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**AGREEMENT ON IMPORT LICENSING PROCEDURES**

NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 5.1 TO 5.4 OF THE AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup>

THAILAND

The following notification, dated 29 April 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Thailand.

	Category	Notification details
1	<b>Notifying Member</b>	Thailand
2	<b>Title of new legislation/procedure</b>	Notification of the Ministry of Commerce Regarding the Prohibition of Import of Used Motorcycles into the Kingdom of Thailand B.E. 2564 (2021) (dated 27 July 2021)
3	<b>Date of Publication</b>	11 August 2021
4	<b>Date of entry into force</b>	7 February 2022
5	<b>Website link/Official publication of the new regulation/procedure</b>	Official Gazette: Royal Thai Government Gazette, Vol. 138, Special part 187 Ngor, dated 11 August B.E. 2564 (2021)
6	<b>Have you attached a copy of the regulation (PDF) to the Secretariat</b>	[ ] Yes. (Please attach a copy of the regulation to the notification.) [X] No.
7	<b>Type of notification</b>	[x] (a) New licensing regulation/procedure <sup>2</sup> ; (please answer question 8 to 14)  [ ] (b) Changes to a regulation/procedure which has been previously notified in document; (please answer question 15 and 16)
8	<b>List of products subject to licensing</b>	- Used Motorcycles (HS 87.11), (HS 97.06) (HS 2017)
9	<b>Nature of licensing</b>	Automatic: [ ] Non-Automatic: [ ]
10	<b>Administrative purpose/measure being implemented</b>	(a) [ ] Protect public morals; (b) [x] Protect human, animal or plant life and health; protect environment; (c) [ ] Collect trade statistics or market surveillance; (d) [ ] Protection of patents, trademarks and copyrights, and the prevention of deceptive practices; (e) [ ] Pursue obligations under the UN Charter and other international treaties ( <i>i.e. CITES, Basel Convention, Rotterdam Convention, UNSC Resolutions etc.</i> ) (f) [ ] Quota (including TRQ) administration; (g) [ ] Regulate imports of arms, ammunition or fissionable materials and safeguard national security; (h) [ ] Other: _____ ( <i>please specify</i> )

<sup>1</sup> It is understood that the notifying Member has also completed its notification obligations under Article 1.4(a) and Article 8.2(b) regarding the relevant law/regulation/procedure notified for by filling this form in a full and complete manner.

<sup>2</sup> "New licensing regulation/procedure" is understood to refer to any newly introduced law, regulation or procedure, and those which are in force but being notified for the first time to the Committee.

	Category	Notification details
11	<b>Administrative body(ies) for submission of applications</b>	Ministry/authority and Department: Department of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Commerce Address: 563 Nonthaburi road, Bangkrasor, Nonthaburi, Thailand 11000 Website: <a href="https://www.dft.go.th/th-th/">https://www.dft.go.th/th-th/</a> Telephone: (+66)2-547-5124 E-Mail: <a href="mailto:dftmtadindus1@gmail.com">dftmtadindus1@gmail.com</a>
12	<b>Contact point for information on eligibility</b>	Ministry/authority and Department: Department of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Commerce Address: 563 Nonthaburi road, Bangkrasor, Nonthaburi, Thailand 11000 Website: <a href="https://www.dft.go.th/th-th/">https://www.dft.go.th/th-th/</a> Telephone: (+66)2-547-5124 E-Mail: <a href="mailto:dftmtadindus1@gmail.com">dftmtadindus1@gmail.com</a>
13	<b>Expected duration of licensing procedure</b>	Cancellation
14	<b>A summary of the notification in one of the WTO official languages</b>	Used Motorcycles (HS 87.11, 97.06) are the import prohibited goods in the Kingdom of Thailand.  A new regulation is issued and terminates the regulations as follows:  Notification of the Ministry of Commerce Regarding the Importation of Goods into the Kingdom of Thailand (No. 113) B.E. 2539 (1996) (dated 25 April 1996)
15	<b>In the case of 7(b), please indicate the type of new change(s)</b>	<p>(a) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Termination</b></p> <p>(b) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Suspension</b></p> <p>(c) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Modification of specific details in existing procedures:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Product coverage;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Administrative purpose;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Automatic or Non-automatic;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Duration of licensing;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Change the nature of quantity/value restriction;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility of applicants;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Contact information on eligibility;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Administrative body(ies) for submission of application;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Documentation requirements (including application form);</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Period for Application;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Administrative body(ies) to issue licence;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Processing time for issuing licence;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Licence fee/administrative charge;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Deposit/advance payment and relevant conditions;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Appeal regulations/procedures;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Validity of licence;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other conditions of licence (extension, transferability, penalty of non-use etc.);</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Foreign exchange requirements;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ (please specify).</p>
16	<b>Please elaborate the changes in detail (in one of the WTO official languages)</b>	

