

## **Abstract**

**Democracy with all its foundations is an inseparable condition for the membership of states in international organizations, according to this specificity, we find it distinguished from the traditional concept of democracy that is recognized in the jurisprudence of constitutional law and political systems. It has been defined in international organizations in the love of peace and security, the rule of law, respect for rights and freedoms, equality, justice, economic development and economic prosperity, and this is what is embodied in all forms of membership in international organizations**

**The condition of democracy has been distinguished within the framework of the World Trade Organization, in line with its goals and activities that are restricted by the Charter. Its connotation is of a purely economic nature, and its specificity extends to obligating the member states of the organization to implement legislative reforms in their internal laws related to the trade system in order to conform with the charter of the organization and its agreements. This reflects the international impact of the democratic condition that the organization applied to the membership of states in it on the local concept of democracy within the framework of the governments of states that understood the content of democracy coupled with the legitimacy of power, peaceful deliberation and election only. That is, it is a concept of a political nature, and international organizations have a prominent role in expanding the condition of democracy to extend to all intellectual and development fields. The importance of this organization is also clear as it is a control tool for regulating international trade among the countries of the world at large. where we see that countries seek to join it for the advantages and benefits that they will derive from membership in the organization, as we see that its conditions were divided into political, legal and economic conditions that coupled with them the democratic condition imposed by the organization on the countries as a condition for membership**

**We also focus in this study on the application of the democratic condition imposed by the World Trade Organization on our dear country, Iraq, which is still until now in**

**the status of an observer member. And comparing its performance with the performance of other countries that preceded it and benefiting from their experiences to fulfill the condition of democracy and the conditions of the other organization, and how they were applied to the extent that gave them the opportunity to obtain full membership in the organization. We reached the need to speed up the implementation of other laws related to trade, to achieve complete independence and transparency of the Iraqi commercial judiciary, to protect foreign and local investors and to ensure the participation of women in commercial decision-making. And diversification of income sources, relying on alternative energy sources, which contributes to increasing the Iraqi economy and its foreign policy in order to create the basis for full accession to the World Trade Organization**