COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 650/98

of 23 March 1998

amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1981/94 opening and providing for the administration of Community tariff quotas for certain products originating in Algeria, Cyprus, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Malta, Morocco, the West Bank and the Gaza Strip, Tunisia and Turkey, and providing detailed rules for extending and adapting these tariff quotas

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1981/94 of 25 July 1994 opening and providing for the administration of Community tariff quotas for certain products originating in Algeria, Cyprus, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Malta, Morocco, the West Bank and the Gaza Strip, Tunisia and Turkey, and providing detailed rules for extending and adapting these tariff quotas [1], as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1667/97 [2], and in particular Articles 6 and 7 thereof,

Whereas Protocol No 1 of Decision No 1/98 of the EC-Turkey Association Council of 25 February 1998 on the trade arrangements for agricultural products [3], provides the new preferential arrangements applied by the Community to imports of agricultural products originating in Turkey; whereas these preferential arrangements provide for community tariff quotas to be opened for certain products; whereas, following the adoption of these new arrangements by the Council in the beginning of 1998, the future concession of 3 % to be applied to unlimited quantities of hazelnuts or filberts originating in Turkey and imported into the Community, cannot enter into force until 1999; whereas it would therefore be suitable to maintain for imports of hazelnuts or filberts in 1998 the current concession of 0 % within the framework of a tariff quota;

Whereas the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Tunisian Republic, of the other part [4], enters into force on 1 March 1998; whereas this agreement provides that certain products originating in Tunisia can benefit from tariff concessions within the framework of community tariff quotas, when imported into the Community; whereas the volumes of the tariff quotas for some products are increased, between 1 January 1997 and 1 January 2000, in four yearly and equal steps, representing 3 % of these volumes; whereas the increases provided by the Agreement for implementation in 1997 could not take place because of the entry into force of the Agreement on 1 March 1998 and, consequently, the volumes of the tariff quotas applicable in 1998 take account of two increases;

Whereas, as a means of implementing the new concessions provided in the abovementioned Agreements, Regulation (EC) No 1981/94 should be amended; whereas this amendment must also take account of the necessary technical adjustments resulting from amendments of the Combined Nomenclature and of TARIC subdivisions; whereas, since Regulation (EC) No 1981/94 has been amended several times, it seems desirable to incorporate its Annexes I to X in a single regulation;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Customs Code Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annexes I to X to Regulation (EC) No 1981/94 shall be replaced by Annexes I to X to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities.*

It shall apply with effect from 1 January 1998, except for tariff quotas with Order numbers 09.1207, 09.1211, 09.1213, 09.1215 and 09.1217 of Annex VII, which shall apply with effect from 1 March 1998.

[1] OJ L 199, 2. 8. 1994, p. 1.
[2] OJ L 236, 27. 8. 1997, p. 3.
[3] OJ L 86, 20. 3. 1998, p. 3.
[4] Not yet published in the Official Journal.

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

Done at Brussels, 23 March 1998.

For the Commission
Mario MONTI
Member of the Commission

ANNEX I

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TURKEY

Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN codes as they exist at the time of adoption of the current Regulation. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corresponding description taken together.

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.0211	ex 0703 10 11 ex 0703 10 19		Onions, fresh or chilled: — From 16 May to 14 February	2 000	Exemption
09.0213	ex 0709 30 00		Aubergines (egg-plants), fresh or chilled: — From 1 May to 14 January	1 000	Exemption
09.0215	ex 0709 90 70		Courgettes, fresh or chilled: — From 1 March to 30 November	500	Exemption (1)
09.0201	0802 21 00 0802 22 00		Hazelnuts or filberts (*Corylus* spp.), fresh or dried: — From 1 January to 31 December 1998	25 000	Exemption
09.0217	ex 0807 11 00		Water melons, fresh: — From 16 June to 31 March	14 000	Exemption
09.0219	 0811 10 11 0811 20 11 0811 90 19		Fruit and nuts, uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water, frozen, with a sugar content exceeding 13 % by weight: — Strawberries — Raspberries, blackberries, mulberries, loganberries, black-, white- or redcurrants and gooseberries — Other	100	Exemption
09.0221	 2002 10 2002 90 11 2002 90 19		Tomatoes prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid: — Whole or in pieces — Other, with a dry matter content of less than 12 % by weight	8 000	Exemption
09.0207	2002 90 31 2002 90 39 2002 90 91 2002 90 99		Tomatoes prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, other than whole or in pieces, with a dry matter content of not less than 12 % by weight: — From 1 January to 30 June	15 000, of a dry matter content of 28 to 30 % by weight (2)	Exemption
09.0209	2002 90 31 2002 90 39 2002 90 91 2002 90 99		Tomatoes prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, other than whole or in pieces, with a dry matter content of not less than 12 % by weight: — From 1 July to 31 December	15 000, of a dry matter content of 28 to 30 % by weight (2)	Exemption

