

**EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES – DEFINITIVE SAFEGUARD MEASURE  
ON SALMON**

Communication from Chile

The following communication, dated 12 May 2005, from the delegation of Chile to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated at the request of Chile.

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On 8 February 2005, Chile requested consultations with European Communities regarding a definitive safeguard measure against imports of farmed salmon imposed by Commission Regulation (EC) No. 206/2005 of 4 February 2005, as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No. 580/2005 of 14 April 2005. This request was circulated as document WT/DS326/1, G/L/728 and G/SG/D32/1, and the consultations were held in Geneva, Switzerland, on 30 March 2005.

Regulation (EC) No. 627/2005 revoked Regulation (EC) No. 206/2005, and as a result, the safeguard measure challenged by Chile was terminated as of 27 April 2005.

Consequently, as the disputed measure no longer exists, Chile would like to formally withdraw the above-mentioned request for consultations and to put an end to this matter.

This decision does not in any way prejudice Chile's right to oppose or challenge a similar measure or any other measure affecting farmed salmon or other products or services of Chilean origin in the market of the European Union.

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