

DECISION  
OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION  
NO. 1268 OF OCTOBER 31, 1998  
ON THE INTRODUCTION OF LICENSING OF THE EXPORT FROM THE RUSSIAN  
FEDERATION OF SUNFLOWER SEEDS, RAPE OR COLZA SEEDS AND SOYA BEANS

For the purpose of regulating the exportation of oil seeds from the customs territory of the Russian Federation the Government of the Russian Federation resolves:

1. To introduce as from November 15, 1998 the licensing of the export from the Russian Federation of sunflower seed (CC FEA CIS code 1206 00), rape or colza seeds (CC FEA CIS code 1205 00) and soya beans (CC FEA CIS code 1201 00).

2. The Ministry of Trade of the Russian Federation shall carry out the issuance of licenses for the export from the Russian Federation of sunflower seed, rape or colza seeds and soya beans in accordance automatic treatment (without quantitative restrictions).

The issuance of the licenses for the export from the Russian Federation of sunflower seeds, rape or colza seeds and soya beans shall be carried out by the Ministry of Trade of the Russian Federation through their representatives in the regions on the ground of an application of the Russian Exporters in accordance with the Regulations on the Procedure for the Licensing of the Export and Import of Goods (Works, Services) in the Russian Federation, approved by the Decision of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 1299 of October 31, 1996 (Sobraniye zakonodatelstva Rossiyskoy Federatsii, 1996, No. 46, item 5249).

3. The State Customs Committee of the Russian Federation shall:  
carry out the customs clearance of the exportable goods mentioned in Item 1 of this Decision only of the Russian exporters have licenses issued by the Ministry of Trade of the Russian Federation;

submit every month to the Ministry of Trade of the Russian Federation statistical information about the volumes of the export of those goods.

Chairman of the Government  
of the Russian Federation

Yevgeny Primakov