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**1 95-1997 Programme of Liberalization**

The following communication, dated 26 April 1994 and addressed to the Chairman of the Council, has been received from the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Korea with the request that it be circulated to contracting parties.

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In compliance with the results of the 1989 consultation with the Committee on Balance-of-Payments Restrictions, and the Uruguay Round multilateral trade negotiations, the Government of the Republic of Korea submits the attached import liberalization programme covering the period 1995-1997.

The remaining restrictions on the 150 items in this programme shall be eliminated or be brought into conformity with GATT provisions from the dates specified under "remarks".

With respect to the 95 agricultural items which are marked by an "\*" in front of the order number, the liberalization schedule and other conditions specified in the "SCHEDULE LX - REPUBLIC OF KOREA, AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS" and verified through the multilateral verification process in March 1994, shall be applied. It should be noted that, as agreed in the Uruguay Round negotiations, some of these items will be liberalized on 1 January 2001.

The 31 agricultural items which are simply stated to be liberalized from 1995 without any specific month and date, shall be liberalized from the date of entry into effect of the WTO Agreement.

Liberalization Programme

Order	HS No.	Item name	Remarks
*1	0102-90-1000	Milch cows (but not pure-bred breeding animals)	1 January 2001
*2	0102-90-2000	Beef cattle (but not pure-bred breeding animals)	1 January 2001
*3	0201-10-0000	Carcasses and half-carcasses of bovine (fresh or chilled)	1 January 2001
*4	0201-20-0000	Meat of bovine, cuts with bone in (fresh or chilled)	1 January 2001
*5	0201-30-0000	Meat of bovine, boneless (fresh or chilled)	1 January 2001
*6	0202-10-0000	Carcasses and half-carcasses of bovine (frozen)	1 January 2001
*7	0202-20-0000	Meat of bovine, cuts with bone in (frozen)	1 January 2001
*8	0202-30-0000	Meat of bovine, boneless (frozen)	1 January 2001
*9	0203-21-0000	Carcasses and half-carcasses of swine (frozen)	1 July 1997
*10	0203-22-0000	Hams, shoulders and cuts with bone in, of swine (frozen)	1 July 1997
*11	0203-29-0000	Other meat of swine (frozen/excluding carcasses, half-carcasses, hams and shoulders)	1 July 1997
*12	0206-10-0000	Edible offal of bovine animals (fresh or chilled)	1 July 1997
*13	0206-29-0000	Edible offal of bovine animals (frozen/excluding tongues and livers)	1 July 1997
*14	0207-21-0000	Chicken (whole/frozen)	1 July 1997
*15	0207-41-1000	Chicken (cuts/frozen/excluding livers)	1 July 1997
*16	0210-11-0000	Hams, shoulders and cuts with bone in, of swine (salted, in brine, dried or smoked)	1 July 1997
*17	0210-19-0000	Meat of swine (excluding hams, shoulders and bellies/salted, in brine, dried and smoked)	1 July 1997

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*18	0210-20-0000	Meat and edible offal of bovine animals (salted, in brine, dried and smoked)	1 July 1997
19	0301-92-9000	Eels (excluding glass eel/live)	1 July 1997
20	0301-99-2000	Yellow tail (live)	1 July 1997
21	0301-99-8000	Flat fish (live)	1 July 1997
22	0302-21-0000	Halibut (excluding livers and roes/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1996
23	0302-29-0000	Other flat fish (but not halibut, plaice and sole/excluding livers and roes/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1996
24	0302-64-0000	Mackerel (excluding livers and roe/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1997
25	0302-69-1000	Alaska pollack (excluding livers and roes/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1997
26	0302-69-2000	Yellow tail (excluding livers and roes/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1995
27	0302-69-3000	Hair tail (excluding livers and roes/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1997
28	0302-69-8000	Saury, including horn fish (excluding livers and roes/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1996
29	0302-69-9030	Pomfret (excluding livers and roes/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1996
30	0302-69-9090	Other fish (excluding livers and roes/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1997
31	0303-32-0000	Plaice (excluding livers and roes/frozen)	1 July 1996
32	0303-43-0000	Skipjack or stripe-bellied bonito (excluding livers and roes/frozen)	1 July 1996
33	0303-74-0000	Mackerel (excluding livers and roes/frozen)	1 July 1996
34	0303-75-0000	Dogfish and other sharks (excluding livers and roes/frozen)	1 July 1995
35	0303-79-1000	Alaska pollack (excluding livers and roes/frozen)	1 January 1996
36	0303-79-3000	Hair tail (excluding livers and roes/frozen)	1 July 1997

