

International trade

Rekindling interest in a multilateral rules-based approach

Sébastien Jean

Director, French Center for Research and Expertise on the World

# Which role for the G7 in international trade

International trade is one of the themes that used to constitute the very *raison d'être* of the G7, alongside international security and energy policy.

The G7 approach to trade has been traditionally based on a set of key principles on which all member countries could agree, namely the commitment to fight protectionism and the prominence of the rules-based multilateral trading sy

principles these

ty

















Policy proposals to make  
the multilateral rules-  
based trading order more  
attractive and efficient

body of the WTO dispute settlemm3ct(l)-3()-3(mm3cmm3ha(W)nimm3s)-7(m, 11)]TJETC













Several tools can be used to move in this direction. Inclusion of