

CHILE – SAFEGUARD MEASURES ON SUGAR

Request to Join Consultations

Communication from Guatemala

The following communication, dated 30 March 2001, from the Permanent Mission of Guatemala to the Permanent Mission of Chile, the Permanent Mission of Colombia and to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 4.11 of the DSU.

I have been instructed by the authorities of my country to notify that pursuant to Article 4.11 of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes (DSU), the Government of Guatemala would like to be joined in the consultations requested by the Government of Colombia with the Government of Chile under Article 4 of the DSU, Article XXII of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) 1994 and Article 14 of the Agreement on Safeguards.

The communication from the Government of Colombia, dated 15 March 2001, was distributed to WTO Members on 22 March 2001 (WT/DS228/1, G/L/444 and G/SG/D16/1).

Guatemala reiterates its substantial trade interest as a supplier of sugar to Chile, and hence its wish to be joined in these consultations.

The Government of Guatemala looks forward to receiving information concerning the date and venue of the consultations.
