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Committee on Market Access

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**NOTIFICATION PURSUANT TO THE DECISION ON NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES
FOR QUANTITATIVE RESTRICTIONS ([G/L/59/REV.1](#))**

MONGOLIA

The following communication, of which the first draft was received 29 August 2023, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Mongolia.

A. Notifying Member: Mongolia
B. Date of notification: 31 May 2023
C. First time notification: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No, last notification was made in (doc. symbol):
D. Type of notification: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1. Complete (i.e. notification of all quantitative restrictions in force) <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Changes to a notification previously made in (doc. symbol) which are of the following nature: <input type="checkbox"/> 2.1 Introduction of new restrictions, as listed in Section 1. <input type="checkbox"/> 2.2 Elimination of restrictions, as described in G below. <input type="checkbox"/> 2.3 Modification of a previously notified restriction, as described in Section 1. <input type="checkbox"/> 3. Reverse notification of restrictions maintained by (Member):
E. The notification provides information for the following biennial period (e.g. 2012-2014): <u>2022-2024</u> and relates to restrictions in force as of <u>31 May 2023</u>
F. This notification contains information* relating to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 1: List of quantitative restrictions that are currently in force. <input type="checkbox"/> Section 2: Cross-reference to other WTO notifications with information on quantitative restrictions that are currently in force and additional information.
G. Comments of a general nature, including a description of the elimination of restrictions notified under D.2.2 and the date they ceased to be in force.

* In English only.

Section 1: List of quantitative restrictions that are currently in force

QR No.	General description of the restriction	Type of restriction	Tariff line code(s) affected, based on HS (2022)	Detailed Product Description	WTO Justification and Grounds for Restriction, e.g. Other International Commitments	National legal basis and entry into force	Administration, modification of previously notified measures, and other comments
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Conditional prohibition on the importation and exportation of Ozone depleting substances	CP, CP-X	2903.19.10, 2903.73.00 2903.75.00 2903.76.10 2903.76.20 2903.76.30 2903.77.1 2903.77.11 2903.77.12 2903.77.13 2903.77.19 2903.77.2 2903.77.21 2903.77.22 2903.77.23 2903.77.24 2903.77.25 2903.77.29 2903.77.3 2903.77.31 2903.77.32 2903.77.33 2903.77.34 2903.77.35 2903.77.36 2903.77.37 2903.77.39 2903.77.90 2903.79.10 2903.79.20 2903.79.30 2903.79.90 2903.81.00 2903.82.00 2903.83.00 2903.92.00 2903.93.00	Ozone depleting substances	GATT Article XX (b), Montreal Convention	Law on Air (2012) https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=8669 Amendments came into force on 22 April 2022, 3 June 2022, 11 November 2022 and 6 January 2023	Administered by Ministry of Environment and Tourism The list of ozone-depleting substances and other substitutes, the equipment containing them, and the requirements for the authorization of professional organizations specified in Article 25.5 of this law. Importation and exportation of Ozone depleting substances require special permit.

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			2904.31.00 2905.19.10 2908.11.00 2908.91.00 2910.40.00 2910.50.00 2914.71.00 2915.21.00 2916.16.00 2918.17.00 2918.18.00 2919.10.00 2920.11.00 2920.30.00 2921.19.10 2921.46.00 2922.14.00 2922.19.11 2922.19.12 2922.19.19 2922.19.90 2922.21.00 2922.31.00 2922.39.00 2922.44.00 2922.50.00 2924.12.00 2924.25.00 2924.29.00 2925.21.00 2926.30.00 2926.90.00 2929.90.10 2929.90.20 2930.80.00 2930.90.20 2931.10.00 2931.20.00 2933.11.00				

