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STATE TRADING**NEW AND FULL NOTIFICATION PURSUANT TO ARTICLE XVII:4(A) OF THE GATT 1994 AND
PARAGRAPH 1 OF THE UNDERSTANDING ON THE INTERPRETATION OF ARTICLE XVII****URUGUAY**

The following submission, dated 29 May 2020, and relating to the years 2012-2019, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Uruguay.

I. ENUMERATION OF STATE TRADING ENTERPRISES

The only State enterprise covered by the provisions of Article XVII of the GATT 1994 is the *Administración Nacional de Combustibles, Alcohol y Portland* (ANCAP).

ANCAP has a monopoly on the importation and refining of crude petroleum and by-products.

II. REASON AND PURPOSE FOR ESTABLISHING AND MAINTAINING THE STATE TRADING ENTERPRISE

The monopoly on petroleum and fuels derived from petroleum was established because they are deemed to be strategic products.

The monopoly was created under the law setting up ANCAP (National Law No. 8764 of 15 October 1931).

III. DESCRIPTION OF THE FUNCTIONING OF THE STATE TRADING ENTERPRISE

ANCAP is a State trading and industrial enterprise; its legal status is that of an autonomous body subject to the rules of public law, rather than private commercial law.

The enterprise's Board of Directors, comprising five members, is appointed by the Executive with parliamentary approval.

The Executive sets the prices of the enterprise's products on the recommendation of ANCAP's Board of Directors.

Imports or exports by third parties of products over which ANCAP has a monopoly are not permitted.

The import volume of crude petroleum and by-products is determined by domestic demand. The export volume of petroleum by-products depends on the competitiveness of the enterprise and the stocks available.

On occasion, long-term contracts have been used for crude petroleum supplies.

IV. STATISTICAL INFORMATION

TABLE 1

STATE TRADING: NAME OF STATE TRADING ENTERPRISE

STATISTICAL INFORMATION, IMPORTS

Year	Description of product(s) (including HS number(s))	Total quantity imported (*)	Quantity imported by state trading enterprise (*)	Average import price (**)	Average representative domestic sales price (**)	Mark-up	National production (m ³)
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2012	2709	14,962,499.31	14,962,499.31	113.73	--	--	0
	2710	1,064,146.06	1,064,146.06	805.51	974.69	--	2,041,181.00
	2711	53,437.51	53,437.51	1,267.47	1,186.77	--	140,894.00
2013	2709	15,659,397.00	15,659,397.00	113.25	--	--	0
	2710	578,971.76	578,971.76	840.36	1,240.10	--	2,178,159.00
	2711	43,404.24	43,404.24	1,268.58	1,232.21	--	164,998.00
2014	2709	12,609,177.69	12,609,177.69	102.72	--	--	0
	2710	371,014.34	371,014.34	856.85	1,387.76	--	2,081,230.00
	2711	45,190.54	45,190.54	1,085.62	1,203.19	--	148,923.00
2015	2709	14,088,851.69	14,088,851.69	54.75	--	--	0
	2710	367,069.24	367,069.24	587.68	1,144.16	--	2,056,410.00
	2711	42,372.14	42,372.14	765.69	1,045.77	--	147,202.00
2016	2709	14,644,890.00	14,644,890.00	46.21	--	--	0
	2710	119,636.33	119,636.33	383.92	1,136.52	--	2,333,429.00
	2711	38,213.13	38,213.13	538.62	981.39	--	175,294.00
2017	2709	3,831,179.00	3,831,179.00	62.16	--	--	0
	2710	1,454,799.77	1,454,799.77	464.94	1,319.95	--	693,873.00
	2711	94,623.56	94,623.56	609.47	1,100.46	--	41,630.00

Year	Description of product(s) (including HS number(s))	Total quantity imported (*)	Quantity imported by state trading enterprise (*)	Average import price (**)	Average representative domestic sales price (**)	Mark-up	National production (m ³)
2018	2709	15,856,315.00	15,856,315.00	74.93	--	--	0
	2710	34,479.32	34,479.32	636.20	1,292.96	--	2,308,536.00
	2711	23,170.46	23,170.46	844.97	1,184.64	--	191,279.00
2019	2709	15,029,655.10	15,029,655.10	66.18	--	--	0
	2710	2,418.35	2,418.35	806.05	1,223.13	--	2,231,239.00
	2711	24,170.07	24,170.07	627.11	1,123.40	--	183,336.00

Statistical information for column 6 is reported under columns 4 and 5.

