COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) No 3361/94

of 29 December 1994

opening tariff quotas with respect to Austria, Finland and Sweden

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, in particular Article 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, pursuant to Article 2 of the Act concerning their conditions of accession to the Community, Austria, Finland and Sweden will apply the Common Customs Tariff as of 1 January 1995;

Whereas, following these accessions, negotiations will have to take place under Article XXIV, paragraph 6, of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994 (GATT 1994), in order to resolve instances where applications of the Common Customs Tariff by the new Member States leads to modification or withdrawal of tariff concessions previously granted by them;

Whereas the application of the Common Customs Tariff by the new Member States will lead to a reduction of some import duties and increase of some other duties;

Whereas it is appropriate for the Community to provide temporary relief to its trading partners for the most serious cases in which there is an increase in import duties; whereas, therefore, certain customs duties have to be reduced on an autonomous basis during the period 1 January to 30 June 1995, after which period the negotiations will have to be terminated;

Whereas Article 169 of the Act concerning the conditions of accession of Norway, Austria, Finland and Sweden allows, where so required by reason of accession, adaption of acts of the institutions done prior to accession,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The Republic of Austria, the Republic of Finland and the Kingdom of Sweden shall apply from 1 January to 30 June 1995, the import duties as indicated in the Annex to the products within the tariff quotas as listed in that Annex.

2. Paragraph 1 shall apply, provided that the goods in question:

— are released for free circulation in the territory of Austria, Finland or Sweden, respectively, and are consumed there or undergo processing conferring Community origin there, and

— remain under customs supervision pursuant to the relevant Community provisions on end-use (Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 of 12 October 1992 establishing the Community Customs Code, Articles 21 and 82).

3. The provisions of paragraph 1 shall be applicable only if a licence issued by the relevant Austrian, Finnish or Swedish authorities, respectively, stating that the goods in question all within the scope of the provisions contained in paragraph 1, is submitted in support of the declaration of entry for release for free circulation.

4. The competent Austrian, Finnish or Swedish authorities respectively, shall take whatever measures are needed to ensure that the final consumption of the product in question, or the processing by which it acquires Community origin, takes place in the territory of Austria, Finland or Sweden, respectively.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the date and subject to the entry into force of the Treaty of Accession of Austria, Finland and Sweden.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 29 December 1994.

For the Council

The President

K. KINKEL

ANEXO — BILAG — ANHANG — ΠΑΡΑΡΤΗΜΑ — ANNEX — ANNEXE — ALLEGATO — BIJLAGE — ANEXO

AUSTRIA

CN code 1995 Summary description	Duty rate reduced to	Amount of quota Ecu 000	Currency $ 000
ex Chapter 29			
Organic chemicals falling within the following subheadings : 2902 50 2909 19 2912 19 2918 30 2918 90 2929 10 2930 90 10 2930 90 95	0 %	66 297	85 000
ex Chapter 31			
Fertilisers falling within subheading 3105 30	0 %	12 479	16 000
ex Chapter 37			
Photographic goods falling within the following subheadings : 3701 10 3701 30 3701 91 3701 99 3702 44	0 %	77 216	99 000
ex Chapter 38			
Diagnostic reagents falling within heading 3822 00	4 %	77 216	99 000
ex Chapter 39			
Plastics falling within the following subheadings : 3901 90 3902 90 3904 69	1,3 %	157 552	202 000
Plastics falling within the following subheadings : 3907 10 3911 90 3920 51	0 %	218 390	280 000
ex Chapter 84			
Computers falling within the following subheadings : 8471 20 20 8471 20 80 8471 99 10 8471 99 80	0 %	28 859	37 000
Computer parts falling within subheading 8473 30	0 %	135 324	173 500

CN code 1995 Summary description	Duty rate reduced to	Amount of quota Ecu 000	Currency $ 000
ex Chapter 85			
Semiconductors falling within the following subheadings within 8541 : 8541 10 8541 21 8541 29 8541 30 8541 50 8541 90	0 %	24 366	328 644
Semiconductors falling within the subheadings of 8541 40	1 %	9 665	130 356
Integrated circuits falling within heading 8542	0 %	134 640	1 816 000

FINLAND

CN code 1995 Summary description	Duty rate reduced to	Amount of quota Ecu 000	Currency Finmarks 000
ex Chapter 29 Organic chemicals falling within the following subheadings: 2905 31 2909 19 2912 19 2915 32 2916 12 2918 30 2918 90 2929 10 2930 90 10 2930 90 95 2933 39 30 2933 39 80 2940 00	0 %	29 131	170 500
ex Chapter 32 Pigments and other colouring matter falling within the following in subheading 3204 17	1,4 %	1 623	9 500
ex Chapter 35 Enzymes falling within subheading 3507 90	0 %	2 734	16 000
ex Chapter 37 Photographic products falling within the following subheadings: 3701 10 3701 90	2 %	7 689	45 000
ex Chapter 38 Miscellaneous chemical products falling within the following subheadings: 3811 21 3815 11 3815 12 3822 00	0 %	21 357	125 000
ex Chapter 39 Plastics falling within the following subheadings: 3901 10 3901 20 3901 90 3902 10 3902 90 3903 11 3904 10 3904 69 3905 20 3906 90 3907 60 3908 10 3910 00 3911 90	0 %	33 830	198 000
Plastics falling within the following subheadings: 3920 62 3920 91	8,5 %	6 322	37 000