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			2933.33.00 2933.39.10 2933.39.90 2933.41.00 2933.49.00 2933.99.00				
2	Conditional prohibition on the importation and exportation of Drugs and psychotropic substances and their raw materials	CP, NAL, CP-X, NAL-X	1207.91.00 1211.30.00 1211.40.00 1301.90.00 1302.11.10 1302.11.20 2934.92.00 2934.99.00 2939.11.00 2939.19.00 2939.45.00 2939.49.00 2939.72.00 2939.79.00	Drugs and psychotropic substances and their raw materials	GATT Article XX (a), (b) UN Convention on Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substance	Articles 13.1.5, 13.1.7, and 13.1.8 of the Law on Controlling the Circulation of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (2022) https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=315	Administered by Ministry of Justice and Internal Affairs and Ministry of Health
3	Conditional prohibition on the importation of Seedlings of trees and shrubs	CP, NAL	0601.10.00 0601.20.00 0602.10.00 0602.20.00 0602.30.00 0602.40.00 0602.90.00	Seedlings of trees and shrubs, except for experimental and research work	GATT Article XX (b), (g)	Article 29.1.11 of the Forest Law (2012) https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=12171	Ministry of Environment
4	Conditional prohibition on the importation of all types of tobacco advertising materials including but not limited to printed publication, video contents	CP	Various	All types of tobacco advertising materials including but not limited to printed publication, video contents	GATT XX (b)	Article 8.2 Law on Tobacco control (2005) https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=469	Ministry of Justice and Internal Affairs, Ministry of Health, Customs Authority

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5	Conditional Prohibition on the importation of certain Toxic and hazardous chemicals	CP	Various, including HS Chapter 29	Toxic and hazardous chemicals prohibited or unlicensed in Mongolia	GATT XX (b), (g) Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs)	Government Resolution No. 95 of 2007 on Articles 5.1, 6.4, and 15.4 of the Law on Toxic and Hazardous Chemicals https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=526	Administered by Ministry of Environment
6	Prohibition on the importation of Hazardous waste for use, storage, temporary disposal, and disposal	P	3915.10.00 3915.20.00 3915.30.00 3915.90.00 3923.21.00 3923.29.00 4004.00.90 4017.00.00 4115.20.00 6813.20.00 7001.00.00	Hazardous waste for use, storage, temporary disposal, and disposal	GATT XX (b) The Basel Convention	Article 17.1 of the Law on Waste https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=12652	Administered by multiple Government agencies including Ministry of Health, Ministry of Mining and Heavy Industry, Ministry of Education and Science and Ministry of Construction and Urban Development
7	Prohibition on importation of nuclear material for weapons	P	8401.10.00 8401.20.00 8401.30.00 8401.40.00	Nuclear material for weapons	GATT XXI (b)	Article 33.2 of the Law on Nuclear Energy https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=97	Administered by multiple Government agencies including Nuclear energy committee, Ministry of Education and Science, Ministry of Mining and Heavy Industry, Customs Authority
8	Prohibition on importation and exportation of Elemental mercury and mixture of elemental mercury	P, P-X	2805.40	Elemental mercury and mixture of elemental mercury	GATT Article XX (g), Minamata Convention	Law on International treaty	Ministry of Environment, Ministry of Mining and Heavy Industry
9	Conditional prohibition on Unlicensed nuclear	CP, NAL	8401.10.00 8401.20.00 8401.30.00 8401.40.00	Unlicensed nuclear materials, radiation generators, radiation-generating tools,	GATT XXI	Articles 37.2.1, 41.1, and 41.2 of the Law on Nuclear Energy	Administered by multiple Government agencies including Nuclear energy committee, Ministry of

