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**Council for Trade-Related Aspects
of Intellectual Property Rights**

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NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 4(d) OF THE AGREEMENT

Germany

The following communication, dated 31 January 1996, has been received from the Permanent Mission of Germany.

In addition to the notification of 20 December 1995, I hereby notify on behalf of the Federal Republic of Germany to the Council for Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights, pursuant to Article 4, sentence 2, paragraph (d) of the TRIPS Agreement the following list of bilateral treaties with regard to the protection of geographical indications.¹

¹The texts of these agreements will be available in the WTO Secretariat for consultation by interested delegations.

Bilateral treaties related to intellectual property**(Notification pursuant to Article 4, sentence 2, paragraph (d) of the TRIPS Agreement)**

<i>Treaty</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>In force since</i>	<i>Source</i>
Agreement between the Federal Republic of Germany and the French Republic on the Protection of Indications of Source, Appellations of Origin and Other Geographical Denominations	8 March 1960	7 May 1961	BGBI. 1961 II, p. 22, 482 Industrial Property 9/1974, S.373, 374
- Amendments to the above Agreement	23 April 1969	1 November 1969	BGBI. 1969 II, p. 856, 2064 BAnz. No. 148/62 and No. 136/70
Agreement between the Federal Republic of Germany and the Italian Republic on the Protection of Indications of Source, Appellations of Origin and Other Geographical Denominations	23 July 1963	12 August 1967	BGBI. 1965 II, p. 156, BGBI. 1967 II, p. 1815 Industrial Property 9/1974, p. 375, 376