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IMPORT RESTRICTIONS OF PERU

Extension of the Prohibited List

The following communication, dated 17 November 1969, together with the text of Peruvian Supreme Decree No. 134-69-EF referred to therein, has been received from the Permanent Delegation of Peru. (For recent developments in Peruvian import restriction reference may be made, inter alia, to documents L/2996, L/3052, L/3057, L/3206, BOP/81 and BOP/R/24.)

On the instructions of my Government I have the honour to advise you, for the information of GATT, that in order to strengthen the present balance-of-payments situation of our country the Peruvian Government has deemed it necessary, under Supreme Decree 134-69-EF, and under the provisions of Article XVIII:B of the General Agreement, to extend the list of products prohibited for import by Supreme Decree 202-68-HC of 24 June 1968, as extended under Legislative Decree 17535 of 25 March last; those provisions were notified to you by our letters OI/82 and GATT/6 of 2 July 1968 and 14 May 1969 respectively.

I enclose a copy of the Supreme Decree referred to above, No. 134-69-EF dated 17 September last.

SUPREME DECREE NO. 134-69-EF

THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC

CONSIDERING:

That Article 4 of Legislative Decree No. 17535 of 25 March 1969 authorizes the Ministry of Finance and Trade, now the Ministry of Economy and Finance, to extend the list of prohibited imports established by Supreme Decree No. 202-68-HC of 24 June 1968 and extended by Article 1 of Legislative Decree No. 17535; and

Following a favourable recommendation by the technical departments of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce and the Ministry of Economy and Finance;

Accordingly;

HEREBY DECREES AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1 - The products included in the attached list which forms an integral part of this Supreme Decree shall be added to the list of prohibited imports established under Article 15 of Supreme Decree No. 202-68-HC of 24 June 1968, extended by Legislative Decree No. 17535.

Article 2 - Ten days following the publication of this Supreme Decree in the Official Gazette "El Peruano", Peruvian consulates shall cease granting a visa to shipping documents for these products, in accordance with Article 2 of Legislative Decree No. 17535.

Article 3 - Products included in the list referred to by Article 1 of this Supreme Decree which are on customs premises or have been embarked, according to the date of the consular visa on the relevant invoice, within ten days following the publication of this Supreme Decree may be cleared by the customs authorities of Peru provided that the corresponding consumption documents are presented within thirty days following the publication of this Decree or following arrival of the products at the Peruvian port of destination.

Article 4 - In the interests of consumers, the Ministry of Economy and Finance may suspend temporarily or definitively the import prohibition on these articles if it is found, by the Ministry or by following a declaration by an interested party, that a price increase has occurred as a result of this prohibition.

Article 5 - This Supreme Decree shall be signed by the Minister of Economy and Finance and the Minister of Industry and Commerce.

Done at Government House, Lima, on 17 September 1969.

(Signed) JUAN VELASCO ALVARADO
President of the Republic

JORGE CAMINO DE LA TORRE
Minister of Industry and Commerce

FRANCISCO MORALES BERMUDEZ CERRUTI
Minister of Economy and Finance

EXTENSION OF THE LIST OF PROHIBITED IMPORTS,

in accordance with Article 1 of this Supreme Decree

02.05.1.02	Unrendered pig back-fat, salted, in brine, dried or smoked
04.02.1.02	Condensed milk, whole, containing not less than 8 per cent of milk fat
04.02.2.01	Cream
04.04.9.01	Curd and other unfermented white cheese
07.05.9.01	Chick-peas
07.05.9.03	Beans
07.05.9.99	Other dried leguminous vegetables, shelled, whether or not skinned or split
08.11.1.03	Pulp of oranges
10.07.0.99	Other cereals
15.07.1.08	Olive oil, crude
15.07.2.08	Olive oil, semi-refined
15.07.3.08	Olive oil, refined or purified
15.08.0.99	Animal and vegetable oils etc.: only of soyabean or sunflowerseed
16.02.1.01	Prepared or preserved beef
16.02.1.02	Prepared or preserved mutton
16.02.1.03	Prepared or preserved pork
16.02.1.04	Prepared or preserved poultry meat
16.02.1.99	Other prepared or preserved meat
17.04.0.01	Caramels
17.04.0.02	Chewing gum
17.04.0.99	Other sugar confectionery, not containing cocoa
18.06.0.01/0.99	Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa
19.08.0.01/0.99	Pastry, biscuits, cakes and other fine bakers' wares
20.01.0.01/0.99	Vegetables and fruit, prepared or preserved by vinegar or acetic acid, with or without sugar, whether or not containing salt, spices or mustard
20.02.0.01/0.99	Vegetables prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid

