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## NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 5.1 OF THE AGREEMENT ON TRADE-RELATED MEASURES

SRI LANKA

The following communication, dated 14 March 2000, has been received from the Permanent Mission of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

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The Permanent Mission of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka wishes to notify under Article 5.1 of the Agreement on Trade-Related Investment Measures (TRIMs) that Sri Lanka does not have any investment measure according protection to domestic industries which violates the national treatment provisions of para. 4 of Article III of GATT 1994, and that no quantitative restrictions are applied in the investment regime of Sri Lanka inconsistent with the provisions of para. 1, Article XI of GATT 1994. The investment regime does not provide for local content requirements, trade balancing requirements, foreign exchange balancing requirements, exchange restrictions resulting in import restrictions or domestic sales requirements involving restrictions on exports which are inconsistent with the provisions of Articles III and XI of GATT 1994.

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