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NOTIFICATION OF REPLIES TO THE QUESTIONNAIRE ON IMPORT LICENSING PROCEDURES FROM INDIA

Questions from the UNITED STATES to INDIA¹

The following communication, dated 10 May 2001, has been received from the Permanent Mission of the United States.

In G/LIC/N/1/IND/3 and G/LIC/N/2/IND/3, dated 13 December 2000, India lists changes to its import licensing policy.

- Does the list contained in this document remove the listed items from coverage of India's licensing system? If so, is the importation of these items now subject only to tariffs as a regulatory mechanism, excluding requirements and restrictions associated with national security or health and safety? If not, please outline the nature and scope of any other regulatory regime restricting import of these products.
- What items remain under discretionary licensing regime, e.g., under the regime described in G/LIC/N/3/IND/4? What is the timetable for further liberalization of these remaining requirements?

¹ See paragraph 1.5 of document G/LIC/M/13, dated 14 June 2001.