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UNITED STATES AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT

Import Quotas for Non-Fat Dry Milk

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The following communication, deted 5 March 1974, has been submitted by the United States mission in Geneva.

I have been asked by my authorities to inform you that as an interim measure pending a final decision and action on the Tariff Commission Report, the President of the United States has issued a proclamation, effective 5 March 1974, under Section 22 of the agricultural adjustment act, authorizing the entry of an additional 150 million pounds of non-fat dry milk for a temporary period ending 30 June 1974.

The 150 million pound quote is allocated as follows (quantities in millions of pounds):

australia 15 New Zealand 55 Other countries 80

Quota allocations are based on the 1972 pattern of world trade. Separate allocations are given to australia and New Zealand because of distance and shipping time factors. Quotas for all other countries are assigned on a global basis to encourage full utilization of quotas.

No import licenses will be required. There is no limitation on the quantity an individual importer may enter.

The regular annual quote of 1.8 million pounds for non-fat dry milk remains in force and is not affected by any provision of the 5 March proclamation.