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**Committee on Import Licensing** 

### AGREEMENT ON IMPORT LICENSING PROCEDURES

### NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLES 1.4(A)<sup>i</sup> AND/OR 8.2(B)<sup>ii</sup> OF THE AGREEMENT

### **K**AZAKHSTAN

The following communication, dated 23 February 2017, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Kazakhstan.

### 1 ANNEX NO.7 "PROTOCOL ON NON-TARIFF MEASURES CONCERNING THIRD COUNTRIES" TO THE EURASIAN ECONOMIC UNION TREATY

1.	<b>Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X]</b> (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
2.	Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):
	Official Website of Eurasian Economic Commission:
	http://www.eurasiancommission.org/
3.	Date of publication: <sup>1</sup> 29.05.2014
	Effective date of requirement: 01.01.2015
4.	Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a)) <sup>iii</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b)) <sup>iv</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:
	[] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and/or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)
	and/or
	[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:
	http://www.eurasiancommission.org/ru/Lists/EECDocs/635375701449140007.pdf
5.	In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, <i>(English, French or Spanish)</i> a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art.</u> <u>1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b)</u> ): <sup>iv</sup>
	The Protocol on non-tariff measures concerning third countries approves a basic regulation on introduction and application of measures concerning foreign trade in goods. It defines a procedure for issuance of licences and export and/or import permits for goods listed in Common list of goods that are subject to import/export prohibitions or restrictions to/from the customs territory of the Eurasian Economic Union.

Original: English

### 6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

N/A

### 2 DECISION OF THE COLLEGIUM OF THE EURASIAN ECONOMIC COMMISSION NO. 30 "ON MEASURES OF NON-TARIFF REGULATION" OF 21 APRIL 2015

- 1. Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X] (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
- 2. Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):

Official Website of Eurasian Economic Commission:

http://www.eurasiancommission.org/

3. Date of publication<sup>1</sup>: 22.04.2015

Effective date of requirement: 22.05.2015

Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of 4. Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach Г copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website: https://docs.eaeunion.org/docs/ru-ru/01410399/clcd 03062016 57

In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, 5. (English, French or Spanish) a SUMMARY of the publication (in case of Art. **<u>1.4(a)</u>** and/or the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup>:

The Decision No.30 approved the Common list of goods that are subject to import/export prohibitions or restrictions to/from the customs territory of the Eurasian Economic Union. In addition, it approved Regulations on import, export and transit of these goods.

6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

N/A

### **3 CODE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN NO. 193-IV "ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND HEALTHCARE SYSTEM" OF 18 SEPTEMBER 2009**

- 1. Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X] (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
- Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published 2. (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):

"Kazakhstanskaya pravda" #230-231 (25974-25975) of 29.09.2009

http://www.adilet.zan.kz

**3. Date of publication<sup>1</sup>:** 29.09.2009

Effective date of requirement: 10.10.2009

4. Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

[ ] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:

http://adilet.zan.kz/rus/docs/K090000193\_

5. In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, *(English, French or Spanish)* a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))</u><sup>4</sup>:

The Code of the Republic of Kazakhstan establishes procedures and requirements for turnover, importation and exportation of medicines and pharmaceutical products, human organs and tissues, blood and its components.

6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

N/A

## 4 LAW OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN NO. 544-II "ON REGULATION OF TRADE ACTIVITY" OF 12 APRIL 2004

- **1.** Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X] (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
- 2. Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):

"Kazakhstanskaya pravda" #81 of 20.04.2004

http://www.adilet.zan.kz

**3. Date of publication<sup>1</sup>:** 20.04.2004

**Effective date of requirement:** 20.04.2004

4. Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

[ ] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:

http://adilet.zan.kz/rus/docs/Z040000544\_

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## 5. In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, *(English, French or Spanish)* a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))</u><sup>4</sup>:

The Law regulates public relations in the sphere of trade activities, establishes principles and organisational framework of state regulation related to trade. The Law covers a wide range of topics:

- Non-tariff regulations;
- Introduction of bans and restrictions;
- Import licensing issues;
- Internal trade, etc.

## 6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

N/A

## 5 LAW OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN NO. 202-V "ON PERMISSIONS AND NOTIFICATIONS" OF 16 MAY 2014

- **1.** Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X] (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
- 2. Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):

"Kazakhstanskaya pravda" #97 (27718) of 20.05.2014

http://www.adilet.zan.kz

**3. Date of publication<sup>1</sup>:** 20.05.2014

**Effective date of requirement:** 21.11.2014

4. Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

[ ] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:

http://adilet.zan.kz/rus/docs/Z1400000202

5. In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, *(English, French or Spanish)* a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))</u><sup>4</sup>:

The Law regulates public relations related to introduction of permission and notification systems, including licensing requirements such as procedures, types of licenses, terms and conditions, etc.

