



# ORGANIZACIÓN MUNDIAL DEL COMERCIO

Referencia: WLI/100

11 de diciembre de 2014

## ACUERDO DE MARRAKECH POR EL QUE SE ESTABLECE LA ORGANIZACIÓN MUNDIAL DEL COMERCIO HECHO EN MARRAKECH EL 15 DE ABRIL DE 1994

## ACUERDO GENERAL SOBRE ARANCELES ADUANEROS Y COMERCIO DE 1994

## CERTIFICACIÓN DE LAS MODIFICACIONES Y RECTIFICACIONES DE LA LISTA LXXV – FILIPINAS

### ENVÍO DE COPIA AUTENTICADA

Tengo el honor de remitirle adjunta una copia autenticada de las modificaciones y rectificaciones de la Lista **LXXV – Filipinas**, con efecto a partir del **22 de noviembre de 2014**.

Roberto Azevêdo  
Director General

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**LISTAS DE CONCESIONES ARANCELARIAS ANEXAS AL ACUERDO GENERAL  
SOBRE ARANCELES ADUANEROS Y COMERCIO DE 1994**

**CERTIFICACIÓN DE MODIFICACIONES Y RECTIFICACIONES**

**LISTA LXXV – FILIPINAS**

CONSIDERANDO que las PARTES CONTRATANTES del Acuerdo General sobre Aranceles Aduaneros y Comercio de 1947 adoptaron, el 26 de marzo de 1980, una Decisión sobre los procedimientos para la modificación o rectificación de las Listas de concesiones arancelarias (IBDD 27S/25);

CONSIDERANDO que, de conformidad con las disposiciones de la Decisión antes mencionada, el 22 de agosto de 2014 se comunicó a todos los Miembros de la Organización Mundial del Comercio en el documento G/MA/TAR/RS/395 un proyecto que contiene las modificaciones y rectificaciones de la Lista **LXXV – Filipinas**, y que no se presentó objeción alguna a las modificaciones y rectificaciones propuestas dentro de los tres meses siguientes a la fecha de distribución de dicho documento;

POR LA PRESENTE SE CERTIFICA que las modificaciones y rectificaciones de la Lista **LXXV – Filipinas** se han establecido de conformidad con la Decisión antes mencionada.

La Lista anexa surte efecto a partir del **22 de noviembre de 2014**.

Remito por la presente a cada uno de los Miembros de la Organización Mundial del Comercio una copia autenticada de las modificaciones y rectificaciones antes mencionadas. La Certificación será registrada de conformidad con las disposiciones del Artículo 102 de la Carta de las Naciones Unidas.

HECHA en Ginebra el ocho de diciembre de dos mil catorce.

Roberto Azevêdo  
Director General

Copia autenticada:

Director General



# **SCHEDULE LXXV – PHILIPPINES**

22 November 2014



## SCHEDULE LXXV – PHILIPPINES

**This schedule is authentic only in the English language**

### PART I MOST-FAVoured-NATION TARIFF

#### SECTION I Agricultural Products

##### SECTION I-B Tariff Quotas

Rice Quotas<sup>1</sup> and In-Quota Duties<sup>2</sup>

Description of Products  (1)	Tariff item Number  (2)	Initial quota quantity and In-quota tariff rate  (3)	Final Quota Quantity and In-quota tariff rate  (4)	Implementation period from/to  (5)	Initial negotiating right  (6)	Other Terms and Conditions  (7)
Rice	10.06 <sup>1</sup> *ST Annex 5	59,730 MT 50%	119,460 MT 50%	1995 / 1999		NFA*
		119,460 MT 50%	238,940 MT 50%	2000 / June 2005		NFA*
		350,000 MT 40%	350,000 MT 40%	July 2005 / 30 June 2012		NFA*
		350,000 MT 40%	350,000 MT 40%	1 July 2012 – 30 June 2013		NFA*
		645,134 MT 40%	645,134 MT 40%	1 July 2013 – 30 June 2014		NFA*
		805,200 MT 40%	805,200 MT 35%	1 July 2014 – 30 June 2015		NFA*
		805,200 MT 35%	805,200 MT 35%	1 July 2015 – 30 June 2017		NFA*

\* - National Food Authority (NFA) has the first right to import minimum market access (MMA) volumes in accordance with the food security policies of the Philippines, taking into account increased private sector participation.

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<sup>1</sup> Based on the tariff lines stipulated in Schedule LXXV – Philippines, covering tariff item numbers (HS Code) 1006.10 00 (Rice in the husk, paddy and rough), 1006.20 00 (Husked (brown) rice), 1006.30 00 (Semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed), and 1006.40 00 (Broken rice).

<sup>2</sup> If the rate scheduled under the ASEAN Trade in Goods Agreement (ATIGA) for the Philippines is lower than the rate specified in this Annex, the ATIGA rate shall constitute the in-quota rate for imports from any WTO Member.

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1. This schedule incorporates modifications pursuant to the Decision on Waiver Relating to Special Treatment for Rice of the Philippines under WT/L/932 adopted by the General Council on 24 July 2014, under the terms and conditions of which the obligations of the Philippines under Article 4.2 and paragraphs 8 and 10 of Annex 5, Section B, of the Agreement on Agriculture, and under the Extension Agreement<sup>3</sup> are waived until 30 June 2017. The modifications in the schedule shall cease to exist upon the termination or expiration of the waiver, and no later than 30 June 2017.
2. The minimum market access ("MMA") for rice as specified in columns (3) and (4) above shall be increased to 805,200 MT in the first quota year under the waiver (01 July 2014 to 30 June 2015), which shall be maintained thereafter annually until the expiration or termination of the waiver.
3. The 40% in-quota tariff on rice on the MMA shall be applied at the first quota year under the waiver and shall be reduced to 35% thereafter or at the rate resulting from the condition in footnote 4 until the termination or expiration of the waiver.
4. Within the MMA, the following country-specific quotas (CSQ) shall be allocated from the first quota year under the waiver until the expiration or termination of the waiver.

WTO Member	Annual CSQ (in MT milled basis)
Australia	15,000
China	50,000
El Salvador	4,000
India	50,000
Pakistan	50,000
Thailand	293,100
Viet Nam	293,100

5. At the expiration of the waiver as referred to in paragraph 1, and no later than 30 June 2017, the importation of rice shall be subject to ordinary customs duties in accordance with paragraph 10 of Annex 5, Section B, of the Agreement on Agriculture.

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<sup>3</sup> G/MA/TAR/RS/99/Rev.1 or WT/Let/562.