

**MULTILATERAL TRADE  
NEGOTIATIONS  
THE URUGUAY ROUND**

RESTRICTED

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STANDSTILL

Notification

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1. Participant notifying: Chile
  2. Participant maintaining the measure: European Economic Communities
  3. Description of the measure (including date of entry into force and reference to any relevant legislation or other document):

On 19 February 1993, the Commission of the European Communities adopted Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 384/93 introducing special surveillance of imports of apples from third countries. The Regulation was published in the Official Journal on 20 February 1993 and entered into force on that date in conformity with its Article 5.

Under the above-mentioned Regulation, the release for free circulation in the Community of the apples falling within the codes listed below are subjected to an import licensing system which involves additional administrative formalities and the lodging of a security of ECU 1.5 per 100 kilogrammes net.

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4. Products covered, including tariff headings (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff lines):

CN Codes

0808 10 31  
0808 10 33  
0808 10 39  
0808 10 51  
0808 10 53  
0808 10 59

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0808 10 81

0808 10 83

0808 10 89

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5. Country or countries to which the measure applies: Chile (and all other countries which export to these markets).

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6. Relevance of the measure to the standstill commitment:

The application of an import licensing system, the prior lodging of an additional security and the administrative formalities involved in this procedure constitute non-compliance by the EC with its obligation under the standstill commitments adopted in the Ministerial Declaration on the Uruguay Round.

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7. Comments by the participant maintaining the measure:
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