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Committee on Import Licensing

REPLIES TO QUESTIONNAIRE ON IMPORT LICENSING PROCEDURES¹

NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 7.3 OF THE AGREEMENT ON IMPORT LICENSING PROCEDURES (2019)

CHINA

Corrigendum²

Please note that on page 2, the second part of paragraph 5 should read as follows:

"With respect to the import licensing procedures for commodities subject to tariff-rate quotas, under the Regulations on Administration of Import and Export of Commodities (Decree of the State Council [2001] No. 332), the currently effective rules are the Interim Measures for the Administration of Import Tariff-rate Quotas of Agricultural Products (Decree of the Ministry of Commerce and the National Development and Reform Commission [2003] No. 4) and the Interim Measures for the Administration of Import Tariff-rate Quotas of Fertilizers (Decree of the former Economic and Trade Commission and the General Administration of Customs [2002] No. 27, amended by Decree of the Ministry of Commerce [2018] No.7), in conformity with which, the Ministry of Commerce and the National Development and Reform Commission publishes every year in the form of announcements the volume, distribution means and application requirements of import tariff-rate quotas of commodities."

On page 6, the second part of paragraph 8 should read as follows:

"In the event an applicant of commodity import licenses does not conform to the provisions of **Chapter II** or Chapter III of the Measures for the Administration of Commodity Import Licenses (Decree of the Ministry of Commerce [2004] No. 27), its application for licenses may be refused. The reasons for the refusal will be given to the applicant, whom will be informed of its legal rights to resort to an administrative reconsideration or administrative suit."

¹ See document G/LIC/3, Annex, for the Questionnaire.

² In English only.