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### **Statement by U.S. Treasury Under Secretary for International Affairs Nathan Sheets**

During my visit, we've discussed the strong efforts President Macri's government is taking to address the country's economic imbalances and move Argentina toward strong, sustainable, and inclusive economic growth. I look forward to continuing to collaborate closely with the Argentine government on areas of mutual interest both bilaterally and multilaterally in fora such as the G-20 and international financial institutions.

We welcome the agreements in principle between Argentina and the holders of the large majority of claims on Argentina, and we support the ongoing efforts to secure legislative approval to allow settlements. Final implementation of these agreements should help Argentina return to international capital markets and would represent a constructive development for the entire global financial system.