CN code 1995 Summary description	Duty rate reduced to	Amount of quota Ecu 000	Currency Finmarks 000
ex Chapter 84			
Computers falling within heading 8471	0,9 %	273 000	350 000 ($ 000)
Computer parts falling within heading 8473 30	0,9 %	156 000	200 000 ($ 000)
ex Chapter 85			
Semiconductors falling within heading 8541	2,2 %	57 237	335 000
Integrated circuits falling within heading 8542	0 %	257 141	1 505 000
ex Chapter 90			
Orthopaedic equipment falling within heading 9021	0 %	6 835	40 000
Oscilloscopes and other measuring instruments falling within the following subheadings : 9030 10 90 9030 20 90 9030 31 90 9030 39 90 9030 40 90 9030 81 89 9030 89 89	4,8 %	4 613	27 000

SWEDEN

CN code 1995 Summary description	Duty rate reduced to	Amount of quota	
ex Chapter 3		*Metric Tons*	*Metric Tons*
Freshwater crayfish, frozen, cooked and in brine, of the genus : *Procambarus clarkii, Procambarus acutus,* and *Pacifastacus leniusculus* falling within subheadings ex 0303 19 10 and ex 0306 39 10	0 %	3 000 (*)	3 000 (*)
ex Chapter 28		*ECU 000*	*Swedish kr 000*
Inorganic chemicals falling within subheading 2825 70	0 %	1 533	14 000
ex Chapter 29			
Organic chemicals falling within the following subheadings :			
2916 12	6,3	3 012	27 500
2918 30 2918 90 2929 10	6,8	2 793	25 500
ex Chapter 32			
Pigments and other colouring matter falling within the following subheadings : 3204 17 3206 10	0 %	5 859	53 500
ex Chapter 35			
Prepared glues and enzymes falling within the following subheadings : 3506 91 3507 90	0,9 %	4 216	38 500
ex Chapter 37			
Photographic falling within the following sub-headings : 3701 10 10 3701 20 3701 30 3701 91 3701 99 3702 43 3702 44 3702 55 3702 95 3703 20 3703 90 3707 90	0 %	35 154	321 000
ex Chapter 38			
Miscellaneous chemical products falling within the following subheadings : 3802 90 3807 00 3811 21 3823 90 50	0 %	6 133	56 000

(*) Annual basis taking account seasonal consumption.

CN code 1995 Summary description	Duty rate reduced to	Amount of quota	
ex Chapter 39			
Plastics falling within the following subheadings: 3901 90 3904 69 3906 90	8,5 %	4 819	44 000
ex Chapter 44			
The following products falling within subheading 4412 19: Plywood of coniferous species, without the addition of other substances: — of which the faces are not further prepared than the peeling process, of a thickness greater than 8,5 mm, or — sanded, of a thickness greater than 18,5 mm	0 %	7 500 (m^3)	7 500 (m^3)
ex Chapter 76			
The following products falling within subheadings 7606 12 and 7607 11: aluminium can sheet	2,3 %	700 tonnes	700 tonnes
ex Chapter 84			
Computers falling within the following subheadings:			
8471 20 8471 91	3,4 %	184 852	237 000 ($ 000)
8471 92 8471 93 8471 99	3 %	375 553	481 500 ($ 000)
ex Chapter 85			
Records and tapes falling within the following subheadings: 8524 21 90 8524 22 90 8524 23 90 8524 90 10 8524 90 99	0 %	25 352	231 500
Semiconductors falling within the following subheadings:			
8541 10 8541 21 8541 29 8541 30 8541 40 11 8541 40 19 8541 50	2,3 %	29 870	272 745
8541 40 91 8541 40 93 8541 40 99 8541 60 8541 90	3,5 %	21 538	224 059
Integrated circuits falling within the following subheadings:			
8542 11 8542 19 8542 20 8542 80	2,3 %	241 541	2 205 551
8542 90	3,6 %	727	6 637

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ex Chapter 90			
Optical fibres and lenses falling within heading 9001 :	0 %	9 144	83 500
Medical equipment falling in all subheadings within 9018	3 %	63 848	583 000
Orthopaedic equipment falling within the following subheadings :			
9021 11 9021 19 9021 21 9021 29 9021 30	0 %	6 571	60 000
9021 40 9021 90 10	1,8 %	767	7 000
9021 50 9021 90 90	3 %	14 620	133 500
Oscilloscopes and other measuring instruments falling within the following subheadings :	3,5 %	15 277	139 500
9030 10 90 9030 20 90 9030 31 90 9030 39 30 9030 39 91 9030 39 99 9030 40 90 9030 81 89 9030 89 89 9030 89 99 9030 90 90			