

19 August 2020

Original: English

(20-5630) Page: 1/5

**Committee on Market Access** 

# NOTIFICATION PURSUANT TO THE DECISION ON NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES FOR QUANTITATIVE RESTRICTIONS (G/L/59/REV.1)

#### VIET NAM

The following communication, dated 3 August 2020, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Viet Nam.

A.	Notifying Member: Viet Nam
В.	Date of notification: 3 August 2020
C.	First time notification:
$\boxtimes$	Yes
	No, last notification was made in (doc. symbol):
D.	Type of notification:
$\boxtimes$	1. Complete (i.e. notification of all quantitative restrictions in force)
	2. Changes to a notification previously made in (doc symbol which are of the following nature:
	☐ 2.1 Introduction of new restrictions, as listed in Section 1.
	☐ 2.2 Elimination of restrictions, as described in G below.
	☐ 2.3 Modification of a previously notified restriction, as described in Section 1.
	3. Reverse notification of restrictions maintained by (Member):
E.	The notification provides information for the following biennial period (e.g. 2012-2014): 2018-2020 and relates to restrictions in force as of 10 April 2020
F.	This notification contains information* relating to:
$\boxtimes$	Section 1: List of quantitative restrictions that are currently in force.
	<b>Section 2:</b> Cross-reference to other WTO notifications with information on quantitative restrictions that are currently in force and additional information.
G.	Comments of a general nature, including a description of the elimination of restrictions notified under D.2.2 and the date they ceased to be in force.
	Viet Nam's Ministry of Industry and Trade on April 10, 2020 issued Decision 1106/QD-BCT prescribing a global quota of 400,000 tons for rice export in April 2020. The global quota restriction then ceased to be in force from May 1, 2020 as provided in Announcement 172/TB-VPCP dated April 29, 2020 by the Prime Minister.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>ast}$  In English only.

Section 1: List of quantitative restrictions that are currently in force

QR No	General description of the restriction	Type of restriction	Tariff line code(s) affected, based on HS (2017)	Detailed Product Description	WTO Justification and Grounds for Restriction, e.g., Other International Commitments	National legal basis and entry into force	Administration, modification of previously notified measures, and other comment
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Global quota for rice export	GQ-X	1006	Rice	Article XI:2(a) of the GATT 1994	Law on Foreign Trade Management 05/2017/QH14 dated June 12, 2017 Decree 107/2018/ND- CP dated August 15, 2018 Decision 1106/QD-BCT dated April 10, 2020	This measure ceased to be in force from May 1, 2020

This section shall be filled by Members in case a notification made pursuant to another notification requirement (e.g. set in the Agreement on Agriculture, Agreement on Balance of Payments, Agreement on Safeguards, and the Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures, etc.) contains information on a quantitative restriction in force and which is not listed in Section 1.

# 1. Agreement on Agriculture

- A. Was a notification made with information on a quantitative restriction? Yes  $\square$  No  $\boxtimes$
- B. If yes, then list below the relevant document symbol and include any information element missing in the notification:

Document symbol of notification	General description	Type of restr.	Tariff line code(s) affected, based on HS( )	Detailed Product Description	WTO Justification and Grounds for Restriction, e.g., Other International Commitments	National legal basis and entry into force	Administration; modification of prev. notified measures; and other comments
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
G/AG/N/							

# 2. Agreement on Balance of Payments

- A. Was a notification made with information on a quantitative restriction? Yes  $\square$  No  $\boxtimes$
- B. If yes, then list below the relevant document symbol and include any information element missing in the notification:

Document symbol of notification	General description	Type of restr.	Tariff line code(s) affected, based on HS( )	Detailed Product Description	WTO Justification and Grounds for Restriction, e.g., Other International Commitments	National legal basis and entry into force	Administration; modification of prev. notified measures; and other comments
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
WT/BOP/N/							

# 3. Agreement on Safeguards

A. Was a notification made with information on a quantitative restriction? Yes  $\square$  No  $\boxtimes$ 

B. If yes, then list below the relevant document symbol and include any information element missing in the notification:

Document symbol of notification	General description	Type of restr.	Tariff line code(s) affected, based on HS( )	Detailed Product Description	WTO Justification and Grounds for Restriction, e.g., Other International Commitments	National legal basis and entry into force	Administration; modification of prev. notified measures; and other comments
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
G/SG/N/							

# 4. Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures (non-automatic licences)

A. Was a notification made with information on a quantitative restriction? Yes  $\ \square$  No  $\ \boxtimes$ 

B. If yes, then list below the relevant document symbol and include any information element missing in the notification:

Document symbol of notification	General description	Type of restr.	Tariff line code(s) affected, based on HS(2007)	Detailed Product Description	WTO Justification and Grounds for Restriction, e.g., Other International Commitments	National legal basis and entry into force	Administration; modification of prev. notified measures; and other comments
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
G/LIC/N/							

# 5. Other notifications

A. Was a notification made with information on a quantitative restriction in other notifications? Yes  $\square$  No  $\boxtimes$ 

B. If yes, then list below the relevant document symbol and include any information element missing in the notification:

Document symbol of notification	General description	Type of restr.	Tariff line code(s) affected, based on HS( )	Detailed Product Description	WTO Justification and Grounds for Restriction, e.g., Other International Commitments	National legal basis and entry into force	Administration; modification of prev. notified measures; and other comments
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8