

Annex 4.14

**Free Trade Agreement between the Republic of China (Taiwan)
and the Republic of Nicaragua
Certificate of Origin
(Instructions attached)**

Please type or print.

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1. Name and address of the Exporter: Telephone: Fax: Electronic mail: Tax Identification Number:		2. Certificate No.: Blanket Period: D M Y D M Y From: ___/___/___/___/ To: ___/___/___/___/				
3. Name and address of the Producer: Telephone: Fax: Electronic mail: Tax Identification Number:		4. Name and address of the Importer: Telephone: Fax: Electronic mail: Tax Identification Number:				
5. Quantity of goods (with measure unit)	6. Description of goods	7. Tariff Classification	8. Criterion for preferential treatment	9. Producer	10. Other Criteria	
11. Observations:						
12. I declare that: -- the information on this document is true and accurate and I assume the responsibility for proving such representations. -- the goods covered under this Certificate of Origin are originating in the territory of one or both of the Parties, and comply with the origin requirements specified for those goods in the Free Trade Agreement between the Republic of China (Taiwan) and the Republic of Nicaragua. _____ Signature of authorized person from the enterprise _____ Date of Certification of Declaration of Origin This Certificate consists of _____ pages, including all its annexes.		13. Certification from Certifying Authority: It is certified that the goods covered under this Certificate of Origin comply with the Rules of Origin established in the Free Trade Agreement between the Republic of China (Taiwan) and the Republic of Nicaragua. _____ Authorized Signature and Seal from the Certifying Authority _____ Date of Certification				

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING THE CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN

For purposes to obtain preferential tariff treatment, this document shall be filled in legible form and completed by the exporter of the goods, without scratches, blotches, amendments or writing between the lines and the competent governmental authority or its designees may complete the certificate on request by the exporter or the producer. The importer shall provide the certificate to the importing Customs at the time the import declaration is made. Please type or print the information. In case of requiring additional space you shall use the annex page of the Certificate of Origin.

The Certificate of Origin shall be completed by the exporter in the language of the Party and in English. In addition each certificate of origin shall carry a serial number allowing its identification.

Field 01: Indicate the full legal name, the denomination or trade name, the residency (including the address, the city and the country), the telephone number, the fax number, the electronic mail, and the Tax Identification Number of the exporter.

The Tax Identification Number shall be in:

Republic of Nicaragua:

Republic of China (Taiwan): the Business Account Number (BAN)

Field 02: It shall be filled with regard to the goods described in Field 06, that are imported to any of the Parties in a specific period not longer than twelve (12) months (blanket period). "FROM" shall be followed by the date (Day/Month/Year) on which the certificate starts to cover the described goods. "TO" shall be followed by the last date (Day/Month/Year) of the validity period of the certificate. Imports of any of the goods covered by the certificate shall take place within the indicated dates.

The space provided for the Certificate No. is exclusively for the use of the Certifying Authority.

Field 03: Indicate the full legal name, the denomination or trade name, the residency (including the address, the city and the country), the telephone number, the fax number, the electronic mail, and the Tax Identification Number of the producer, as it is described in Field 01. In case the certificate covers goods of more than one producer, indicate: "SEVERAL" and enclose a list of the producers, including the full legal name, denomination or trade name, the residency (including the address, the city and the country), telephone number, fax number, the electronic mail, and the Tax Identification Number, making direct reference to the good described in Field 06. When it is desired that the information contained in this field be confidential, it shall be indicated: "AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST OF COMPETENT AUTHORITY." In case producer and exporter is the same person, indicate: "SAME".

Field 04: Indicate the full legal name, the denomination or trade name, the residency

(including address, the city and the country), the telephone number, the fax number, the electronic mail, and the Tax Identification Number of the importer, as it is described in Field 01.

Field 05: Specify the quantity to be exported and the unit set out in the invoice for each item of goods as shown on the Customs declaration thereof.

Field 06: Provide a full description of each good. The description shall be sufficiently detailed to relate it to the description of the good contained in the invoice, as well as with the description that corresponds to it in the Harmonized System (HS).

Field 07: For each good described in Field 06, identify the six digits corresponding to the HS tariff classification. If the good is subject to a specific rule of origin in Annex 4.02 of the Agreement that requires subdivision, identify the subdivision.

Field 08: For each good described in Field 06, indicate the applicable criterion (from A to D). The rules of origin are contained in chapter 4 (Rules of Origin and Related Customs Procedures) and Annex 4.02 (Specific Rules of Origin) of the Agreement.

Note: In order to be entitled to preferential tariff treatment, each good must meet at least one of the criteria below:

Origin Criteria for Preferential Tariff Treatment

- A the good is wholly obtained or produced entirely in the territory of a Party, as defined in Article 4.23 of the Agreement;
- B the good is produced entirely in the territory of one or both Parties exclusively from originating materials according to Chapter 4 of the Agreement;
- C the good is produced in the territory of one or both Parties from non-originating materials that satisfies the specific rules of origin set out in Annex 4.02 of the Agreement, as well as all other applicable requirements of Chapter 4 of the Agreement; or
- D the good is produced in the territory of one or both of the Parties, but one or more of the non-originating materials that are used in the production of the good does not undergo an applicable change in tariff classification due to:
 - 1 the good was imported into the territory of a Party in an unassembled or a disassembled form and was classified as an assembled good according to Rule 2 (a) of the General Rules for the Interpretation of the Harmonized System; or
 - 2 the tariff heading for the good provides for and specifically describes both the good itself and its parts and is not further subdivided into subheadings, or

3. the subheading for the good is the same as for its parts and describes specifically both the good itself and its parts;

Field 09: For each good described in Field 06, indicate: "YES" when you are the producer of the good. If you were not the producer of the good, indicate "NO", followed by (1) or (2), depending on whether the certificate is based on:

- (1) Your knowledge that the good qualifies as originating; or
- (2) Declaration of origin that covers the good, filled and signed by the producer.

Field 10: For determining the origin of the good, some of the options to acquire origin established in Articles 4.05, 4.07 and 4.08 of the Agreement were used, indicate:

ACU: Accumulation.
DMI: *De Minimis*.
FG: Fungible goods.

Where inapplicable indicate "NO".

Field 11: This field shall only be used when some observations exist in relation to this certificate, among others, when the good or goods as described in Field 06 has/have been object of an advance ruling on classification or value of the materials, indicate the issuing authority, reference number and the issuing date. In case the good is invoiced by an operator of a third Party or non-Party country, the producer or exporter of the country of origin shall indicate the name, the denomination or trade name and residency (including the address, the city and the country) of this operator.

Field 12: This field must be completed, signed and dated by the exporter. When the Certificate is completed by the producer for use by the exporter, it must be completed, signed and dated by the producer. The date must be the date the Certificate was completed and signed.

Field 13: This field must be completed, dated and signed by the authorized official and stamped by the Certifying Authority of the exporting Party.