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	materials, radiation generators, radiation-generating tools, equipment, and technology			equipment, and technology		https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=97	Education and Science, Ministry of Mining and Heavy Industry, Customs Authority
10	Prohibition on Counterfeit medicine	P	HS 30	Counterfeit medicine	GATT Article XX (b), (d), (g)	Article 11.1.7 of the Law on Medicines and Medical Devices https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=85	Administered by Ministry of Health and Customs Authority
11	Conditional prohibition on Unauthorized drugs, medical devices, and biologically active products	CP, NAL	Various	Unauthorized drugs, medical devices, and biologically active products	GATT Article XX (b)	Article 15.9.3 of the Law on Medicines and Medical Devices https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=85	Administered by Ministry of Health According to the Law on Medicine and Medical Devices, drugs, medical devices and biologically active products shall be approved by Medicine committee and special permit is required for importation.
12	Conditional prohibition on Weapons, equipment and firearms and ammunition parts and accessories thereof	CP, NAL	9301.10.00 9301.20.00 9301.90.00 9302.00.00 9303.10.00 9303.20.00 9303.30.00 9303.90.00 9304.00.00 9305.10.00 9305.91.00 9305.99.00 9306.21.00 9306.29.00 9306.30.00 9306.90.00	Weapons, equipment and firearms and ammunition parts and accessories thereof	GATT Article XX (b), XXI (b) ii	Law on Fire Arm https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=11270	Ministry of Justice and Internal Affairs and Ministry of Defence Special permit is required for importation

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13	Prohibition on importation and exportation Pornography, books, movies, videos, pictures, etc	P, P-X	Various	Pornography, books, movies, videos, pictures, etc.	GATT XX (a)	Article 5.3 of the Law on Combating Pornography https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=445	Ministry of Justice and Internal Affairs, Customs Authority
14	Conditional Prohibition on Ethyl alcohol	CP	22071000 22072090 22089010	All types of Ethyl alcohol, other than for research purposes	GATT XX (b)	Parliament Resolution No. 05 of 1998; Government Resolution No. 378 of 2014	Customs Authority Importation of ethyl alcohol requires special permit
15	Prohibition on exportation of Waste ferrous and non-ferrous metals	P-X	Various	Waste ferrous and non-ferrous metals (cast iron, steel, copper, brass, aluminium and their alloys), cast and other primary ferrous and non-ferrous metals, spare parts and products made of ferrous and non-ferrous metals not used for their intended purpose, except for beer cans	GATT XX (g)	Parliament Resolution No. 05 of 1998	Customs Authority
16	Conditional prohibition on the importation or exportation of some endangered, threatened or exploited species (Appendices I, II and III of CITES)	P, P-X	Various	Specimens (live, parts or products) of species listed in the Appendices of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES) http://www.cites.org/eng/app/appendices.php	Article XX (g) of the GATT Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES).	Law on International treaty, 2016 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=12340	Customers Authority
17	Prohibition on importation of Products	P	2524.10 2524.90 6811.40	Products containing asbestos, including brake pads containing asbestos	GATT XX (b)	Government Resolution No. 378 of 2014	Customers Authority

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	containing asbestos, including brake pads containing asbestos		6812.80 6812.91 6812.92 6812.93 6812.99 6813.20.1100 6813.20.1900 6813.20.9000			https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=10827	
18	Conditional Prohibition on importation of Explosives and Explosive Devices	CP, NAL	3604.10.00 3604.90.00 3601.00.00 3602.00.00	Explosives and Explosive Devices	GATT XX (b), (g)	Law on Controlling the Circulation of Explosives and Explosive Devices; https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=9057 Government Resolution No. 149 of 2006	Ministry of Mining and Heavy Industry
19	Conditional prohibition on importation and exportation of pure-bred breeding animals	CP, NAL, NAL-X	0101.21.00 0102.21.10 0102.31.00 0102.29.10 0102.39.00 0102.90.00	Pure-bred breeding animals	GATT XX (b)	Law on Livestock animal genetic resource https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=13051 Revised law on Licensing, 2023 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=16530780109311	Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Light Industry
20	Non-automatic license for importation and exportation of all types of fuel	NAL-NAL-X	27101951 2710.12.13 2710.12.14 2710.12.15 2710.12.20 2710.19.21 2710.19.22 2710.19.30	All types of fuel	GATT XXI (b)	Revised law on Licensing, 2023 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=16530780109311	Ministry of Mining and Heavy Industry