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.0223	2007 91 30		Jams, fruit jellies, marmalades, fruit purée and fruit pastes, being cooked preparations of citrus fruit, with a sugar content exceeding 13 % but not exceeding 30 % by weight, other than homogenised preparations	100	Exemption
09.0225	2007 99 39		Other preparations of fruit and nuts, with a sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight	100	Exemption
09.0203	ex 2008 50 92 ex 2008 50 94	20 20	Apricot pulp, not containing added spirit or sugar, in immediate packings of a net content of 4,5 kg or more	600	Exemption

(1) The exemption applies only to the *ad valorem* duty.

(2) For the administration of these Community tariff quotas, the following coefficients shall be applied to imports of products with a dry matter content other than 28 to 30 % by weight:

Dry matter content by weight		Coefficients
Not less than	But less than	
12	14	0,44828
14	16	0,51724
16	18	0,58621
18	20	0,65517
20	22	0,72414
22	24	0,7931
24	26	0,86207
26	28	0,93103
28	30	1
30	32	1,06897
32	34	1,13793
34	36	1,20689
36	38	1,27586
38	40	1,34483
40	42	1,41379
42	93	1,44828
93	100	3,32759’

ANNEX II

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ISRAEL

Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN codes as they exist at the time of adoption of the current Regulation. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN codes and corresponding description taken together.

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty (1)
09.1306	0603 10		Fresh cut flowers and flower buds of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes	19 500	Exemption
09.1341	ex 0603 10 69		Other fresh cut flowers and flower buds of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes: — From 1 November to 15 April	5 000	Exemption
09.1351	0603 90 00		Cut flowers and flower buds, dried, dyed, bleached, impregnated or otherwise prepared	100	Exemption
09.1309	ex 0701 90 51		New potatoes: — From 1 January to 31 March 1998 — From 1 January to 31 March 1999 — From 1 January to 31 March of subsequent years	 21 200 21 800 22 400	Exemption
09.1342	0702 00 00		Tomatoes, fresh or chilled	1 000	Exemption
09.1335	ex 0703 10 11 ex 0703 10 19 ex 0709 90 90	 50	Fresh or chilled onions: — From 15 February to 15 May Wild onions of the species *Muscari comosum:* — From 15 February to 15 May	13 400	Exemption
09.1311	ex 0704 90 90	20	Chinese cabbage: — From 1 November 1997 to 31 March 1998 — From 1 November 1998 to 31 March 1999 — From 1 November to 31 March of subsequent years	 1 060 1 090 1 120	Exemption
09.1313	0705 11 05 ex 0705 11 10 0705 11 80		Cabbage lettuce: — From 1 November 1997 to 31 March 1998 — From 1 November 1998 to 31 March 1999 — From 1 November to 31 March of subsequent years	 318 327 336	Exemption

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty (1)
09.1317	ex 0706 10 00	10	Carrots: — From 1 January to 30 April 1998 — From 1 January to 30 April 1999 — From 1 January to 30 April of subsequent years	 6 466 6 649 6 832	Exemption
09.1321	ex 0709 40 00	10	Celery sticks: — From 1 January to 30 April	13 000	Exemption
09.1303	0709 60 10		Sweet peppers	8 900	Exemption
09.1343	0709 90 90 0810 90 85		Other fruits and vegetables: — From 1 January to 31 December 1998 — From 1 January to 31 December 1999 — From 1 January to 31 December of subsequent years	 2 120 2 180 2 240	Exemption
09.1353	0710 40 00 2004 90 10		Sweet corn, frozen	10 600	70 % of the specific duty
09.1354	0711 90 30 2001 90 30 2005 80 00		Sweet corn, not frozen	5 400	70 % of the specific duty
09.1344	0712 90 30 0712 90 50 0712 90 90		Dried tomatoes Dried carrots Other dried vegetables	100	Exemption
09.1323	0805 10 10 0805 10 30 0805 10 50 ex 0805 10 82 ex 0805 10 84 ex 0805 10 86	 10 10 10	Fresh oranges: — From 1 July to 30 June	200 000	Exemption (2)
09.1325	ex 0805 20 10 ex 0805 20 30 ex 0805 20 50	10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50	Mandarins (including tangerines and satsumas); clementines, wilkings and similar citrus hybrids, fresh	21 000	Exemption