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37	0303-79-5000	Conger eel (excluding livers and roes/frozen)	1 July 1996
38	0303-79-6000	Yellow corvina (excluding livers and roes/frozen)	1 July 1997
39	0303-79-8000	Saury, including horn fish (excluding livers and roes/frozen)	1 July 1997
40	0303-79-9090	Other frozen fish (excluding livers and roes) - Among "other frozen fish" Pacific hagfish and Atlantic hagfish (excluding those that are peeled using chemicals) and Monkfish shall be liberalized from 1 January 1995)  - Excluding the above, other frozen fish shall be liberalized from 1 July 1997.	1 July 1997
41	0304-20-1000	Fillets of Alaska pollack (frozen)	1 July 1995
42	0304-90-1010	Fish surimi of Alaska pollack (frozen)	1 July 1995
43	0305-59-2000	Anchovy (dried/not smoked)	1 July 1997
44	0305-69-3000	Hair tail (salted or in brine, not dried or smoked)	1 July 1996
45	0306-13-1000	Peeled shrimps and prawns (frozen)	1 July 1997
46	0306-23-2000	Dried shrimps and prawns	1 July 1997
47	0306-23-3000	Shrimps and prawns (salted or in brine)	1 July 1995
48	0307-49-1010	Cuttle fish (frozen)	1 July 1996
49	0307-49-1020	Squid (frozen)	1 July 1997
50	0307-49-3000	Cuttle fish and squid (dried)	1 July 1997
51	0307-91-1200	Abalone (live/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1997
52	0307-91-1990	Other molluscs (live/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1997
53	0307-91-9030	Sea squirts (live/fresh or chilled)	1 July 1996
54	0307-99-1130	Baby clams (frozen)	1 July 1997
55	0307-99-1190	Other molluscs (frozen)	1 July 1997

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*56	0402-10-1010	Skim milk powder (not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter/concentrated/of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 1.5%)	1995
*57	0402-10-1090	Milk and cream (not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter/concentrated/of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 1.5%/excluding skim milk powder)	1995
*58	0402-10-9000	Milk and cream (containing added sugar or other sweetening matter/concentrated/of a fat content by weight, not exceeding 1.5%)	1995
59	0402-21-1000	Whole milk powder (not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter/concentrated/of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 1.5%)	1995
*60	0402-21-9000	Milk and cream (not containing sugar or other sweetening matter/concentrated/of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 1.5% excluding whole milk powder)	1995
*61	0402-29-0000	Milk and cream (containing added sugar or other sweetening matter/concentrated/of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 1.5%)	1995
*62	0402-91-1000	Evaporated milk (not containing sugar or other sweetening matter)	1 July 1996
*63	0402-91-9000	Milk and cream (not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter/excluding evaporated milk)	1 July 1996
*64	0402-99-1000	Sweetened evaporated milk (containing added sugar or other sweetening matter)	1 July 1996
*65	0402-99-9000	Milk and cream (containing added sugar or other sweetening matter/excluding sweetened evaporated milk)	1 July 1996
*66	0403-90-1000	Butter milk	1 July 1996

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*67	0404-10-1000	Whey powder	1 January 1995
*68	0404-10-9000	Other whey (excluding whey powder	1 January 1995
*69	0405-00-1000	Butter (derived from milk)	1 July 1996
*70	0405-00-9000	Other fats and oils (derived from milk	1 July 1996
*71	0406-10-1000	Cheese (fresh)	1 January 1995
*72	0406-20-0000	Cheese (grated or powdered)	1 January 1995
*73	0406-30-0000	Cheese (processed/not grated or powdered)	1 January 1995
*74	0406-40-0000	Cheese (blue-veined)	1 January 1995
*75	0406-90-0000	Other cheese	1 January 1995
*76	0408-99-0000	Birds' eggs (not in shell/not dried)	1995
*77	0409-00-0000	Natural honey	1 July 1977
*78	0703-10-1000	Onions (fresh or chilled)	1995
*79	0703-20-0000	Garlic (fresh or chilled)	1995
*80	0709-60-0000	Fruits of the genus capsicum or of the genus pimenta (fresh or chilled)	1995
*81	0711-90-1000	Garlic (provisionally preserved)	1995
*82	0711-90-5090	Other vegetables (provisionally preserved/but not onions, olives, capers, cucumbers and gherkins, garlic, mushrooms, bamboo shoots, carrots and blacken)	1995
*83	0712-20-0000	Onions (dried/whole, cut, sliced broken or in powder, but not further prepared)	1995
*84	0712-90-1000	Garlic (dried/whole, cut, sliced broken or in powder, but not further prepared)	1995
*85	0714-10-1000	Manioc (cassava/fresh)	1995
*86	0714-10-2010	Chips of manioc (dried)	1995
*87	0714-10-2020	Pellets of manioc (dried)	1995
*88	0802-40-1000	Chestnuts (in shell/fresh or dried)	1995
*89	0802-40-2000	Chestnuts (shelled/fresh or dried)	1995
*90	0802-90-1010	Pinenuts (in shell/fresh or dried)	1995
*91	0802-90-1020	Pinenuts (shelled/fresh or dried)	1995
*92	0805-10-0000	Oranges (fresh or dried)	1 July 1997
*93	0805-20-1000	Korean citrus (fresh or dried)	1 July 1997

