agreement described in paragraph 1, either does not consent to such application.

ARTICLE 21.5: ENTRY INTO FORCE AND TERMINATION

1. This Agreement shall enter into force 60 days after the date on which the Parties exchange written notifications certifying that they have completed their respective applicable legal requirements and procedures or such other date as the Parties may agree.
2. Either Party may terminate this Agreement on six-month written notice to the other Party.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed this Agreement in duplicate, in the English and Arabic languages, each text being equally authentic.

DONE at _____, this ___ day of ___, 2004

**FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:**

**FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
KINGDOM OF BAHRAIN:**