# 6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

### 6 LAW OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZHASTAN NO. 279-I "ON NARCOTIC DRUGS, PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES AND THEIR SUBSTITUTES, PRECURSORS AND COUNTERMEASURES ON THEIR ILLEGAL CIRCULATION AND MISUSE" OF 10 JULY 1998

- **1.** Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X] (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
- 2. Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):

"Kazakhstanskaya pravda" of 17.07.1998

http://www.adilet.zan.kz/

**3. Date of publication<sup>1</sup>:** 17.07.1998

**Effective date of requirement:** 27.07.1998

4. Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

[ ] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:

http://adilet.zan.kz/rus/docs/Z980000279\_

5. In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, *(English, French or Spanish)* a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))</u><sup>4</sup>:

The Law stipulates requirements for importation, exportation and transit as well as licensing requirements for narcotic drugs, substances with psychotropic effects and their precursors.

6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

### 7 LAW OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN NO. 339 "ON THE STATE CONTROL OF TURNOVER OF CERTAIN TYPES OF WEAPON" OF 30 DECEMBER 1998

1.	<b>Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X]</b> (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
2.	Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):
	Vedomosti of the Parlement of the Republic of Kazakhstan No.24, page 448, 1998
	http://www.adilet.zan.kz
3.	Date of publication <sup>1</sup> : 31.12.1998
	Effective date of requirement: 30.01.1999

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4. Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

[ ] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:

http://adilet.zan.kz/rus/docs/Z980000339\_

5. In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, *(English, French or Spanish)* a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))</u><sup>4</sup>:

The Law establishes the licensing requirements in the area of development, production, repair and sale of weapon and its main parts and cartridges. Also, the Law stipulates requirements for import and export of these products.

6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

N/A

### 8 RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN NO. 287 "ON APPROVAL OF LIST OF GOODS SUBJECTS TO IMPORT/EXPORT LICENSING, LICENSERS AND STATE BODIES, COORDINATING THE ISSUANCE OF LICENSES" OF 24 APRIL 2015

- **1.** Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X] (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
- 2. Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):

"Kazakhstanskaya pravda" #95 (27971) of 23.05.2015

http://www.adilet.zan.kz

**3. Date of publication<sup>1</sup>:** 23.05.2015

**Effective date of requirement:** 03.06.2015

4. Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

[ ] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

 $[{\sf X}]$  by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:

http://adilet.zan.kz/rus/docs/P150000287

5. In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, *(English, French or Spanish)* a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))</u><sup>4</sup>:

The Government Resolution approves a list of goods subjects to import and export

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licensing as well as issuing license institutions.

6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

### 9 RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN NO. 983 "ON APPROVAL OF THE LIST OF THE STATE SERVICE" OF 18 SEPTEMBER 2013

- **1.** Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X] (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
- 2. Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):

"Kazakhstanskaya pravda" #317 (27591) of 16.11.2013

http://www.adilet.zan.kz

**3. Date of publication<sup>1</sup>:** 16.11.2013

Effective date of requirement: 16.11.2013

4. Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

[ ] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:

http://adilet.zan.kz/rus/docs/P1300000983

5. In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, *(English, French or Spanish)* a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))</u><sup>4</sup>:

The Government Resolution of Kazakhstan approves the list of the state service, including activities related to importation, exportation, transit and license issuing.

- 6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):
  - N/A

### 10 RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN NO. 594 "ON APPROVAL OF THE RULES ON IMPORTATION, EXPORTATION AND TRANSIT OF WASTE" OF 11 JULY 2007

- **1.** Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X] (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
- 2. Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):

Collection of Acts of the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan and the Government of

the Republic of Kazakhstan №24, of 2007

"Kazakhstanskaya pravda" #110 (25355) of 20.07.2007

http://www.adilet.zan.kz

**3. Date of publication<sup>1</sup>:** 20.07.2007

**Effective date of requirement:** 30.07.2007

## 4. Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

[ ] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:

http://adilet.zan.kz/rus/docs/P070000594\_

5. In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, *(English, French or Spanish)* a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))</u><sup>4</sup>:

The Government Resolution stipulates rules on importation, exportation and transit of hazardous waste in accordance with Kazakhstan's obligations established by the Basel Convention for the Control of Trans-boundary Movements of Hazardous Waste and their Disposal.

