PUBLIC NOTICE

Note by the secretariat

Revision

Article 3(d) of the Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures provides that "in the case of quotas allocated among supplying countries, the Party applying the restrictions shall promptly inform all other Parties having an interest in supplying the product concerned of the shares in the quota currently allocated, by quantity or value, to the various supplying countries and shall give public notice thereof".

At the meeting of the Committee held in April 1980 there was general agreement that delegations should indicate the way in which public notice is given (LIC/M/2, paragraphs 12 to 14).

The following information on this subject has been received from delegations:

1. Argentina
   Official Gazette

2. Australia
   Bureau of Customs Notices
   Commonwealth of Australia Gazette

3. Austria
   Austrian Federal Law Gazette

4. Canada
   Canada Gazette
   Press releases
   Importer notices

5. Chile
   Diario Oficial de la Republica de Chile (Official Gazette)
6. Czechoslovakia
   Not applicable

7. European Economic Community
   Official Journal of the European Communities, L series
   7.1 Belgium
      Not applicable
   7.2 Denmark
      Notices from the Licensing Office of the Ministry of Industry
   7.3 France
      Journal Officiel
   7.4 Germany, Federal Republic of
      Bundesanzeiger
   7.5 Greece
      Official Journal
   7.6 Ireland
      Iris Oifigiul (Official Gazette)
      National Daily Newspapers
   7.7 Italy
      Official Gazette
      Ministerial circulars to quasi-State organs and professional associations
      Weekly bulletin of the National External Trade Institute (ICE)
   7.8 Luxembourg
      Memorial du Grand-Duché de Luxembourg
   7.9 Netherlands
      Staatsblad
      Staatscourant
   7.10 United Kingdom
      Notices to Importers in 'British Business'
      Press notices and announcements in Parliament
8. Finland
   Communications from the Import and Export Permits Office
   Import System of Finland

9. Hungary
   Not applicable

10. India
    Not applicable

11. Japan
    Not applicable

12. New Zealand
    Import Licensing Bulletin

13. Norway
    Not applicable

14. Pakistan
    Import Policy Order in the Gazette of Pakistan Extraordinary

15. Philippines
    Not applicable

16. Romania
    Not applicable

17. South Africa
    Not applicable
18. **Sweden**

Circulars of the Board of Commerce  
Circulars of the National Agricultural Board  
Official Gazette

19. **Switzerland**

Recueil des lois fédérales (RO)  
Notices to the importers and countries concerned

20. **United Kingdom on behalf of Hong Kong**

Not applicable

21. **United States**

Part 3 of the Appendix to the Tariff Schedules of the United States

22. **Yugoslavia**

Not applicable