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### NOTIFICATION

The following submission, dated 21 August 2019, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of **Ukraine**. The notification concerns the administration of tariff quotas (**Table MA:1**) for the **calendar year 2019**.

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The attached notification is submitted pursuant to the obligation to communicate any changes in the administration of tariff quotas, in accordance with the requirements given in document G/AG/2. This notification amends the document G/AG/N/UKR/8/Rev.2, dated 19 July 2011. The changes concern the administration of the tariff rate quota for raw cane sugar and affect the following items: (a), b (ii), b (iv) and (d). The above changes are made due to the fulfillment of Ukraine's obligations regarding the allocation of 260 tonnes to Paraguay within total tariff quota until 1 January 2019.

Table MA: 1

## MARKET ACCESS: UKRAINE

REPORTING PERIOD: CALENDAR YEAR 2019

*Implementation of market access opportunities: Tariff and other quota commitments*

TQ ID	Description of products	Tariff item number(s) encompassed in product description	Not opened	Description of import arrangement applicable	Note
	(from Section I-B (or I-A) of Part I of the Schedule)				
	1	2		3	
UKRQ001	Raw cane sugar	170111	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>(a) Allocation of quotas to supplying countries:</p> <p>(i) Global quota.</p> <p>(ii) The tariff quota is open from 1 January to 31 December.</p> <p>(b) Allocation of licences or of access to quotas to importers:</p> <p>(i) Import licence issued by the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine is required. Licences are issued on the approvals of the State Reserve Agency of Ukraine and the Ministry of Agrarian Policy and Food of Ukraine. The approvals of both the authorities should be received by the applicants before applying for licences. Submitting the certificate of origin of goods (or its copy) is not required for obtaining an import licence.</p> <p>(ii) All registered entities engaged in foreign economic activities, regardless of their ownership form, have the right to submit applications to obtain a licence (see par. d) on information regarding the relevant procedures).</p> <p>(iii) Licences are issued on a first-come, first-served basis.</p> <p>(iv) The term of the validity of the import licence is 90 days from the date of its signing, but shall be valid only until 31 December of the year for which it has been issued, within the amount of tariff rate quota. In the case of exhausting the set quota, acceptance of requests for delivery of licences is halted. Licences are not transferable.</p> <p>In case of the increase of the value of imports, the licence holder would be required to apply for a new licence. Reducing of the value of imports does not require a new licence.</p> <p>Changing the country of origin does not require a new licence.</p> <p>In the period not later than 15 days after the date of import licence validity expiring, the subjects of foreign economic activity should submit to the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade the information on factual import of goods under the licence (indicating amounts).</p>	

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				<p>(c) Details of other arrangements (not involving import licences): None.</p> <p>(d) Other information:</p> <p>The Procedure for allocating the tariff rate quota on imported raw cane sugar into Ukraine is specified in the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine of 12 November 2008 No. 1002 (with amendments) and is available on the official site of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine: <a href="https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/1002-2008-п">https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/1002-2008-п</a>.</p> <p>The Procedure for issuing licences to import raw cane sugar to Ukraine within the amount of tariff rate quota is specified in the Order of the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine of 20 January 2009 No. 15 (with amendments) and is available on the official site of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine <a href="https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/z0117-09">https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/z0117-09</a>.</p>	