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty (1)
	ex 0805 20 70 ex 0805 20 90	10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30,40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 10 to 15 17 to 22 24 to 29 31, 33, 35 37 to 42			
09.1345	ex 0805 20 10 ex 0805 20 30 ex 0805 20 50 ex 0805 20 70 ex 0805 20 90	30 30 30 30 31 33 35	Mandarins (including tangerines and satsumas); clementines, wilkings and similar citrus hybrids, fresh: — From 15 March to 30 September	14 000	Exemption
09.1315	ex 0805 30 10	10 to 19, 25 to 34, 40 to 45	Lemons, fresh	7 700	Exemption
09.1346	ex 0805 30 90	11 19	Limes, fresh	1 000	Exemption
09.1327	ex 0807 11 00		Water-melons: — From 1 April to 15 June	9 400	Exemption
09.1329	ex 0807 19 00		Other melons: — From 1 November to 31 May	11 400	Exemption
09.1339	ex 0810 10 05 ex 0810 10 80		Strawberries: — From 1 November to 31 March	2 600	Exemption
09.1337	ex 0812 90 20	10	Oranges, comminuted, provisionally preserved	10 000	Exemption
09.1347	1602 31		Prepared or preserved turkey meat	300	8,5 %
09.1355	1704 90 30		White chocolate	100	70 % of the specific duty
09.1356	1806		Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa	2 500	85 % of the specific duty or of the agricultural component

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty (1)
09.1357	ex 1901 10 00 ex 1901 90 99 ex 2106 10 80 ex 2106 90 98	22, 26, 30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 68 14, 20, 52, 56, 80, 84 20 23, 27, 33 37, 43, 47	Preparations for infant use, containing milk and milk products	100	70 % of the agricultural component
09.1358	1904		Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products (for example, corn flakes); cereals (other than maize (corn)) in grain form or in the form of flakes or other worked grains (except flour and meal), pre-cooked, or otherwise prepared, not elsewhere specified or included	200	70 % of the specific duty or of the agricultural component
09.1359	1905		Bread, pastry, cakes, biscuits and other bakers' wares, whether or not containing cocoa; communion wafers, empty cachets of a kind suitable for pharmaceutical use, sealing wafers, rice paper and similar products	3 200	70 % of the specific duty or of the agricultural component
09.1307	2002 10 10		Peeled tomatoes	3 500	Exemption
09.1348	2004 90 98		Other vegetables, frozen	1 000	Exemption
09.1349	ex 2008 40 71 ex 2008 50 71 ex 2008 70 71 ex 2008 92 74 ex 2008 92 78 ex 2008 99 68	10 10 10 13 30 30	Slices of pears, fried in oil Slices of apricots, fried in oil Slices of peaches, fried in oil Mixtures of sliced fruits, fried in oil Mixtures of sliced fruits, fried in oil Slices of apples, fried in oil	100	Exemption
09.1301	ex 2008 50 92 ex 2008 50 94	20 20	Apricot pulp, not containing added spirit or sugar, in immediate packings of a net content of 4,5 kg or more	180	Exemption
09.1350	2008 92 51 2008 92 59 2008 92 72 2008 92 74 2008 92 76 2008 92 78		Mixtures of fruits	250	Exemption
09.1331	2009 11 11 2009 11 19 2009 11 91 2009 11 99 2009 19 11 2009 19 19 2009 19 91 2009 19 99		Orange juice	92 600	Exemption

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty (1)
09.1333	ex 2009 11 11	10	Of which: orange juice imported in packages of a capacity of two litres or less	22 400	Exemption
	ex 2009 11 19	10			
	ex 2009 11 91	10			
	ex 2009 11 99	10			
		91			
	ex 2009 19 11	10			
	ex 2009 19 19	10			
	ex 2009 19 91	10			
	ex 2009 19 99	10			
09.1319	2009 50		Tomato juice	10 200	Exemption
09.1352	2204 21 10		Other wine of fresh grapes	1 610 hl	Exemption
	ex 2204 21 79	79			
		80			
	ex 2204 21 80	79			
		80			
	ex 2204 21 83	10			
		79			
		80			
	ex 2204 21 84	10			
		79			
		80			
	ex 2204 21 94	10			
		30			
	ex 2204 21 98	10			
		30			
	ex 2204 21 99	10			

(1) The exemption or reduction applies only to the *ad valorem* duty, save for the products from Order Nos 09.1352 to 09.1359.

(2) Within this tariff quota, the agreed entry price between the European Community and Israel, from which the specific duty provided in the Community's list of concessions to the WTO is reduced to zero, is:

— ECU 271/tonne, from 1 December 1997 to 31 May 1998,

— ECU 268/tonne, from 1 December 1998 to 31 May 1999,

— ECU 266/tonne, from 1 December 1999 to 31 May 2000,

— ECU 264/tonne, for every period thereafter, from 1 December to 31 May.

