

Letter of Understanding among the Parties to the Agreement on Trade in Goods under the Framework Agreement on Comprehensive Economic Cooperation among the Governments of the Member Countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations and the Republic of Korea on the Tariff Rate Quota

The Parties to the Agreement on Trade in Goods under the Framework Agreement on Comprehensive Economic Cooperation among the Governments of the Member Countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations and the Republic of Korea (hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement on Trade in Goods") have reached the understanding on the Tariff Rate Quota as provided for in Paragraph 4(iv) in Annex 2 to the Agreement on Trade in Goods as reflected in the Attachment.

This Letter of Understanding takes effect on the same date as the Agreement on Trade in Goods and shall be treated as an integral part of the Agreement on Trade in Goods.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned being duly authorised thereto, have signed the Letter of Understanding among the Governments of the Member Countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations and the Republic of Korea.

DONE in duplicate copies in the English language.

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Attachment: Korea's TRQ (Group D) Scheme in the Context of the ASEAN-Korea FTA (27 April 2006)

No.	HS	HS Code	Description	Amount	In-Quota	Out-Quota
	Code	(10 digit)		of Quota	Rate	Rate
	(6 digit)			for ASEAN		
				(metric ton)		
1	030613	0306131000	Frozen shrimps and	5,000	0%	MFN Tariff
		0306139000	prawns			Rate
2	030623	0306231000	Live, fresh or chilled	300	0%	MFN Tariff
			shrimps and			Rate
			prawns			
3	030749	0307491010	Cuttle fish	2,000	0%	Subject to the
						Requirement
						of Group B
4	071333	0713331000	Kidney beans,	2,000	0%	MFN Tariff
		0713339000	including white pea			Rate
			beans (phaseolus			
			vulgaris)			
5	071410	0714101000	Manioc(cassava)	25,000	20%	MFN Tariff
		0714102010				Rate
		0714102090				
		0714103000				
		0714104000				
6	110814	1108140000	Manioc (cassava)	9,600	9%	MFN Tariff
			starch			Rate
7	160520	1605209090	Other shrimps and	2,000	0%	Subject to the
			prawns			Requirement
						of Group B

1. There will be no reduction of amount of quota allowed for the ASEAN Member Countries in the future.

2. Korea may adopt or maintain import measures to allocate in-quota imports made pursuant to a tariff rate quota set out in Group D, provided that such measures do not have trade restrictive effects on imports additional to those caused by the imposition.