(*) In columns 2 and 3, item 2709 is expressed in bbl. (barrels), item 2710 in m³ (cubic meters) and item 2711 in MT (tonnes).

(**) In columns 4 and 5, 2709 is expressed in USD/bbl., item 2710 in USD/m³ and item 2711 in USD/MT.

Column 5: the price indicated includes government taxes.

TABLE II

STATE TRADING: NAME OF STATE TRADING ENTERPRISE

STATISTICAL INFORMATION, EXPORTS

Year	Description of product(s) (including HS number(s))	Total quantity exported (*)	Quantity exported by state trading enterprise (*)	Average procurement price (reported by enterprise)	Average representative domestic sales price (**)	Average export price (**)	National production (m ³)
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2012	2710	590,761.00	590,761.00	---	974.69	799.21	2,041,181.00
	2711	---	---	---	1,186.77	---	140,894.00
2013	2710	469,661.00	469,661.00	---	1,240.10	775.67	2,178,159.00
	2711	---	---	---	1,232.21	---	164,998.00
2014	2710	476,876.00	476,876.00	---	1,387.76	751.80	2,081,230.00
	2711	---	---	---	1,203.19	---	148,923.00
2015	2710	446,409.00	446,409.00	---	1,144.16	461.85	2,056,410.00
	2711	---	---	---	1,045.77	---	147,202.00
2016	2710	418,176.00	418,176.00	---	1,136.52	370.02	2,333,429.00
	2711	---	---	---	981.39	---	175,294.00
2017	2710	322,580.00	322,580.00	---	1,319.95	487.61	693,873.00
	2711	---	---	---	1,100.46	---	41,630.00
2018	2710	385,295.00	385,295.00	---	1,292.96	588.47	2,308,536.00
	2711	---	---	---	1,184.64	---	191,279.00
2019	2710	409,169.00	409,169.00	---	1,223.13	524.62	2,231,239.00
	2711	801.00	801.00	---	1,123.40	396.40	183,336.00

(*) In columns 2 and 3 item 2710 is expressed in m³ (cubic metres) and item 2711 in MT (metric tonnes). Includes exports and sales to free zone and bunker.

(**) In columns 5 and 6, item 2710 is expressed in USD/m³ and item 2711 in USD/MT.

Column 5: the price indicated includes government taxes.

TABLE III

STATE TRADING: NAME OF STATE TRADING ENTERPRISE

STATISTICAL INFORMATION, DOMESTIC ACTIVITIES

Year	Description of product(s) (including HS number(s))	Domestic purchases by state trading enterprise	National production (m3)	Domestic sales by state trading enterprise (m3)	National consumption (m3)
	1	2	3	4	5
2012	2710	- - -	2,041,181.00	2,651,816.00	2,651,816.00
	2711	- - -	140,894.00	228,100.00	228,100.00
2013	2710	- - -	2,178,159.00	2,192,898.00	2,192,898.00
	2711	- - -	164,998.00	242,400.00	242,400.00
2014	2710	- - -	2,081,230.00	1,896,788.00	1,896,788.00
	2711	- - -	148,923.00	232,800.00	232,800.00
2015	2710	- - -	2,056,410.00	1,964,000.00	1,964,000.00
	2711	- - -	147,202.00	224,400.00	224,400.00
2016	2710	- - -	2,333,429.00	1,880,438.00	1,880,438.00
	2711	- - -	175,294.00	247,100.00	247,100.00
2017	2710	- - -	693,873.00	1,861,246.00	1,861,246.00
	2711	- - -	41,630.00	224,700.00	224,700.00
2018	2710	- - -	2,308,536.00	1,915,775.00	1,915,775.00
	2711	- - -	191,279.00	232,200.00	232,200.00
2019	2710	- - -	2,231,239.00	1,864,431.00	1,864,431.00
	2711	- - -	183,336.00	231,400.00	231,400.00