If the entry price for a consignment is 2, 4, 6 or 8 % lower than the agreed entry price, the specific customs duty shall be equal respectively to 2, 4, 6 or 8 % of this agreed entry price. If the entry price of a consignment is less than 92 % of the agreed entry price, the specific customs duty bound within the WTO shall apply.'

ANNEX III

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JORDAN

Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN codes as they exist at the time of adoption of the current Regulation. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corresponding description taken together.

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1152	0603 10		Fresh cut flowers and flower buds of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes: — From 1 November to 31 October	56	Exemption'

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Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN codes as they exist at the time of adoption of the current Regulation. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corresponding description taken together.

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1114	0603 10		Fresh cut flowers and flower buds of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes: — From 1 November to 31 October	336,5	Exemption
09.1135	ex 0603 10 11 ex 0603 10 51 ex 0603 10 21 ex 0603 10 61 ex 0603 10 25 ex 0603 10 65 ex 0603 10 13 0603 10 53		Fresh cut flowers and flower buds of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes: Roses, gladioli and chrysanthemums: — From 15 October to 14 May Carnations: — From 15 October to 31 May	2 263,5 (1) (2)	Exemption
09.1136	ex 0603 10 29 ex 0603 10 69		Other flowers: — From 15 October to 14 May	1 900 (1) (3)	Exemption
09.1115	ex 0701 90 51		New potatoes: — From 1 January to 31 March	43 680	Exemption
09.1189	ex 0702 00 00		Tomatoes, fresh or chilled: — From 1 to 31 October	5 000 (4) (5)	—
	ex 0702 00 00		Tomatoes, fresh or chilled:		
09.1117			— From 15 November to 31 March	79 408	Exemption (6)
09.1118			— From 1 to 30 April	16 800	Exemption (6)
09.1190			— From 1 November to 31 March	145 676 (4) (5)	(7)
09.1127	ex 0703 10 11 ex 0703 10 19 ex 0709 90 90	50	Onions, including wild onions of the species *Muscari comosum*, fresh or chilled: — From 15 February to 15 May	5 040	Exemption
09.1109	ex 0704 90 90	20	Chinese cabbage: — From 1 November to 31 December	120	Exemption
09.1111	ex 0705 11 10 ex 0705 11 80	20	"Iceberg" lettuce (*Lactuca sativa* L., *Capitata* L.): — From 1 November to 31 December	120	Exemption

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1137	ex 0707 00 05		Cucumbers: — From 1 November to 31 May	5 000 (4) (5)	—
09.1138	ex 0709 10 00	70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80	Globe artichokes: — From 1 November to 31 December	500 (4) (5)	—
09.1133	ex 0709 90 70		Courgettes: — From 1 October to 20 April	5 000 (4) (5)	—
09.1121	0805 10 10 0805 10 30 0805 10 50 ex 0805 10 82 ex 0805 10 84 ex 0805 10 86	10 10 10	Fresh oranges: — From 1 July to 30 June	296 800	Exemption (6)
09.1122			— From 1 December to 31 May	300 000 (4) (5)	(8)
09.1129	ex 0805 20 10 ex 0805 20 30 ex 0805 20 50 ex 0805 20 70 ex 0805 20 90	10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50 10 to 15, 17 to 22, 24 to 29, 31, 33, 35, 37 to 42	Mandarins (including tangerines and satsumas); clementines, wilkings and similar citrus hybrids, fresh: — From 1 July to 30 June	123 200	Exemption (6)
09.1130	ex 0805 20 10	10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50	Fresh clementines: — From 1 November to the end of February	110 000 (4) (5)	(9)

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1101	ex 1604 13 11 ex 1604 13 19 ex 1604 20 50	20 20 10	Prepared or preserved sardines of the species *Sardina pilchardus:* — From 1 January to 31 December 1998	22 500 ([10])	Exemption
09.1119	2004 90 50 2005 40 00 2005 59 00		Peas (*Pisum sativum*) and immature beans in pod prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, whether or not frozen	10 440	Exemption
09.1105	ex 2008 50 92 ex 2008 50 94	20 20	Apricot pulp, not containing added spirit or sugar, in immediate packings of a net content of 4,5 kg or more	9 900	Exemption
09.1123	2009 11 11 2009 11 19 2009 11 91 2009 11 99 2009 19 11 2009 19 19 2009 19 91 2009 19 99		Orange juice	16 800	Exemption ([6])
09.1124	ex 2009 11 11 ex 2009 11 19 ex 2009 11 91 ex 2009 11 99 ex 2009 19 11 ex 2009 19 19 ex 2009 19 91 ex 2009 19 99	10 10 10 10 91 10 10 10 10	Of which: Orange juice imported in packings of a capacity of two litres or less	5 040	Exemption ([6])
09.1107	ex 2204 21 79 ex 2204 21 80 ex 2204 21 83 ex 2204 21 84	72 72 72 72	Wines entitled to one of the following designations of origin: Berkane, Saïs, Beni M'Tir, Guerrouane, Zemmour, Zennata, of an actual alcoholic strength by volume not exceeding 15 % vol and in containers holding two litres or less	56 000 hl	Exemption
09.1131	2204 10 19 2204 10 99 2204 21 10 2204 21 79 ex 2204 21 80 2204 21 83 ex 2204 21 84 ex 2204 21 94 	 72 79 80 10 72 79 80 10 30	Sparkling wine, other Other wine of fresh grapes	95 200 hl	Exemption