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			2710.19.40				
21	Non-automatic license for importation of Firearms, ammunition, accessories, and equipment similar to firearms for civil and security purposes	NAL	9304.00.00 9303.10.00 9303.20.00 9303.30.00 9303.90.00 9305.10.00	Firearms, ammunition, accessories, and equipment similar to firearms for civil and security purposes	GATT XX (b), XXI (b)	Revised law on Licensing, 2023 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=16530780109311	Ministry of Defence, Ministry of Justice and Home Affairs
22	Non-Automatic license for importation of tobacco products	NAL	2401.10.00 2401.20.00 2401.30.00 2402.10.00 2402.20.10 2402.20.30 2402.20.20 2402.90.00 2403.11.00 2403.19.10 2403.19.20 2403.91.00 2403.99.30 2403.99.90	Tobacco	GATT XX (a), (b)	Revised law on Licensing, 2023 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=16530780109311	Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Light Industry
23	Non automatic license for importation of alcoholic beverages	NAL	HS 2203, 2204, 2205, 2206, 2207, 2208	Alcoholic beverages	GATT XX (a), (b)	Revised law on Licensing, 2023 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=16530780109311	Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Light Industry
24	Non-automatic license for importation of Plant protection substances	NAL	3808.91.00 3808.92.00 3808.93.00	Plant protection substances	GATT XX (b)	Revised law on Licensing, 2023 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=16530780109311	Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Light Industry

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25	Non automatic license for importation of Animal medicine and medical equipment	NAL	3002.42.00 3002.49.00	Animal medicine and medical equipment	GATT XX (b)	Revised law on Licensing, 2023 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=16530780109311	Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Light Industry
26	Non automatic license for importation of medical instruments, equipment, accessories and prostheses	NAL	HS9018 9021, 9022	Medical instruments, equipment, accessories and prostheses	GATT XX (b)	Revised law on Licensing, 2023 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=16530780109311	Ministry of Health
27	Non automatic license for importation and exportation of Narcotics, psychoactive drugs, pharmaceutical substances, precursors and medicines	NAL, NAL-X	12079100 12113000 12114000 13019000 13021110 13021120 2934.92.00 2934.99.00 2939.11.00 2939.19.00 2939.45.00 2939.49.00 2939.72.00 2939.79.00	Narcotics, psychoactive drugs, pharmaceutical substances, precursors and medicines	GATT XX (b)	Revised law on Licensing, 2023 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=16530780109311	Ministry of Health
28	Restriction on importation and exportation of electricity and energy	STR, STR-X	27160000	Electricity, Energy	GATT XXI (b)	Revised law on Licensing, 2023 https://legalinfo.mn/mn/detail?lawId=16530780109311	Ministry of Energy

Section 2: Cross-reference to other WTO notifications with information on quantitative restrictions that are currently in force

This section shall be filled by Members in case a notification made pursuant to another notification requirement (e.g. set in the Agreement on Agriculture, Agreement on Balance of Payments, Agreement on Safeguards, and the Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures, etc.) contains information on a quantitative restriction in force and which is not listed in Section 1.

1. Agreement on Agriculture

A. Was a notification made with information on a quantitative restriction? Yes ☐ No ☒

B. If yes, then list below the relevant document symbol and include any information element missing in the notification:

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
G/AG/N/							

2. Agreement on Balance of Payments

A. Was a notification made with information on a quantitative restriction? Yes ☐ No ☒

B. If yes, then list below the relevant document symbol and include any information element missing in the notification:

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
WT/BOP/N/							

3. Agreement on Safeguards

A. Was a notification made with information on a quantitative restriction? Yes ☐ No ☒

B. If yes, then list below the relevant document symbol and include any information element missing in the notification:

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
G/SG/N/							

4. Agreement on Import Licensing Procedures (non-automatic licences)

A. Was a notification made with information on a quantitative restriction? Yes ☐ No ☒

B. If yes, then list below the relevant document symbol and include any information element missing in the notification:

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G/LIC/N/							

5. Other notifications

A. Was a notification made with information on a quantitative restriction in other notifications? Yes ☐ No ☒

B. If yes, then list below the relevant document symbol and include any information element missing in the notification:

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