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*94	0805-20-9000	Other Korean citrus (fresh or dried)	1 July 1997
*95	0805-90-0000	Other citrus fruits (fresh or dried/but not oranges, Korean citrus, lemons, limes and grapefruit)	1 July 1997
*96	0806-10-0000	Grapes (fresh)	1 January 1996
*97	0808-10-0000	Apples (fresh)	1 January 1995
*98	0810-90-3000	Jujubes (fresh)	1995
*99	0813-40-2000	Jujubes (dried)	1995
*100	0902-10-0000	Green tea (not fermented/in immediate packing of a content not exceeding 3 kg.)	1995
*101	0902-20-0000	Other green tea (not fermented)	1995
*102	0904-20-1000	Fruits of the genus capsicum or of the genus pimenta (dried/neither crushed nor ground)	1995
*103	0904-20-2000	Fruits of genus capsicum or of the genus pimenta (dried/crushed or ground)	1995
*104	0910-10-0000	Ginger	1995
*105	1107-10-0000	Malt (not roasted)	1 July 1997
*106	1107-20-1000	Malt (roasted/smoked)	1995
*107	1207-40-0000	Sesamum seeds (whether or not broken)	1995
108	1212-20-1010	Laver (dried)	1 July 1997
109	1212-20-1090	Laver (not dried)	1 July 1996
*110	1515-50-0000	Sesame oil and its fractions	1995
*111	1602-41-9000	Preparation of swine (hams and cuts thereof/excluding canned goods)	1 July 1997
*112	1602-42-9000	Preparation of swine (shoulders and cuts thereof/excluding canned goods)	1 July 1997
*113	1602-49-9000	Preparation of swine, including mixtures (excluding canned goods/but not hams and shoulders)	1 July 1997
*114	1602-50-1000	Preparation of bovine animals (canned goods)	1 July 1997
*115	1602-50-9000	Preparation of bovine animals (excluding canned goods)	1 July 1997
116	1604-14-1010	Tunas (prepared/canned goods)	1 July 1997
117	1604-14-1020	Skipjack (prepared/canned goods)	1 July 1997

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118	1604-15-1000	Mackerel (prepared/canned goods)	1 July 1996
119	1604-19-1010	Saury (prepared/canned goods)	1 July 1996
120	1604-19-9010	Jerk filefish (prepared)	1 July 1996
121	1604-20-4090	Fish cake (not of crab flavour)	1 July 1995
*122	1702-10-1000	Lactose	1 July 1996
*123	1702-90-1000	Artificial honey	1 July 1996
*124	1901-10-1010	Prepared dry milk (for infant use/for retail sale)	1 January 1995
*125	1901-90-2000	Food preparations of milk, cream, yogurt, kephir and whey	1 January 1995
*126	2008-11-9000	Preparations of ground-nuts (but not peanut butter)	1 July 1996
*127	2009-11-1000	Orange juice (frozen/concentrated)	1 July 1997
*128	2009-11-9000	Orange juice (frozen/not concentrated)	1 July 1997
*129	2009-19-1000	Orange juice (not frozen/concentrated)	1 July 1997
*130	2009-19-9000	Orange juice (not frozen/not concentrated)	1 July 1997
*131	2009-30-9000	Other single citrus fruit juice (but not lemon and lime juice)	1 July 1997
*132	2009-60-0000	Grape juice, including grape must	1 January 1995
*133	2009-70-0000	Apple juice	1 January 1996
134	2106-90-4010	Prepared edible laver	1 July 1997
*135	2202-90-2000	Beverage of fruit juice (excluding orange juice, grapefruit juice and other single citrus fruit juice/not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter)	1 January 1995
*136	2207-10-9000	Undenatured ethyl alcohol (excluding roughly distilled alcohol for beverages/of an alcoholic strength, by volume, of 80% volume or higher)	1 July 1996
137	2501-00-1010	Rock salt (not refined)	1 July 1997
138	2501-00-1020	Sea salt made by the heat of the sun (not refined)	1 July 1997
139	2501-00-9010	Edible salt	1 July 1997
140	2701-11-0000	Anthracite (whether or not pulverized but not agglomerated)	1 July 1997
*141	5001-00-0000	Silk-worm cocoons (suitable for reeling)	1 July 1996



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*142	5002-00-1020	White silk (raw/not thrown/more than 20 decitex but more than 25.26 decitex)	1 July 1997
*143	5002-00-1030	White silk (raw/not thrown/more than 25.26 decitex but not more than 28.89 decitex)	1 July 1997
*144	5002-00-1040	White silk (raw/not thrown/more than 28.89 decitex but not more than 36.67 decitex)	1 July 1997
*145	5002-00-1050	White silk (raw/not thrown/more than 36.67 decitex)	1 July 1997
146	5004-00-0000	Silk yarn (but not yarn spun from silk waste/not for retail sale)	1 July 1997
147	5007-20-1000	Silk fabrics, grey	1 July 1997
148	5007-20-2020	Satin	1 July 1997
149	5007-20-2030	Crepe de Chine	1 July 1997
150	5007-20-2090	Other woven fabrics, wholly of silk other than grey	1 July 1997

The Republic of Korea reserves the right to take tariff measures and/or impose import levies on some items, including salt products, for the purpose of adjustment of the related domestic industries.