# PROTOCOL AMENDING "PREFERENTIAL TRADE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TÜRKİYE AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF AZERBAIJAN"

The Government of the Republic of Türkiye and the Government of the Republic of Azerbaijan (hereinafter referred to as "the Parties"),

Having regard to the "Preferential Trade Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Türkiye and the Government of the Republic of Azerbaijan", done in Baku on 25 February 2020 (hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement"), and in particular, Article 22 and Article 24 of the Agreement,

HAVE AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

## ARTICLE 1

1. The Parties shall grant to each other concessions in the trade of goods as indicated in Annex I-A and I-B attached to this Protocol in addition to the concessions provided for the trade of goods listed in the annexes of the Agreement.
2. For each good, the basic tariff rate or additional customs duty to which reductions will be applied is indicated in Annex I-A and Annex I-B of this Protocol. Tariff reductions shall be applied at the entry into force of this Protocol.
3. The provisions of the Agreement shall be applicable to this Protocol and its Annexes.

## ARTICLE 2

Paragraph 9 of Article 3 of the Agreement shall be replaced by the following:
"9. "Transition period" means 10-year period following the date of entry into force of concessions granted to goods under this Agreement."

## ARTICLE 3

This Protocol shall enter into force on the first day of the second month following the receipt of the latter written notification through diplomatic channels, by which the Parties inform each other that all necessary requirements foreseen by their national legislation for the entry into force of this Protocol have been fulfilled.

Done in duplicate in the Turkish, Azerbaijani and English languages at Samsun on 29 April 2023.
All texts shall be equally authentic. In case of any divergence, the English text shall prevail.

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## Annex I-A

Imports into the Republic of Türkiye of the goods originating in the Republic of Azerbaijan listed in the following table shall be subject to the concessions set out therein.

| No | HS 2022 | Name | Basic Tariff Rate (BTR) | Additional Customs Duty (ACD) | Tariff Reduction Rate |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 0813409500 | Mulberry, Quince, Others | 15,4 | - | %50 reduction of BTR |
| 2 | 2204219300 | White wine; Not made in the EU, PDO or PGI marked, content<=2Lt | 70 | - | %100 reduction of BTR within quota in amount 15.000 hl/year |
| 3 | 2204219400 | Wines other than white wine; Not made in the EU, PDO or PGI marked, content<=2Lt | 70 | - | |
| 4 | 2204219500 | White wine; Not produced in the EU, other varietal (From a single grape variety, content<=2Lt) | 70 | - | |
| 5 | 2204219700 | Other white wine; Not made in the EU, content<=2Lt | 70 | - | |
| 6 | 2204219800 | Wines other than white wine; Not made in the EU, content<=2Lt | 70 | - | |
| 7 | 2206005900 | Fermented beverages; mixtures thereof and mixtures of fermented beverages and soft drinks; without foam, content=<2 lt | 70 | - | |
| 8 | 3917211000 | Rigid pipes, hoses; of ethylene polymers, seamless (not further processed) | 6,5 | 10 | %100 reduction of ACD |
| 9 | 6305321900 | Flexible enclosures of polyethylene/polypropylene strips for bulk materials; except for knitting or crochet | 7,2 | 20 | %100 reduction of ACD |
| 10 | 6305339000 | Bags and sacks of polyethylene and polypropylene strips, etc., for packaging; except for knitting or crochet | 7,2 | 20 | %100 reduction of ACD |
| 11 | 7207111400 | Semi-finished products of iron or non-alloy steel; thickness<=130mm, obtained by rolled or continuous casting, carbon<0.25% | 22,5 | - | %50 reduction of BTR |

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| 12 | 7207201500 | Semi-finished products of iron or non-alloy steel; other rolled/continuous casting semi-finished products of iron or non-alloy steel; 0.25% <= carbon < 0.6%, rectangular (including square), width less than twice the thickness | 22,5 | - | %50 reduction of BTR |
| 13 | 7213911000 | Other wire rods of iron/non-alloy steel (hot rolled, in coils, of the kind used for concrete reinforcement, diameter<14mm) | 30 | - | %50 reduction of BTR |
| 14 | 7214991000 | Bars of iron/non-alloy steel (Carbon <0.25%, four-sided hot-rolled, of a kind used for concrete reinforcement) | 30 | - | %50 reduction of BTR |
| 15 | 7606119100 | Sheets, plates, strips of unalloyed aluminium; thickness < 3 mm, rectangular (including square) | 7,5 | 7 | %100 reduction of ACD |

## Annex I-B

Imports into the Republic of Azerbaijan of the goods originating in the Republic of Türkiye listed in the following table shall be subject to the concessions set out therein.

| No | HS 2022 | Name | Basic Tariff Rate (BTR) | Tariff Reduction Rate |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 3302 10 400 0 | other | 15 | %100 reduction of BTR |
| 2 | 3923 30 101 0 | of a capacity not exceeding 2 litres | 15 | %33 reduction of BTR |
| 3 | 4410 11 100 0 | unworked or not further worked than sanded | 5 | %100 reduction of BTR |
| 4 | 4418 29 000 1 | doors and their frames and thresholds of coniferous wood | 15 | %66 reduction of BTR |
| 5 | 4803 00 310 0 | not more than 25 g/m2 | 15 | %100 reduction of BTR |
| 6 | 4819 20 000 0 | folding cartons, boxes and cases, of noncorrugated paper or paperboard | 15 | %100 reduction of BTR |
| 7 | 7408 11 000 0 | of which the maximum cross– sectional dimension exceeds 6 mm | 5 | %100 reduction of BTR |
| 8 | 7612 90 800 0 | other | 15 | %33 reduction of BTR |
| 9 | 8309 90 900 0 | other | 15 | %100 reduction of BTR |
| 10 | 8413 91 000 9 | other | 5 | %100 reduction of BTR |
| 11 | 8422 40 000 0 | other packing or wrapping machinery (including heatshrink wrapping machinery) | 5 | %100 reduction of BTR |
| 12 | 8450 11 110 0 | front loading machines | 15 | %33 reduction of BTR |
| 13 | 8450 11 900 0 | each of a dry linen capacity exceeding 6 kg but not exceeding 10 kg | 15 | %33 reduction of BTR |
| 14 | 8528 72 200 0 | apparatus incorporating a video recorder or reproducer | 15 | %33 reduction of BTR |
| 15 | 8708 99 970 0 | other | 5 | %50 reduction of BTR |

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