

AGREEMENT ON IMPORT LICENSING PROCEDURES

Notification under Articles 1.4(a) and 8.2(b) of the Agreement

CROATIA

The following communication, dated 21 October 2010, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of Croatia.

In accordance with Articles 1.4(a) and 8.2(b) of the Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures the Government of the Republic of Croatia hereby notifies its legislation governing import licensing.

The general rules and procedures related to the import licensing procedures for certain agricultural products are prescribed by the Ordinance on Import and Export Licensing for Agricultural Products, published in the Official Gazette No. 74 on 16 June 2010.

This Ordinance regulates the competent authorities for issuing the licences, lays down the conditions and procedures for submitting applications and issuing import and export licences for certain agricultural products.

The Annex to the Ordinance specifies the list of the agricultural products for which the import licences are required. The sole purpose of the import and export licences is to monitor trade flows of the agricultural products in question and no restrictions of the quantity or value of imports are intended.

Copy of the Ordinance on Import and Export Licensing for Agricultural Products, published in the Official Gazette No. 74 is attached¹.

¹ Available in the Secretariat (Market Access Division) (unofficial translation – English only).