# OECD FTZ Certification Scheme

Working Party on Countering Illicit Trade





### Recommendation of the Council on Countering Illicit Trade: Enhancing Transparency in FTZ



• Ensures transparency in FTZs and is framed as part of the broader effort to counter illicit trade.

WHO?

Calls on adherents to encourage FTZs to adopt a voluntary
 Code of Conduct for Clean FTZs.

HOW?

• Enhances legal frameworks, competent authorities ´access to information and encourages domestic and international cooperation.



## Certification Scheme: a Public Private Partnership







The world business organization



#### Benefits for Multiple Stakeholders: Positive Interactions



FTZ

INT. ORG

GOV

INDUSTRY ACTORS

COMP. A



### Rollout: A Two Year Testing Period



Information,
Advocacy and
Awareness
Building



Training and Capacity Building



Pilot Certifications



Leveraging Existing Frameworks



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