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

United Kingdom

Addendum

The following communication, dated 1 September 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United Kingdom.

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| **A. Notifying Member:** United Kingdom |
| **B.** **Date of notification:** 1 September2022 |
| **C. First time notification:****[ ]** Yes**[x]** No, last notification was made in (doc. symbol): G/MA/QR/N/GBR/1 |
| **D. Type of notification:****[ ]** 1. Complete (i.e. notification of all quantitative restrictions in force)**[x]** 2. Changes to a notification previously made in G/MA/QR/N/GBR/1 which are of the following nature: **[x]**  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):** 2020-2022 **and relates to restrictions in force as of** 1 September 2022 |
| **F. This notification contains information[[1]](#footnote-2)\* relating to:****[x]  Section 1:** List of quantitative restrictions that are currently in force.**[ ]  Section 2:** 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.**1. The United Kingdom is notifying import and export prohibitions it has implemented in response to the Russian Federation's unprovoked and unjustified invasion of Ukraine, which is a violation of international law. The United Kingdom considers these measures are necessary to protect its essential security interests.
2. The UK’s notification G/MA/QR/N/GBR/1 included details relating to Northern Ireland. This notification does not amend those details which continue to apply.
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**Section 1: List of quantitative restrictions that are currently in force**

| **QRNo.** | **General description of the restriction** | **Type of restriction**  | **Tariff line code(s) affected, based on****HS (2022)** | **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 comments** |
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| **1** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **5** | **6** | **7** |
| **1** | Export prohibition on certain goods to, or for use in, the Russian Federation | CP-X | Various, including codes listed in Schedules 2A, 2C, 2D, 2E, 3, 3A, 3D and 3E to the [Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019](https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2019/855/contents), as amended | Dual-use goods, military goods, aviation and space-related goods, quantum computing and advanced material goods, luxury goods, critical industry goods, defence and security goods, maritime goods, oil-refining goods, bank notes, jet fuel and fuel additives, energy-related goods, and G7 dependency and further goods list goods.For definitions and detailed lists of the products concerned, see regulation 21 of, and the Schedules to, the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019, as amended. | Article XXI GATT | [The Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019](https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2019/855/contents), as amended.The trade measures in the Regulations first came into force on 31.12.2020. The most recent amendment entered into force on 21.07.2022. | Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office lead on UK sanctions policy.Department for International Trade are responsible for trade sanctions licensing.HM Revenue & Customs and Border Force are responsible for investigation and enforcement. |
| **2** | Import prohibition on certain goods originating in, or consigned from, the Russian Federation | CP | See codes listed in Schedules 3B, 3D and 3H to the [Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019](https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2019/855/contents), as amended | Certain iron and steel products, revenue generating goods, and coal and coal products.For definitions and detailed lists of the products concerned, see regulation 21 of, and Schedules 3B, 3D and 3H to, the [Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019](https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2019/855/contents), as amended. | Article XXI GATT  | [The Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019](https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2019/855/contents), as amended.The trade measures in the Regulations first came into force on 31.12.2020. The most recent amendment entered into force on 21.07.2022. | Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office lead on UK sanctions policy.Department for International Trade are responsible for trade sanctions licensing.HM Revenue & Customs and Border Force are responsible for investigation and enforcement |
| **3** | Import prohibition on certain gold and products related to gold originating from the Russian Federation | CP | 710871129 10000ex 7118 9000 (Gold Coin) | Gold and products related to gold, originating in the Russian Federation on or after 21 July 2022.For a detailed list of the products concerned, see Schedule 3G to the [Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019](https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2019/855/contents), as amended. | Article XXI GATT  | [The Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019](https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2019/855/contents), as amended. The trade measures in the Regulations first came into force on 31.12.2020. The most recent amendment entered into force on 21.07.2022. | Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office lead on UK sanctions policy.Department for International Trade are responsible for trade sanctions licensing.HM Revenue & Customs and Border Force are responsible for investigation and enforcement |

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1. \* In English only. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)