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**Council for Trade-Related Aspects of
Intellectual Property Rights**

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**NOTIFICATION OF LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER
ARTICLE 63.2 OF THE TRIPS AGREEMENT**

SWITZERLAND: ORDINANCE OF THE FEDERAL DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS,
EDUCATION AND RESEARCH (EAER) ON THE USE OF SWISS INDICATIONS
OF SOURCE FOR FOOD PRODUCTS

Notifying Member	SWITZERLAND
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Details of the notified legal text

Title	Ordinance of the Federal Department of Economic Affairs, Education and Research (EAER) on the Use of Swiss Indications of Source for Food Products
Subject matter	Geographical indications
Nature of notification	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Main dedicated intellectual property law or regulation <input type="checkbox"/> Other law or regulation
Link to legal text*	https://ip-documents.info/2022/IP/CHE/22_0954_00_f.pdf
Notification status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First notification <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment or revision to notified legal text <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	Not applicable
Brief description of the notified legal text	
<p>Registration of natural products that temporarily cannot be produced in Switzerland or in sufficient quantities in Switzerland owing to unexpected or irregular conditions.</p> <p>Most recent amendments: Annex 1: - Changes to the list of temporarily unavailable natural products.</p>	
Language(s) of notified legal text	French
Entry into force	1 January 2017; The most recent changes to Annex 1 to this Ordinance came into effect on 1 January 2022.
Other date	

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Notification details

Submission date of notification	20 January 2022
Other information	
Agency or authority responsible	Federal Institute for Intellectual Property (IPI) Stauffacherstrasse 65/59g CH-3003 Bern Telephone: +41 31 377 77 77 Email: info@ipi.ch

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