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
	ex 2204 21 98	10			
		30			
	ex 2204 21 99 2204 29 10 2204 29 65	10			
	ex 2204 29 75 2204 29 83	10			
	ex 2204 29 84	10			
		30			
	ex 2204 29 94	10			
		30			
	ex 2204 29 98	10			
		30			
	ex 2204 29 99	10			

(1) From 1 November, drawings from this quota shall be granted only once quota 09.1114 has been exhausted.

(2) This volume shall be increased to 2 663,5 tonnes for the period 1998/99 *et seq.*.

(3) This volume shall be increased to 2 000 tonnes for the period 1998/99 *et seq.*

(4) Within these tariff quotas, the agreed entry price between the European Community and Morocco, from which the specific duty provided in the Community's list of concessions to the WTO is reduced to zero, is:

(a) for tomatoes:
— ECU 484/tonne, from 1 January to 31 March and from 1 October to 31 December 1997,
— ECU 476/tonne, from 1 January to 31 March and from 1 October to 31 December 1998,
— ECU 468/tonne, from 1 January to 31 March and from 1 October to 31 December 1999,
— ECU 461/tonne, for every period thereafter, from 1 January to 31 March and from 1 October to 31 December;

(b) for cucumbers:
— ECU 480/tonne, from 1 January to 31 May and from 1 November to 31 December 1997,
— ECU 470/tonne, from 1 January to 31 May and from 1 November to 31 December 1998,
— ECU 459/tonne, from 1 January to 31 May and from 1 November to 31 December 1999,
— ECU 449/tonne, for every period thereafter, from 1 January to 31 May and from 1 November to 31 December;

(c) for globe artichokes:
— ECU 588/tonne, from 1 November to 31 December 1997,
— ECU 582/tonne, from 1 November to 31 December 1998,
— ECU 577/tonne, from 1 November to 31 December 1999,
— ECU 571/tonne, for every period thereafter, from 1 November to 31 December;

(d) for courgettes:
— ECU 440/tonne, from 1 to 31 January, from 1 to 20 April and from 1 October to 31 December 1997,
— ECU 435/tonne, from 1 to 31 January, from 1 to 20 April and from 1 October to 31 December 1998,
— ECU 429/tonne, from 1 to 31 January, from 1 to 20 April and from 1 October to 31 December 1999,
— ECU 424/tonne, for every period thereafter, from 1 to 31 January, from 1 to 20 April and from 1 October to 31 December,
— during the period 1 February to 31 March the "WTO" entry price which is more favourable than the agreed entry prices shall apply;

(e) for oranges:
— ECU 271/tonne, from 1 December 1997 to 31 May 1998,
— ECU 268/tonne, from 1 December 1998 to 31 May 1999,
— ECU 266/tonne, from 1 December 1999 to 31 May 2000,
— ECU 264/tonne, for every period thereafter, from 1 December to 31 May;

(f) for clementines:
— ECU 493/tonne, from 1 November 1997 to the end of February 1998,
— ECU 490/tonne, from 1 November 1998 to the end of February 1999,
— ECU 487/tonne, from 1 November 1999 to the end of February 2000,
— ECU 484/tonne, for every period thereafter, from 1 November to the end of February.

(5) If the entry price for a consignment is 2, 4, 6 or 8 % lower than the agreed entry price as specified in footnote 4, the specific customs duty shall be equal respectively to 2, 4, 6 or 8 % of this agreed entry price. If the entry price of a consignment is less than 92 % of the agreed entry price, the specific customs duty bound within the WTO shall apply.

(6) The exemption applies only to the *ad valorem* duty.

(7) Also exemption of the *ad valorem* duty during the period 15 November to 31 March, in the framework of the tariff quota with order No 09.1117.

(8) Also exemption of the *ad valorem* duty during the period 1 December to 31 May, in the framework of the tariff quota with order No 09.1121.

