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The World Trade Organisation is a treaty system which functions as a social system and is analyzed here with a law and society approach. The major finding is that this system greedily equalizes power so that a small country such as Costa Rica can take it up with the US and win a trade issue.

The author eschews a Law and economics approach of which he seems to be unaware. The economists cited by Joseph Conti are John R. Commons and Joseph Stiglitz. It is likely that law and economics approach could have provided many a shortcut through this verbose analysis.

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