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Council for Trade in Services

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## NOTIFICATION PURSUANT TO ARTICLE III:3 OF THE GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TRADE IN SERVICES

The following notification has been received from the delegation of Poland.

**1. Members(s) notifying:**

Poland

**2. Notification under Article(s):**

GATS Article III, paragraph 3

**3. Date of entry into force/duration:**

1 January 1996/indefinite

**4. Agency responsible for enforcement of the measure:**

Ministry of Communication

**5. Description of the measure:**

- (i) According to the provision of Article 3, paragraphs 1 and 2 of the amended Act of Communication, a licence requirement has been introduced for foreign as well as for domestic suppliers of courier services since 1 January 1996.
- (ii) The mode of supply covered by the measure: (3) commercial presence.
- (iii) The impact of the measure on commitments in the Member's schedule: the measure introduces a non-discriminatory system of licensing in relation to courier services covered by the schedule of specific commitments of Poland (CPC 7512).

**6. Members specifically affected, if any:**

None

**7. Text available from:**

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