(9) Also exemption of the *ad valorem* duty during the period 1 November to the end of February, in the framework of the tariff quota with order No 09.1129.

(10) A customs duty of 4 % shall be applied in respect of quantities imported in excess of the tariff quota.'

ANNEX V

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CYPRUS

Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the combined nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN codes as they exist at the time of adoption of the current regulation. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corresponding description taken together.

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1420	0603 10		Fresh cut flowers and flower buds of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes: — From 1 November to 31 October	75	Exemption
09.1401	0701 90 59		New potatoes	110 000	Exemption
09.1425	ex 0704 90 90	20	Chinese cabbage: — From 1 November to 31 December	150	Exemption
09.1427	ex 0705 11 10 ex 0705 11 80	20 10	"Iceberg" lettuce (*Lactuca sativa* L., *Capitata* L.): — From 1 November to 31 December	150	Exemption
09.1403	ex 0706 10 00	10	Carrots: — From 1 April to 15 May	3 750	Exemption
09.1411	ex 0706 90 90	20	Salad beetroots	2 250	Exemption
09.1405	ex 0709 30 00		Aubergines (egg-plants): — From 1 October to 30 November	450	Exemption
09.1409	0709 60 10		Sweet peppers	450	Exemption
09.1431	ex 0805 10 10 ex 0805 10 30 ex 0805 10 50		Fresh oranges: — From 1 December to 31 May	48 200	Exemption [1]
09.1407	ex 0806 10 10		Fresh table grapes: — From 8 June to 9 August	11 000	Exemption [2]
09.1413	0806 20 11 0806 20 12 0806 20 18 ex 0806 20 91 ex 0806 20 92 ex 0806 20 98	 10 10 10	Dried grapes, in immediate containers of a net capacity not exceeding 15 kg	2 250	Exemption
09.1429	2008 99 43 2008 99 53		Grapes, otherwise prepared or preserved, not containing added spirit, containing added sugar, not elsewhere specified or included	2 500	Exemption

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1421			Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, unfermented and not containing added spirit, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter:	4 950	Exemption (2)
			– Grape juice (including grape must):		
			– – Of a density not exceeding 1,33 g/cm³ at 20 °C:		
			– – – Of a value exceeding ECU 18 per 100 kg net weight:		
	2009 60 51		– – – – Concentrated		
			– – – Of a value not exceeding ECU 18 per 100 kg net weight:		
			– – – – With an added sugar content exceeding 30 % by weight:		
	2009 60 71		– – – – – Concentrated		
	ex 2009 60 90	11 91	– – – – Other, concentrated within the meaning of Additional Note 6 to Chapter 20 of the Combined Nomenclature		
			Wine of fresh grapes, including fortified wines; grape must other than that of heading No 2009:		
			– Other grape must:		
			– – Other:		
			– – – Of a density of 1,33 g/cm³ of less at 20 °C and of an alcoholic strength by volume not exceeding 1 % vol:		
	2204 30 92		– – – – Concentrated		
09.1415			Wine of fresh grapes, including fortified wines; grape must other than that of heading No 2009:	52 500 hl	Exemption
			– Other wine; grape must with fermentation prevented or arrested by the addition of alcohol:		
			– – In containers holding two litres or less:		
			– – – Other:		
			– – – – Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume not exceeding 13 % vol:		
			– – – – – Other:		
	2204 21 79		– – – – – – White wine		
	ex 2204 21 80	79 80	– – – – – – Other wine		
			– – – – Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 13 % vol but not exceeding 15 % vol:		
			– – – – – Other:		
	ex 2204 21 83	79 80	– – – – – – White wine, other than liqueur wines of an actual alcoholic strength by volume of 15 % vol		
	ex 2204 21 84	79 80	– – – – – – Other wine, other than liqueur wines of an actual alcoholic strength by volume 15 % vol		

