

Appendix 2 to Annex III

Tariff rate quota for milk powder in the Dominican Republic

With respect to goods of tariff headings 040210, 040221 and 040229 originating in the EC Party the Dominican Republic shall allow the importation of the quantities in metric tonnes indicated in column A upon payment of the *ad valorem* customs duty indicated in column B for the periods indicated in column C.

A	B	C
22 400	20	1 July 2008-30 June 2009
22 400	20	1 July 2009-30 June 2010
22 400	20	1 July 2010-30 June 2011
22 400	20	1 July 2011-30 June 2012
22 400	20	1 July 2012-30 June 2013
22 400	20	1 July 2013-30 June 2014
22 400	20	1 July 2014-30 June 2015
22 400	20	1 July 2015-30 June 2016
22 400	20	1 July 2016-30 June 2017
22 400	20	1 July 2017-30 June 2018
22 400	18	1 July 2018-30 June 2019
22,400	16	1 July 2019-30 June 2020
22 400	11	1 July 2020-30 June 2021
22 400	5	1 July 2021-30 June 2022
22 400	0	1 July 2022-30 June 2023
Unlimited	0	1 July 2023 and thereafter

The EC party will manage this tariff rate quota according to a mechanism of export licenses as established by the European Community regulations. The EC Party shall endeavour to allocate a reasonable proportion of the in-quota quantities to new entrants, if any.

The EC Party shall inform the Dominican Republic of any existing or foreseen difficulty in supplying the quantities indicated in column A. If the EC Party cannot supply such quantities, the Dominican Republic shall have the right to reallocate the unused quantities of the tariff rate quota among other suppliers if the supply problem is not resolved in a two-month period, following the EC Party notification of such supply difficulty.

The provisions of this Appendix are without prejudice to the commitments contained in the WTO agricultural schedule of the Dominican Republic (Schedule XXIII, Annex to the Protocol of Marrakech) and replace the provisions of the Memorandum of Understanding between the European Community and the Dominican Republic on import protection for milk powder in the Dominican Republic, published in *Official Journal of the European Communities* L 218 of 6 August 1998, p. 46.

Customs duties on goods of tariff headings 040210, 040221 and 040229 originating in the EC Party and imported into the Dominican Republic in excess of the quantities indicated in column A shall be no higher than the customs duties indicated for such products in Annex III.