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WTO protocol was ratified by Verkhovna Rada

Today the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine has ratified the protocol on Ukraine's accession to the WTO.

Within thirty days of ratifying the WTO protocol, the Verkhovna Rada must adopt all of the draft laws required to legitimise Ukraine's accession to the WTO.

Similarly, the Government has thirty days to adopt an action plan for adapting Ukraine's economy to WTO norms.

Ukraine will become a full member of the WTO on 10 May 2008.

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