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1423			– – Other:	29 120 hl	Exemption
			– – – Other:		
			– – – – Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume not exceeding 13 % vol:		
			– – – – – Other:		
	2204 29 65		– – – – – – White wine		
	ex 2204 29 75	10	– – – – – – Other wine		
			– – – – Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 13 % vol but not exceeding 15 % vol:		
			– – – – – Other:		
	ex 2204 29 83	80	– – – – – – White wine, other than liqueur wines of an actual alcoholic strength by volume of 15 % vol		
	ex 2204 29 84	30	– – – – – – Other wine, other than liqueur wines of an actual alcoholic strength by volume of 15 % vol		
09.1417			– Other wine; grape must with fermentation prevented or arrested by the addition of alcohol:	225 000 hl	Exemption
			– – In containers holding two litres or less:		
			– – – Other:		
			– – – – Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 13 % vol but not exceeding 15 % vol:		
			– – – – – Other:		
	ex 2204 21 83	10	– – – – – – White liqueur wines of an actual alcoholic strength by volume of 15 % vol		
	ex 2204 21 84	10	– – – – – – Other liqueur wines of an actual alcoholic strength by volume of 15 % vol		
			– – – – Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 15 % vol but not exceeding 18 % vol:		
	ex 2204 21 94	10	– – – – – Other liqueur wines		
			– – – – Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 18 % vol but not exceeding 22 % vol:		
	ex 2204 21 98	10	– – – – – Other liqueur wines		
			– – Other:		
			– – – Other:		
			– – – – Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 13 % vol but not exceeding 15 % vol:		
			– – – – – Other:		
	ex 2204 29 83	10	– – – – – – White liqueur wines of an actual alcoholic strength by volume of 15 % vol		

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
	ex 2204 29 84	10	– – – – – – Other liqueur wines of an actual alcoholic strength by volume of 15 % vol		
			– – – – Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 15 % vol but not exceeding 18 % vol:		
	ex 2204 29 94	10	– – – – – Other liqueur wines		
			– – – – Of an actual alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 18 % vol but not exceeding 22 % vol:		
	ex 2204 29 98	10	– – – – – Other liqueur wines		

(1) Within this tariff quota, the agreed entry price between the European Community and Cyprus, from which the specific duty provided in the Community's list of concessions to the WTO is reduced to zero, is:
— 271 ECU/tonne, from 1 December 1997 to 31 May 1998,
— 268 ECU/tonne, from 1 December 1998 to 31 May 1999,
— 266 ECU/tonne, from 1 December 1999 to 31 May 2000,
— 264 ECU/tonne, for every period thereafter, from 1 December to 31 May.

If the entry price for a consignment is 2, 4, 6 or 8 % lower than the agreed entry price, the specific customs duty shall be equal respectively to 2, 4, 6 or 8 % of this agreed entry price. If the entry price of a consignment is less than 92 % of the agreed entry price, the specific customs duty bound within the WTO shall apply.

(2) The exemption applies only to the *ad valorem* duty.'

ANNEX VI

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EGYPT

Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN codes as they exist at the time of adoption of the current Regulation. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corresponding description taken together.

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1705	ex 0701 90 51		New potatoes: — From 1 January to 31 March	109 760	Exemption
09.1703	ex 0703 10 11 ex 0703 10 19 ex 0709 90 90	 50	Onions, including wild onions of the species *Muscari comosum*, fresh or chilled: — From 1 February to 15 May	12 120	Exemption
09.1709	ex 0708 20 20 ex 0708 20 95 	10 20 10 20	Beans *(Phaseolus* spp.), fresh or chilled: — From 1 November to 30 April	7 680	Exemption
09.1701	0712 20 00		Dried onions, whole, cut, sliced, broken or in powder, but not further prepared	5 880	Exemption
09.1707	0805 10 10 0805 10 30 0805 10 50 ex 0805 10 82 ex 0805 10 84 ex 0805 10 86	 10 10 10	Fresh oranges: — From 1 July to 30 June	7 840	Exemption (1)
09.1711			— From 1 December to 31 May	8 000 (2)	(3)

(1) The exemption applies only to the *ad valorem* duty.

(2) Within this tariff quota, the agreed entry price between the European Community and Egypt, from which the specific duty provided in the Community's list of concessions to the WTO is reduced to zero, is:

— ECU 271/tonne, from 1 December 1997 to 31 May 1998,

— ECU 268/tonne, from 1 December 1998 to 31 May 1999,

— ECU 266/tonne, from 1 December 1999 to 31 May 2000,

— ECU 264/tonne, for every period thereafter, from 1 December to 31 May.

If the entry price for a consignment is 2, 4, 6 or 8 % lower than the agreed entry price, the specific customs duty shall be equal respectively to 2, 4, 6 or 8 % of this agreed entry price. If the entry price of a consignment is less than 92 % of the agreed entry price, the specific customs duty bound within the WTO shall apply.

(3) Also exemption of the *ad valorem* duty during the period 1 December to 31 May in the framework of the tariff quota with order No 09.1707.'

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TUNISIA

Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN codes as they exist at the time of adoption of the current Regulation. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corresponding description taken together.

