Agricultural Protocol between the Republic of Iceland and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

The Government of the Republic of Iceland (hereinafter referred to as Iceland) and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (hereinafter referred to as Jordan) have agreed as follows:

Article 1

Iceland shall grant for products, originating in Jordan, the tariff reductions specified in Annex I to this Protocol.

Article 2

The rules of origin for the purpose of implementing the tariff reductions specified in Annex I to this Protocol are set out in Annex II to this Protocol.

Article 3

Iceland and Jordan are ready to promote scientific and technical cooperation in agriculture and related fields on the basis of mutual interests. This cooperation may consist of joint ventures, the exchange of information and documentation, the exchange of experts as well as joint organization of seminars and agricultural workshops.

Article 4

Annexes I and II to this Protocol shall constitute an integral part of this Protocol.

Article 5

The Parties to this Protocol declare their readiness to foster, on a reciprocal basis, the harmonious development of trade in agricultural products within the framework of their respective agricultural policies and international obligations. The Parties will periodically review the development of their trade in agricultural products. Futhermore, should any difficulty emerge concerning their trade in agricultural products, the Parties shall hold consultations without delay and endeavour to find an appropriate solution.

Article 6

- 1. The implementation of the Protocol shall be supervised and administered by a Joint Committee.
- 2. The Joint Committee shall consist of representatives of Iceland on the one hand and of representatives of Jordan on the other. It shall meet whenever necessary and each Party may request that a meeting be held.
- 3. Only the Joint Committee may decide to amend the Annexes to this Protocol.

Article 7

The Protocol shall enter into force on the date of entry into force of the Agreement between the EFTA States and Jordan or be applied provisionally from the same date as the Agreement.

Article 8

The Protocol shall remain in force until the expiration of the Agreement between the EFTA States and Jordan.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being duly authorized thereto, have signed the present Protocol.

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| in two authentic originals in the English | language. | | |

For the Government of the Republic of Iceland

For the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

Agricultural products exempted from custom duties

| 0409 0000 | | Natural Honey |
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| 0703 | | Onions, shallots, garlic, leeks and other alliaceous vegetables, fresh or chilled: |
| 0703 2000 | | - Garlic |
| 0708 | | Leguminous vegetables, shelled or unshelled, fresh or chilled: |
| 0708 2000 | .* | - Beans (vigna spp., Phaseolus spp.) |
| 0710 | | Vegetables (uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water), frozen: |
| 0710 2100 | | Leguminous vegetables, shelled or unshelled: - Peas (Pisum sativum) |
| 0710 2200 | | - Beans (Vigna spp., Phaseolus spp.) |
| 0711 | | Vegetables provisionally preserved (for example, by sulphur dioxide gas, in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions), but unsuitable in that state for immediate consumption: |
| 0711 1000 | | - Onions |
| 0711 2000 | | - Olives |
| 0713 | | Dried leguminous vegetables, shelled, whether or not skinned or split: |
| 0713 2000 | | - Chickpeas (garbanzos) |
| | | Beans (Vigna spp., Phaseolus spp.): |
| 0713 3100 | | -Beans of the species Vigna Mungo (L.) Hepper or Vigna radiata (L.) Wilczek |
| 0713 4000 | | - Lentils |
| 0713 5000 | | - Broad beans (Vicia faba var. major) and horse beans |

(Vicia faba var. equina, Vicia faba var. minor)

| 0802 | Other fruit, fresh or dried whether or not shelled or peeled: |
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| 0802 1100 | - Almonds: - In shell |
| 0802 1200 | - Shelled |
| 0803 0000 | Bananas, including plantains, fresh or dried |
| 0805 | Citrus fruit, fresh or dried |
| 0805 1000 | - Oranges |
| 0805 4000 | - Grapefruit |
| 0806 | Grapes, fresh or dried |
| 0806 1000 | - Fresh |
| 0809 0809 1000 | Apricots, cherries, peaches (including nectarines), plums and sloes, fresh: - Apricots |
| 0809 4000 | - Plums and sloes |
| 0810 | Other fruit, fresh: |
| 0810 1000 | - Strawberries |
| 0814 0000 | Peel of Citrus or Melons |
| 0910 | Ginger, saffron, turmeric (curcuma), thyme, bay leaves, curry and other spices: |
| 0910 1000 | - Ginger |
| 0910 9900 | - Other |
| 1302 2000 | Pectic substances, pectinates, pectates |

