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Committee on Import Licensing

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## AGREEMENT ON IMPORT LICENSING PROCEDURES

### Notification under Article 5

#### ARGENTINA

The following communication, dated 4 October 1999, has been received from the Permanent Mission of Argentina.

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Pursuant to Article 5, of the Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures, I have the pleasure of submitting herewith the notification of Resolutions SMEyOySP No. 977/99 and SICyM No. 617/99 concerning non-automatic import licences for footwear.

Notification on the Customs Clearance Procedure for Certain  
Import Operations for Entry for Consumption

(a) List of products subject to licensing procedures

Goods covered under the HS tariff headings: 6401.10.00; 6401.91.00; 6401.92.00; 6401.99.00; 6402.12.00; 6402.19.00; 6402.30.00; 6402.91.00; 6402.99.00; 6403.12.00; 6403.19.00; 6403.20.00; 6403.30.00; 6403.40.00; 6403.51.00; 6403.59.00; 6403.91.00; 6403.99.00; 6404.11.00; 6404.19.00; 6404.20.00; 6405.10.10; 6405.10.20; 6405.10.90; 6405.20.00; 6405.90.00.

(b) Contact point for information on eligibility

Department of Foreign Trade of the Secretariat for Industry, Trade and Mining of the Ministry of the Economy and Public Works and Services.

(c) Administrative body(ies) for submission of applications

National Foreign Trade Management Division, Department of Foreign Trade of the Secretariat for Industry, Trade and Mining.

(d) Date and name of publication where the licensing procedures are published

Resolution 977 of the Ministry of the Economy and Public Works and Services of 6 August 1991<sup>1</sup> (published in the Official Bulletin of 11 August 1999) and Resolution 617 of the Secretariat for Industry, Trade and Mining of 25 August 1999<sup>1</sup> (published in the Official Bulletin of 31 August 1999).

(e) Indication of whether the licensing procedure is automatic or non-automatic according to definitions contained in Articles 2 and 3

The procedure is non-automatic.

(f) In the case of automatic import licensing procedures and their administrative purpose

There are no automatic procedures.

(g) In the case of non-automatic import licensing procedures, indication of the measure being implemented through the licensing procedure

The import licensing procedure for footwear aims to establish a monitoring mechanism for the pre-marketing labelling requirement for footwear, as stipulated in Resolution 508 of the Secretariat for Industry, Trade and Mining of 27 July 1999 (published in the Official Bulletin of 9 August 1999).

(h) Expected duration of the licensing procedure if this can be estimated with some probability, and if not, the reason why this information cannot be provided

Sixty days from the working day following the date of the closure of the application period.

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<sup>1</sup> The Resolution may be consulted in the Market Access Division (available in Spanish only).