20.03.0.01	Fruit prepared by freezing, containing added sugar
20.04.0.01	Fruit, whole or sliced
20.04.0.02	Fruit peel
20.04.0.03	Plants and parts of plants (ginger, etc.)
20.05.0.01/0.99	Jams, fruit jellies, marmalades, fruit purées and fruit pastes
22.10.0.01/0.99	Vinegar and substitutes for vinegar
23.07.0.03	Only chemical or natural products used exclusively as additives to balanced feeds for poultry, in order to colour meat and eggs (<u>orameal</u> , <u>floraphyll</u> , <u>purafil</u> , <u>carofil</u> , <u>pigmentone</u> and others)
28.06.0.01	Hydrochloric acid, gaseous or in solution
28.08.0.01/0.02	Sulphuric acid, oleum
28.09.0.01	Nitric acid
28.11.0.01	Arsenic trioxide
28.16.0.01/0.02	Ammonia, anhydrous or in aqueous solution
28.17.0.01	Sodium hydroxide (caustic soda)
28.19.0.01	Zinc oxide and zinc peroxide
28.27.0.01/0.03	Lead oxides
28.30.1.02	Calcium chloride
28.31.2.01	Sodium hypochlorite
28.31.2.02	Calcium hypochlorite
28.38.1.06	Aluminium sulphate
28.38.1.10	Copper sulphate
28.41.2.02	Calcium arsenate
28.41.2.04	Lead arsenate
28.56.0.01	Calcium carbide
29.14.1.04	Acetic acid and acetic anhydride
29.14.1.13	Only: butyl acetate
29.15.3.04	Butyl phthalate
29.15.3.05	Octyl phthalate
29.15.3.06	Only: Di-nonyl phthalate, di-decylphthalate and tri-decylphthalate
29.23.4.02	Glutamic acid and its derivatives

- 30.02.0.02 Microbial vaccines, toxins, anti-toxins, microbial cultures, for veterinary use, similar to domestic products
- 30.03.1.01 Veterinary medicaments competing with similar domestic products
- 34.06.0.01/0.99 Candles, tapers, night-lights and the like
- 36.05.0.01 Pyrotechnic articles for signalling or entertainment purposes
- 38.19.1.23 Only: Stabilizers for artificial plastic materials, based on organic salts of barium, calcium, zinc or cadmium
- 39.07.9.01 Table articles and kitchen utensils
- 41.02.1.01/2.03 Bovine cattle leather (including buffalo leather) and equine leather, whether merely tanned or curried or further dressed or finished
- 41.06.0.01/0.99 Chamois-dressed leather
- 41.07.0.01/0.99 Parchment-dressed leather
- 41.08.0.01/0.99 Patent leather and metallized leather
- 44.13.0.01/0.99 Wood, planed, tongued, grooved, etc.
- 44.14.0.01 Veneer sheets and sheets for plywood (sawn, sliced or peeled) of a thickness not exceeding 5 mm, whether or not reinforced with paper or fabric
- 44.15.0.01/0.99 Plywood, blockboard, laminboard, battenboard and veneered panels, whether or not containing any material other than wood; inlaid wood and wood marquetry
- 44.18.0.02/0.99 Reconstituted wood, not further worked than coated with wood, plastic material, varnish or paint or similarly treated
- 44.19.0.01/0.03 Wooden beadings and mouldings, etc.
- 44.23.0.02 Prefabricated and sectional buildings, of wood
- 44.28.0.01 Travelling chests, trunks etc., of wood
- 44.28.0.02 Rabbit hutches, kennels etc.
- 44.28.0.03 Carpenters' benches, etc.
- 44.28.0.99 Other articles of wood
- 50.09.0.01/0.02 Woven fabrics of silk or of waste silk other than noil
- 50.10.0.01/0.02 Woven fabrics of noil silk

