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EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES – PROTECTION OF TRADEMARKS AND GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATIONS FOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS AND FOODSTUFFS

Request to Join Consultations

Communication from Mexico

The following communication, dated 5 May 2003, from the Permanent Mission of Mexico to the Permanent Delegation of the European Commission, the Permanent Mission of Australia and to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 4.11 of the DSU.

In conformity with Article 4.11 of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes (DSU), I hereby notify Mexico's substantial trade interest and its desire to be joined in the consultations requested by Australia under Article 64 of the TRIPS Agreement, Article XXII of the GATT 1994, Article 14 of the TBT Agreement and Article 4 of the DSU concerning the protection of trademarks and geographical indications for agricultural products and foodstuffs.