6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

N/A

11 RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN NO. 356 " ON APPROVAL OF RULES ON IMPORTATION TO THE TERRITORY OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN FROM COUNTRIES OUTSIDE THE EURASIAN ECONOMIC UNION, AND EXPORTATION FROM THE TERRITORY OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN TO THESE COUNTRIES OF PRECIOUS STONES, JEWELRY AND OTHER ITEMS IMPORTED INTO THE TERRITORY OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN AND EXPORTATION FROM THE TERRITORY OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN OF ROUGH DIAMONDS TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE KIMBERLEY PROCESS CERTIFICATION SCHEME AND REPEAL OF CERTAIN DECISIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN" OF 20 JUNE 2016

- **1.** Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X] (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
- 2. Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):

"Kazakhstanskaya Pravda" #121 (28247) of 25.06.2016

http://www.adilet.zan.kz

3. Date of publication<sup>1</sup>: 25.06.2016Effective date of requirement: 06.07.2016

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4. Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

[ ] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:

http://adilet.zan.kz/rus/docs/P1600000356#z4

5. In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, *(English, French or Spanish)* a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))</u><sup>4</sup>:

The Resolution of the Government of Kazakhstan establishes procedures and orders for importation to the territory of the Republic of Kazakhstan from countries outside the Eurasian Economic Union, and exportation from the territory of the Republic of Kazakhstan to these countries of precious stones, jewelry and other items imported into the territory of the Republic of Kazakhstan and exportation from the territory of the Republic of Kazakhstan of rough diamonds taking into account the Kimberley process certification scheme.

6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

N/A

12 RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN NO. 422 "ON APPROVAL OF RULES ON IMPORTATION INTO THE TERRITORY OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN FROM COUNTRIES OUTSIDE THE EURASIAN ECONOMIC UNION, AND EXPORTATION FROM THE TERRITORY OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN INTO THESE COUNTRIES PRECIOUS METALS AND RAW MATERIALS CONTAINING PRECIOUS METALS, AND REPEAL OF CERTAIN DECISIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN" OF 22 JULY 2016

- **1.** Notification under Article 1.4(a) [X]; Article 8.2(b) [X] (If the notification is made under both Articles please mark both with an X)
- 2. Source(s) where the Import Licensing Procedure(s) has(ve) been published (Official Gazette, publication, website, etc.):

"Kazakhstanskaya pravda" #143 (28269) of 28.07.2016

http://www.adilet.zan.kz

Date of publication<sup>1</sup>: 28.07.2016
Effective date of requirement: 07.08.2016

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4. Copy(ies) of publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))<sup>3</sup> and/or legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))<sup>4</sup> is(are) available for consultation by Members:

[ ] at the WTO Secretariat (Market Access Division) (In this case please attach copies of the publication and or legislation, if possible in electronic format: Microsoft Word or compatible software)

and/or

[X] by request at the following address and fax numbers, and/or e-mail and website:

http://adilet.zan.kz/rus/docs/P1600000422#z4

5. In the case that they are not in one of the three WTO official languages, *(English, French or Spanish)* a SUMMARY of the <u>publication (in case of Art. 1.4(a))</u> and/or <u>the legislation (in case of Art. 8.2(b))</u><sup>4</sup>:

The Government Resolution establishes procedures for importation into the territory of the Republic of Kazakhstan from countries outside the Eurasian Economic Union, and exportation from the territory of the Republic of Kazakhstan into these countries precious metals and raw materials containing precious metals, as well as the required documents for such actions.

## 6. Other pertinent data or information (i.e. title of the proposed or adopted law/regulation establishing the Import Licensing Procedure):

N/A

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>i</sup> "[...] Publication shall take place, whenever practicable, 21 days prior to the effective date of the requirement but in all events not later than such effective date. Any exception, derogations or changes in or from the rules concerning licensing procedures or the list of products subject to import licensing shall also be published in the same manner and within the same time periods as specified above." See Art. 1.4(a) of the Agreement.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>ii</sup> "Each Member shall inform the Committee of any changes in its laws and regulations relevant to this Agreement and in the administration of such laws and regulations."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>iii</sup> "The rules and all information concerning procedures for the submission of applications, including the eligibility of persons, firms and institutions to make such applications, the administrative body(ies) to be approached, and the lists of products subject to the licensing requirement shall be published, in the sources notified to the Committee on Import Licensing [...] Copies of these publications shall also be made available to the Secretariat." See Art. 1.4(a) of the Agreement and document G/LIC/3 "Procedures for Notification and Review under the Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures".

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>iv</sup> See document G/LIC/3 "Procedures for Notification and Review under the Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures".