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**Supporting Tables Relating to Commitments on Agricultural Products  
in Part IV of the Schedules**

This document contains supporting material relating to commitments on agricultural products contained in Schedule CXIV - Kuwait.

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Anglais seulement

**Tableaux explicatifs concernant les engagements relatifs aux  
produits agricoles repris dans la Partie IV des Listes**

Le présent document contient les données explicatives concernant les engagements relatifs aux produits agricoles inscrits dans la Liste CXIV - Koweït.

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Solamente inglés

**Cuadros justificantes relativos a los compromisos sobre productos  
agropecuarios consignados en la Parte IV de las Listas**

En el presente documento figura la documentación justificante relativa a los compromisos sobre productos agropecuarios consignados en la Lista CXIV - Kuwait.

**SCHEDULE OF KUWAIT**

**This schedule is authentic only in the English Language**

**PART IV: AGRICULTURE PRODUCTS: COMMITMENTS LIMITING SUBSIDIZATION**

(Article 3 of the Agreement on Agriculture)

**SECTION 1 - Domestic Support: Total AMS Commitments**

Base Total AMS	Annual and final bound	Relevant Supporting Tables
	commitment levels 199X-200Y	and document reference
1	2	3

Considering the fact of the hard nature of land (salty, sandy dry dessert), weather (extremely hot or cold with rapid sandy air), non-existence of natural water and the salty water from wells and some other reasons which prevent agriculture in Kuwait.

Desiring to develop agricultural programmes to produce a small portion of the country's needs of food and create a source of living to people in remote areas, was the need to an agricultural sector as an element of food security program to face a very small portion of needs of the country, leaving the rest of these needs to be covered by imports. Kuwait is a net importer country in agricultural products.

Its incentive programmes in agricultural should be considered in the context of this criteria.

List of domestic support measure which are not subject to reductions according to Article 6.2 and Annex 2 of the Agreement are shown in supporting table 1, and supporting table 2.

Supporting Table 1Exemptions falling within Article 6:2 of the Agreement

Measure Name	Description	Monetary Value of Measure	Observation
* Investment sub- sidies generally available to agriculture.	Structural pro- grams to deve- lop dessert lands in different areas to agricultural and farm purposes	15 Million KD per year	Financed by the State of Kuwait
Seeds	Seeds development program.	Total of 3 million K.D.	Financed by the State of Kuwait.
* Agricultural input subsidies generally avail- able to low- income producers.	Special program to help low-income producers.	50 million K.D. per year	Financed by the State of Kuwait.

Supporting Table 2

Exemptions falling under Annex 2 of the Agreement

Measure Name	Description	Monetary Value of measure (in millions)	Observation
* General services Different Veterinary services		70 K.D.	Financed by the State of Kuwait.
* Developing animal products	Research programs	10 K.D.	Financed by the State of Kuwait.
* Payment for relief from natural difficulties and disasters	Assistance to agricultural producers affected by low productivity	30K.D.	Financed by the State of Kuwait.
* Environmental Program.	Soil conservation program.	10 K.D.	Financed by the State of Kuwait.

**PART IV (continued)**

**SECTION II: Export Subsidies: Budgetary, Outlay and Quantity Reduction Commitments.**

Description of products and tariff items number at HS 6 digit level	Base outlay Level	Calendar/ other year applied	Annual & final outlay commitment levels 199x-200y	Base quantity	Calendar/ other year applied	Annual & final quantity commitment levels	Relevant supporting tables & do ment referen
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Kuwait does not grant export subsidies to products covered by the Agreement on Agriculture.