| 1507 | Soya-bean oil and its fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified: |
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| 1507 1000 | - Soya-bean oil, crude |
| 1507 9010 | - Other |
| 1509 | Olive oil and its fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified: |
| 1509 1000 | - Olive oil, virgin |
| 1509 9000 | - Olive oil, other |
| 1512 | Sunflower-seed, safflower or cotton-seed oil and fractions thereof, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified: |
| 1512 1100 | - Sunflower-seed oil, crude |
| 1512 1910 | - Fractions-melting point higher that sunflower |
| 1515 | Other fixed vegetable fats and oils (including jojoba oil) and their fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified: |
| 1515 1100 | - Linseed oil, crude |
| 1515 6000 | - Jojoba oil |
| 1515 9000 | - Other |
| 1516 | Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their fractions, partly or wholly hydrogenated, inter-esterified, re-esterified or |
| | elaidinised, whether or not refined, but not further prepared: |
| 1516 1001 | - Fats and oils and their fractions obtained from fish and marine mammals, re-esterified |
| 1516 2000 | - Vegetable fats and oils |

| 2002 | Tomatoes prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid: |
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| 2002 1000 | - Tomatoes, whole or in pieces |
| | - Other: |
| 2002 9001 | Purée |
| 2002 9009 | Other |
| 2005 | Other vegetables prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, not frozen: |
| 2005 4000 | - Peas (Pisum sativum) |
| 2005 5100 | - Beans, shelled |
| 2005 6000 | - Asparagus |
| 2005 7000 | - Olives |
| 2006 | Fruit, nuts fruit-peel and other parts of plants, preserved by sugar (drained, glace or crystallized) |
| 2007 | Jams, fruit jellies, marmalades, fruit or nut puree and fruit or nut pastes, being cooked preparations, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter: |
| 2007 1000 | - Homogenized preparations |
| | - Other: |
| 2007 9100 | - Citrus fruit |
| 2007 9900 | - Other |
| 2008 | Fruit, nuts and other edible parts of plants, otherwise prepared or preserved, whether or not containing added |
| | sugar or other sweetening matter or spirit, not elsewhere specified or included: Nuts, ground-nuts and other seeds, whether or not mixed together: |
| 2008 1100 | - Ground-nuts |
| 2008 1900 | - Other, including mixtures |
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| 2008 3001 | Citrus fruit: - Citrus fruit soups and porridge |
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| 2008 3009 | - Other |
| 2008 5001 | Apricots: - Apricot soups and porridge |
| 2008 5009 | - Other |
| 2008 6009 | Cherries: - Other |
| 2008 7001 | Peaches: - Peach soups and porridge |
| 2008 7009 | - Other |
| 2008 8001 | Strawberries: - Strawberry soups and porridge |
| 2008 8009 | - Other |
| 2008 9201 | - Soups and porridge of fruits |
| 2008 9209 | - Other |
| 2008 9901 | Other: - Soups and porridge or fruits |
| 2008 9909 | - Other |
| 2009 | Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, unfermented and not containing added spirit, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter: |
| | Orange juice: Frozen: |
| 2009 1101 | - Unfermented and not containing sugar, in containers of 50 kilos or more |
| 2009 1109 | - Other |
| | Other: |

| 2009 1901 | - Unfermented and not containing sugar in containers of 50 kilos or more |
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| 2009 1909 | - Other |
| 2009 2001 | Grapefruit juice: - Unfermented and not containing sugar, in containers of 50 kilos or more |
| 2009 2009 | - Other |
| 2009 3001 | Juice or any other single citrus fruit: - Unfermented and not containing sugar in containers of 50 kilos or more |
| 2009 3009 | - Other |
| 2009 5001 | Tomato juice: - Unfermented and not containing sugar, in containers of 50 kilos or more |
| 2009 5009 | - Other |
| 2009 6001 | Grape juice (including grape must): - Unfermented and not containing sugar, in containers of 50 kilos or more |
| 2009 6009 | - Other |
| 2009 7001 | Apple juice: Unfermented and not containing sugar, in containers of 50 kilos or more |
| 2009 7009 | - Other |
| 2009 8001 | Juice of any other single fruit or vegetable: - Unfermented and not containing sugar, in containers of 50 kilos or more |
| 2009 8009 | - Other |

