

Annex 2

Schedules of Tariff Commitments

Part A

Tariff Schedule of China

General Notes

1. This Schedule is generally expressed in terms of the Customs Tariff of Import and Export of the People's Republic of China, and the interpretation of the description and product coverage of subheadings of this Schedule shall be governed by the Customs Tariff of Import and Export of the People's Republic of China.

2. The base rates of customs duty set out in this Schedule reflect the Most-Favored-Nation tariff rates of the Chinese customs duty in effect on January 1, 2021.

3. The following categories shall apply to the elimination and reduction of the customs duties by China:

(a) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A0" in the Schedule shall be eliminated entirely and such goods shall be free of customs duty on the date this Agreement enters into force;

(b) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A5" in the Schedule shall be removed in five equal annual stages beginning on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year five;

(c) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A10" in the Schedule shall be removed in ten equal annual stages beginning on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year ten;

(d) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A15" in the Schedule shall be removed in fifteen equal annual stages beginning on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year fifteen;

(e) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category “A17” in the Schedule shall be removed in seventeen equal annual stages beginning on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year seventeen;

(f) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category “A20” in the Schedule shall be removed in twenty equal annual stages beginning on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year twenty;

(g) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category “P” in the Schedule shall be reduced by fifty percent of the base rates on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall remain at fifty percent of the base rates;

(h) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "E" in the Schedule shall remain the same as the base rates.

4. The base rate of customs duty and category for determining the interim rate of customs duty at each stage of reduction are indicated for the product in the Schedule.

5. Reduced rates shall be rounded at least to the nearest tenth of a percentage point or, if the rate of duty is expressed in monetary units, at least to the nearest tenth of one Chinese Yuan.

6. For the purposes of this Part and the Schedule, year one means the year this Agreement enters into force.

7. For the purposes of this Part and the Schedule, beginning in year two, each annual stage of tariff reduction shall take effect on January 1 of the relevant year.

Part B
Tariff Schedule of Ecuador
General Notes

1. This Schedule is generally expressed in terms of the Customs Tariff of Import and Export of the Republic of Ecuador, and the interpretation of the description and product coverage of subheadings of this Schedule shall be governed by the “Customs Tariff of the Republic of Ecuador”.

2. The base rates of customs duty set out in this Schedule reflect the Most-Favored-Nation tariff rates of the Ecuadorian customs duty in effect on January 1, 2021.

3. The following categories shall apply to the elimination of the customs duties by Ecuador:

(a) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category “A0” in the Schedule shall be eliminated entirely and such goods shall be free of customs duty on the date this Agreement enters into force;

(b) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category “A5” in the Schedule shall be removed in five equal annual stages beginning on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year five;

(c) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A10" in the Schedule shall be removed in ten equal annual stages beginning on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year ten;

(d) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A15" in the Schedule shall be removed in fifteen equal annual stages beginning on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year fifteen;

(e) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A15-3" in the Schedule shall remain at the base rates during year one through year three. Beginning on January 1 of year four, customs duties shall be removed in twelve equal annual stages, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year fifteen;

(f) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A15-5" in the Schedule shall remain at the base rates during year one through year five. Beginning on January 1 of year six, customs duties shall be removed in ten equal annual stages, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year fifteen;

(g) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A17" in the Schedule shall be removed in seventeen equal annual stages beginning on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year seventeen;

(h) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A17-3" in the Schedule shall remain at the base rates during year one through year three. Beginning on January 1 of year four, customs duties shall be removed in fourteen equal annual stages, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year seventeen;

(i) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A17-5" in the Schedule shall remain at the base rates during year one through year five. Beginning on January 1 of year six, customs duties shall be removed in twelve equal annual stages, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year seventeen;

(j) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A20" in the Schedule shall be removed in twenty equal annual stages beginning on the date this Agreement enters into force, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year twenty;

(k) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A20-3" in the Schedule shall remain at the base rates during year one through year three. Beginning on January 1 of year four, customs duties shall be reduced in seventeen equal annual stages, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year twenty;

(l) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "A20-5" in the Schedule shall remain at the base rates during year one through year five. Beginning on January 1 of year six, customs duties shall be reduced in fifteen equal annual stages, and such goods shall be free of customs duty, effective January 1 of year twenty;

(m) customs duties on originating goods provided for in Category "E" in the Schedule shall remain the same as the base rates.

4. The base rate of customs duty and category for determining the interim rate of customs duty at each stage of reduction are indicated for the product in the Schedule.

5. Reduced rates shall be rounded at least to the nearest tenth of a percentage point or, if the rate of duty is expressed in monetary units, at least to the nearest tenth of one US Dollar.

6. For the purposes of this Part and the Schedule, year one means the year this Agreement enters into force.

7. For the purposes of this Part and the Schedule, beginning in year two, each annual stage of tariff reduction shall take effect on January 1 of the relevant year.