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**MINISTER FOR TRADE AND INDUSTRY CHAN CHUN SING ATTENDS
G20 MINISTERIAL MEETING ON TRADE AND DIGITAL ECONOMY IN
TSUKUBA, JAPAN**

1 Minister for Trade and Industry Chan Chun Sing was in Tsukuba, Ibaraki Prefecture, Japan from 8 to 9 June 2019 for the G20 Ministerial Meeting on Trade and Digital Economy.

2 At the meeting, the Ministers discussed the current international trade developments and ways to further cooperation on the digital economy front. Mr Chan emphasised the importance of strengthening the multilateral trading system embodied by the World Trade Organization (WTO). This includes efforts to reform the WTO to ensure that it continues to keep up with future economic realities, such as the increasing digitalisation of trade.

3 While in Tsukuba, Mr Chan had meetings with partners from China, the European Union, India, Japan, Saudi Arabia, the Republic of Korea, the United Kingdom and the United States of America. He also met with the Director-General of the WTO, Mr Roberto Azevêdo.

4 Mr Chan was accompanied by officials from the Ministry of Trade and Industry and the Infocomm Media Development Authority.

Annex A: Photos and Captions

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Annex A: Photos and Captions



Caption: Minister for Trade and Industry Chan Chun Sing with Ministers and representatives at the 2019 G20 Ministerial Meeting on Trade and Digital Economy



Caption: Minister for Trade and Industry Chan Chun Sing delivering his intervention at the 2019 G20 Ministerial Meeting on Trade and Digital Economy