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Committee on Import Licensing

AGREEMENT ON IMPORT LICENSING PROCEDURES

NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 5 OF THE AGREEMENT¹

UKRAINE

The following notification, dated 13 May 2013, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Ukraine.

1. (a) Title / number / date of the law or regulation establishing / changing the import licensing procedure:

The Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine as of 22 April 2013 No. 312 "On Interagency Commission for quotas allocation for the goods subject to import licensing in 2013 and amendments to Annex 8 of the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine Nº 1201 of 19 December 2012"

- (b) If the notified measure refers to a change in an already notified import licensing procedure, please indicate the document symbol of the notification to which change(s) has(ve) been introduced. (In this case please also indicate in Section 3, below, the nature of the changes (i.e. inclusion or exclusion of some goods and a list thereof; contact point for information and/or administrative body(ies) for submission of applications, etc.)):
- 2. Information concerning the institution / change of import licensing procedure:
 - (a) List of products subject to the licensing procedure (Exact name of the products and/or whenever possible HS code and indication of the exact HS Nomenclature (i.e. 1996; 2002 or 2007). Abbreviations should be avoided. In the case of a long list of products, please attach the list as an Annex in Microsoft Word or compatible software. Please do not use PDF, or photocopies.)

Coking coal (UKTZED1 2701 12 10 00); Bituminous coal (UKTZED 2701 12 90 00); Other coal (UKTZED 2701 19 00 00)

Coke and semi-coke of coal for the manufacture of electrodes (UKTZED 2704 001100)

Other Coke and semi-coke of coal (UKTZED 2704 00 19 00)

Coke and semi-coke of lignite (UKTZED 2704 00 30 00)

Coke and semi-coke of peat, whether or not agglomerated, retort carbon (UKTZED 2704 00 90 00)

 $^{^{1}}$ UKTZED is the Ukrainian Foreign Economic Activity Commodity Classification, based on Harmonized System 2007.

(b) Contact point for information on eligibility

Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine Department for foreign economic activity Unit for non-tariff regulation 03035, Kyiv, Surikova str., 3 tel./ fax: +380(044) 245-58-97

(c) Administrative body(ies) for submission of applications (If more than one please include the same information for each body.)

Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine

(d) Date and name of publication where licensing procedures are published

Official newspaper "Uriadoviy Curier" as of 30 April 2013 Nº81.

The mentioned Resolution is available in Ukrainian on the official site of Parliament (Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine): http://zakon4.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/312-2013-%D0%BF

(e) Indication of whether the licensing procedure is

[] automatic. If so please indicate: (f) the administrative purpose:

[X] non-automatic. If so please indicate: (g) the measure being implemented through the import licensing procedure: In the case of non-automatice licensing procedures, their administrative purpose: In

Licenses are issued by the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade according to the decision of the Interagency Commission for quotas allocation for the goods subject to import licensing in 2013.

Interagency Commission for quotas allocation for the goods subject to import licensing in 2013 according to its functions:

- 1) prepares recommendations on the quotas allocation for goods subject to import licensing in 2013, based on the application and supporting documents submitted by business entities to the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade after the publication on the official website of Ministry of information on the procedure of submission, beginning and final date of applications registration considering the information about entity activities during last three years (imports quantity of coking coal and coking coal, quantity of consumption of Ukrainian domestically produced coking coal, quantities of coke production and coking coal consumption, quantities of production of cast iron, with the use of Pulverized Coal Injection technology in particular);
- 2) reviews the applications submitted by the Ministry of Economic Development and trade within seven working days after the receipt of applications from business entities;
- 3) submits to the Ministry of Economic Development and trade elaborated proposals and recommendations.
- (h) Expected duration of the licensing procedure if this can be estimated with some probability, and if not, reason why this information cannot be provided

From 1 June 2013 till 31 December 2013 (including this date).

3. Other relevant data or information: (i.e. complete title and data concerning the legislation, inclusion or exclusion of certain products from the import licensing regime and list thereof; changes related to the administrative body(ies) for submission of applications, etc.).

By this Resolution the date of application of the import licensing procedure was postponed from 27 of April 2013 to 1of June 2013.

ⁱ "Members which institute licensing procedures or changes in these procedures shall notify the Committee of such within 60 days of publication [...]" (Art. 5.1).