51.04.1.01/2.99	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (continuous)
52.02.0.01/0.03	Woven fabrics of metal thread or of metallized yarn, of a kind used in articles of apparel, as furnishing fabrics or the like
53.11.0.01/0.99	Woven fabrics of sheep's or lambs' wool or of fine animal hair
54.05.0.01/0.02	Woven fabrics of flax or ramie
55.07.0.01/0.02	Cotton gauze
55.08.0.01/0.02	Terry towelling and similar terry fabrics, of cotton
55.09.0.01/0.02	Other woven fabrics of cotton
56.07.0.01/0.02	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste)
57.09.0.01/0.02	Woven fabrics of true hemp
57.10.0.01/0.03	Woven fabrics of jute
57.11.0.01/0.02	Woven fabrics of other vegetable textile fibres
58.04.0.01/0.99	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics
58.05.1.01/2.99	Narrow woven fabrics, and narrow fabrics (bolduc)
58.08.0.01/0.99	Tulle and other net fabrics (but not including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics), plain
58.09.0.01/0.99	Tulle and other net fabrics (but not including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics), figured; hand- or mechanically-made lace, in the piece, in strips or in motifs
58.10.0.01/0.99	Embroidery, in the piece, in strips or in motifs
60.01.0.01/0.99	Knitted or crocheted fabrics, not elastic nor rubberized
62.02.0.01/0.99	Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen; curtains and other furnishing articles
60.06.2.02	Bathing suits and bathing trunks
69.10.1.01/2.99	Sinks, wash basins, bidets, water-closet pans, urinals, baths and like sanitary fittings
69.11.1.01/2.99	Tableware and other articles of a kind commonly used for domestic or toilet purposes, of porcelain or china, including biscuit porcelain and parian
69.12.1.01/2.99	Tableware and other articles of a kind commonly used for domestic or toilet purposes, of other kinds of pottery
73.21.0.01/0.02	Structures, complete or incomplete, whether or not assembled, and parts of structures (for example hangars and other buildings, bridges and bridge sections, lockgates, towers, lattice masts, roofs, roofing frameworks, door and window frames, shutters, balustrades, pillars and columns), of iron or steel, prepared for use in structures

73.22.0.01/0.99	Reservoirs, tanks, vats and similar containers, of a capacity exceeding 300 litres, of iron or steel
73.23.0.02	Drums, cans and similar containers other than milk churns
73.32.1.04	Screws for wood
73.38.2.01; 2.04/2.99	Articles of a kind commonly used for domestic purposes, builders' sanitary ware for indoor use, of iron or steel sheets, other than stainless
73.38.3.01/3.99	Articles of a kind commonly used for domestic purposes, builders' sanitary ware for indoor use, of steel sheets, stainless
73.38.9.01/9.99	Articles of a kind commonly used for domestic purposes, builders' sanitary ware for indoor use, of wire, wire grill, etc.
73.39.0.99	Steel wool pads, whether or not impregnated with detergents and/or soap
73.40.1.07	Only: galvanized iron boxes for fixed electrical installations
76.15.0.03	Kitchen utensils and tableware, of aluminium
82.09.2.01/2.99	Table knives
82.14.1.01/1.05	Spoons, forks, fish-eaters, butter-knives, ladles, and similar kitchen or tableware
83.01.2.01/2.99	Padlocks
83.02.1.06	Hinges of all kinds, of iron or steel
83.02.2.06	Hinges of all kinds, of other base metals
83.03.0.01	Strong-room doors and linings
84.15.1.01/1.99	Refrigerators and refrigerating equipment, of a capacity not exceeding 600 cubic dm. (of the domestic type)
84.15.2.01/2.03; 2.99	Refrigerators and refrigerating equipment, of a capacity exceeding 600 cubic dm.
84.40.1.01	Domestic-type washing machines
85.03.0.01	Dry cells for pocket lamps, radios and toys
85.06.1.01	Vacuum cleaners
85.06.1.02	Floor polishers
85.06.1.03	Fruit juice extractors and food grinders and mixers
85.12.1.04	Electric smoothing irons
85.12.1.06	Laundry-washing machines

87.05.2.04	Only: bodies, tippers and tanks for lorries
87.10.0.01/0.03	Cycles, not motorized
87.14.1.03	Trailers for the transport of goods
87.14.1.05	Trolleys for stations, supermarkets, etc.
93.05.0.01	Spring, air and gas rifles, carbines and the like
94.02.1.99	Hospital beds with mechanical fittings and other similar medical, dental or surgical furniture
94.03.1.01/4.99	Other furniture and parts thereof
98.05.1.01/0.99	Pencils with casings of wood
98.12.0.01/0.99	Combs, hair slides and the like.
