

URUGUAY – TAX TREATMENT ON CERTAIN PRODUCTS

Request to Join Consultations

Communication from the European Communities

The following communication, dated 4 July 2002, from the Permanent Delegation of the European Commission to the Permanent Mission of Uruguay, the Permanent Mission of Chile and to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 4.11 of the DSU.

Pursuant to paragraph 11 of Article 4 of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes (DSU), the European Communities hereby notifies Uruguay that, in light of its substantial trade interest, it desires to be joined in the consultations requested by Chile in a communication circulated to WTO Members on 26 June 2002 (WT/DS261/1, G/L/555) titled "*Uruguay – Tax Treatment on Certain Products*".

The EC would be grateful of being informed of the date and venue of the consultations.