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3	<b>Date of Publication</b>	21 May 1996
4	<b>Date of entry into force</b>	22 May 1996
5	<b>Website link/Official publication of the new regulation/procedure</b>	Official Gazette: Royal Thai Government Gazette, Royal Government Gazette, Gen.Vers, Vol. 113, Part 41 Ngor, dated 21 May 1996
6	<b>Have you attached a copy of the regulation (PDF) to the Secretariat</b>	[ ] Yes. (Please attach a copy of the regulation to the notification.) [X] No.
7	<b>Type of notification</b>	[ ] (a) New licensing regulation/procedure <sup>3</sup> ; (please answer question 8 to 14)  [X] (b) Changes to a regulation/procedure which has been previously notified in document: WTO document G/LIC/N/3/THA/7 from 6 October 2020; (please answer question 15 and 16)
8	<b>List of products subject to licensing</b>	
9	<b>Nature of licensing</b>	Automatic: [ ] Non-Automatic: [ ]
10	<b>Administrative purpose/measure being implemented</b>	(a) [ ] Protect public morals; (b) [ ] Protect human, animal or plant life and health; protect environment; (c) [ ] Collect trade statistics or market surveillance; (d) [ ] Protection of patents, trademarks and copyrights, and the prevention of deceptive practices; (e) [ ] Pursue obligations under the UN Charter and other international treaties ( <i>i.e. CITES, Basel Convention, Rotterdam Convention, UNSC Resolutions etc.</i> ) (f) [ ] Quota (including TRQ) administration; (g) [ ] Regulate imports of arms, ammunition or fissionable materials and safeguard national security; (h) [ ] Other: _____ ( <i>please specify</i> )
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15	<b>In the case of 7(b), please indicate the type of new change(s)</b>	(a) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Termination</b> (b) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Suspension</b> (c) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Modification of specific details in existing procedures:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Product coverage; <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative purpose; <input type="checkbox"/> Automatic or Non-automatic; <input type="checkbox"/> Duration of licensing; <input type="checkbox"/> Change the nature of quantity/value restriction; <input type="checkbox"/> Eligibility of applicants; <input type="checkbox"/> Contact information on eligibility; <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative body(ies) for submission of application; <input type="checkbox"/> Documentation requirements (including application form);

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		<input type="checkbox"/> Period for Application; <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative body(ies) to issue licence; <input type="checkbox"/> Processing time for issuing licence; <input type="checkbox"/> Licence fee/administrative charge; <input type="checkbox"/> Deposit/advance payment and relevant conditions; <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal regulations/procedures; <input type="checkbox"/> Validity of licence; <input type="checkbox"/> Other conditions of licence (extension, transferability, penalty of non-use etc.); <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign exchange requirements; <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ (please specify).
16	<b>Please elaborate the changes in detail (in one of the WTO official languages)</b>	<p>Used Motorcycles (HS 87.11, 97.06) are the import prohibited goods in the Kingdom of Thailand.</p> <p>This regulation is terminated, and a new regulation is issued as follows:</p> <p>Notification of the Ministry of Commerce Regarding the Prohibition of Import of Used Motorcycles into the Kingdom of Thailand B.E. 2564 (2021) (dated 27 July 2021)</p>