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1211	0603 10		Cut flowers and flower buds of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes, fresh:		Exemption
			— From 1 March to 31 December 1998	796	
			— From 1 January to 31 December 1999	818	
			— From 1 January to 31 December of subsequent years	840	
09.1213	ex 0701 90 51		New potatoes:		Exemption
			— From 1 to 31 March 1998	15 900	
			— From 1 January to 31 March 1999	16 350	
			— From 1 January to 31 March of subsequent years	16 800	
09.1207	0805 10 10 0805 10 30 0805 10 50 ex 0805 10 82 ex 0805 10 84 ex 0805 10 86	 10 10 10	Fresh oranges: — From 1 March to 31 December 1998 — From 1 January to 31 December 1999 — From 1 January to 31 December of subsequent years	 33 242 34 182 35 123	Exemption ([1])
09.1201	ex 1604 13 11 ex 1604 13 19 ex 1604 20 50	20 20 10	Prepared or preserved sardines of the species *Sardina pilchardus*	100	Exemption
09.1215	2002 90 31 2002 90 39 2002 90 91 2002 90 99		Tomatoes prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, other than whole or in pieces, with a dry matter content of not less than 12 %:		Exemption
			— From 1 March to 31 December 1998	2 120	
			— From 1 January to 31 December 1999	2 180	
			— From 1 January to 31 December of subsequent years	2 240	
09.1203	ex 2008 50 92 ex 2008 50 94	20 20	Apricot pulp, not containing added spirit nor sugar, in immediate packings of a net content of 4,5 kg or more	5 160	Exemption

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1217	2008 92 51 2008 92 59		Mixtures of fruit, not containing added spirit, containing added sugar: — From 1 March to 31 December 1998 — From 1 January to 31 December of subsequent years	1 000 (2)	Exemption
	2008 92 72 2008 92 74 2008 92 76 2008 92 78				45 % of the CCT
09.1205	ex 2204 21 79 ex 2204 21 80 ex 2204 21 83 ex 2204 21 84	73 73 73 73	Wines entitled to one of the following designations of origin: Coteaux de Teboura, Coteaux d'Utique, Sidi-Salem, Kelibia, Thibar, Mornag, Grand cru Mornag, of an actual alcoholic strength by volume of 15 % vol or less and in containers holding two litres or less	56 000 hl	Exemption
09.1209	2204 10 19 2204 10 99 2204 21 10 2204 21 79 ex 2204 21 80 2204 21 83 ex 2204 21 84 ex 2204 21 94 ex 2204 21 98 ex 2204 21 99 2204 29 10 2204 29 65 ex 2204 29 75 2204 29 83 ex 2204 29 84 ex 2204 29 94 ex 2204 29 98 ex 2204 29 99	 Other wine of fresh grapes 73 79 80 10 73 79 80 10 30 10 30 10 10 30 10 30 10 30 10	Sparkling wine, other	179 200 hl	Exemption

(1) The exemption applies only to the *ad valorem* duty.

(2) Common tariff quota for the six CN codes for fruit mixtures.'

ANNEX VIII

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ALGERIA

Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN codes as they exist at the time of adoption of the current Regulation. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corresponding description taken together.

Order No	CN code	TARIC subvision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period	Quota duty
09.1001	ex 2204 21 79 ex 2204 21 80 ex 2204 21 83 ex 2204 21 84	71 71 71 71	Wines entitled to one of the following designations of origin: Aïn Bessem-Bouira, Médéa, coteaux du Zaccar, Dahra, coteaux de Mascara, Monts du Tessalah, coteaux de Tlemcen, of an actual alcoholic strength by volume not exceeding 15 % vol, in containers holding two litres or less	224 000 hl	Exemption
09.1003	2204 10 19 2204 10 99 2204 21 10 2204 21 79 ex 2204 21 80 2204 21 83 ex 2204 21 84 ex 2204 21 94 ex 2204 21 98 ex 2204 21 99 2204 29 10 2204 29 65 ex 2204 29 75 2204 29 83 ex 2204 29 84 ex 2204 29 94 ex 2204 29 98 ex 2204 29 99	 71 79 80 10 71 79 80 10 30 10 30 10 10 10 30 10 30 10 30 10	Sparkling wines, other Other wine of fresh grapes	224 000 hl	Exemption'

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MALTA

Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN codes as they exist at the time of adoption of the current Regulation. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corrsponding description taken together.

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period	Quota duty
09.1451	2203 00		Beer made from malt	5 000 hl	Exemption'

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WEST BANK AND GAZA STRIP

Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the Combined Nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN codes as they exist at the time of adoption of the current Regulation. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corresponding description taken together.

Order No	CN code	TARIC subdivision	Description of goods	Quota volume per year or indicated period (in tonnes)	Quota duty
09.1381	ex 0810 10 05 ex 0810 10 80		Fresh strawberries: — From 1 November to 31 March	1 200	Exemption
09.1382	0603 10		Cut flowers and flower buds of a kind suitable for bouquets or for ornamental purposes, fresh	1 500	Esemption'