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**Committee on Subsidies
and Countervailing Measures**

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SUBSIDIES

Questions from the UNITED STATES Regarding the New and Full Notification of SWITZERLAND¹

The following communication, dated 15 July 2003, has been received from the Permanent Mission of the United States.

Contributions for Butter

Please explain how the per unit subsidy for table butter, cooking butter and re-solidified butter is derived.

Skimmed Milk and Powder Milk

In your answers to our questions on your 2001 New and Full Notification (G/SCM/Q2/CHE/11) you projected that skim milk price support would be cut by a third between 1998 and 2003. Has this occurred?

Cheese for Export

Can you please provide a dollar amount for total subsidies in 2002?

Processed Agricultural Products

Please provide examples of the types of processed food products that receive benefits under this programme.

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