Mixtures of juices:
- Unfermented and not containing sugar, in containers of 50 kilos or more 2009 9001

2009 9009 - Other



Annex II

Rules of origin

- 1. (1) For the purpose of implementing this Protocol, a product shall be considered to be originating in Jordan if it has been wholly obtained there.
 - (2) The following shall be considered as wholly obtained in Jordan:
 - a) vegetable products harvested there;
 - b) live animals born and raised there;
 - c) products from live animals raised there;
 - d) goods produced there exclusively from products specified in sub- paragraphs a) to c).
 - (3) Packing materials and packing containers presented with a product therein shall not be included with this product for the purpose of determining whether it has been wholly obtained and it shall not be necessary to establish whether such packing materials or packing containers are originating or not.
- 2. Notwithstanding paragraph 1, the products mentioned in columns 1 and 2 of the list in the Appendix to this Annex, obtained in Jordan and incorporating materials which have not been wholly obtained there, shall also be considered as originating in Jordan, provided that the conditions set out in column 3 concerning working or processing carried out on such materials have been fulfilled.
- 3. (1) The preferential treatment provided for under this Protocol applies only to products which are transported directly from Jordan to Iceland without passing through the territory of another country. However, products originating in Jordan and constituting one single shipment which is not split

up may be transported through territory other than that of Jordan or Iceland with, should the occasion arise, transshipment or temporary warehousing in such territory, provided that the products have remained under the surveillance of the customs authorities in the country of transit or of warehousing, that they have not entered in the commerce of such countries or been delivered for home use there and have not undergone operations other than unloading, reloading or any operation designed to preserve them in good condition.

- (2) Evidence that the conditions referred to in subparagraph (1) have been fulfilled shall be supplied to the Icelandic customs authorities in accordance with the relevant provisions of Protocol B to the Free Trade Agreement between the EFTA States and Jordan.
- 4. Originating products within the meaning of this Annex, shall on importation into Iceland, benefit from this Protocol upon submission of either a movement certificate EUR.1 or an invoice declaration, issued or made out in accordance with the relevant provisions of Protocol B to the Free Trade Agreement between the EFTA States and Jordan.
- 5. The provisions regarding proof of origin and arrangements for administrative cooperation contained in Protocol B to the Free Trade Agreement between the EFTA States and Jordan shall apply mutatis mutandis.
- 6. Provisions or agreed declarations contained the Free Trade Agreement between the EFTA States and Jordan regarding prohibition of drawback of, or exemption from, Customs duties, shall apply mutatis mutandis for products covered by this bilateral agricultural Protocol.

Appendix to Annex II

List of products, referred to in paragraph 2, subject to other conditions than the wholly obtained criterion

| HS heading No. | Description of products | Working or processing carried out on non-originating materials that confers originating status |
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| 07.10 | Vegetables (uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water), frozen | Manufacture in which all the materials of Chapter 7 used must be wholly obtained |
| 07.11 | Vegetables provisionally preserved (for example by sulphur dioxide gas, in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions), but unsuitable in that state for immediate | Manufacture in which all the materials of Chapter 7 used must be wholly obtained |
| ex 13.02 | consumption | |
| ex 13.02 | Vegetable saps and extracts; pectic substances, pectinates and pectates; agar-agar and other mucilages and thickeners, whether or not modified, derived from vegetable products: | |
| | - Agar-agar and other mucilages and thickeners derived from vegetable products, not modified | Manufacture in which the value of all the materials used does not exceed 50% of the ex-works price of the product |
| ex 15.09 | Olive oil and its fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified, except for feed purposes: | |
| | - Solid fractions | Manufacture from other materials of heading Nos. 15.07 to 15.15 |
| | - Other | Manufacture in which all the vegetable materials used must be wholly obtained |
| 20.05 | Other vegetables prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, not frozen, other than products of heading No. 20.06 | Manufacture in which all the vegetables used must be wholly obtained |

| 20.08 | Fruit, nuts and other edible parts of | |
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| | plants, otherwise prepared or | |
| | preserved, whether or not containing | |
| | added sugar or other sweetening | |
| | matter or spirit, not elsewhere | |
| | specified or included: | |
| | - Fruit and nuts cooked otherwise | Manufacture in which all the fruit and |
| *. | , , | nuts used must be wholly obtained |
| | not containing added sugar, frozen | |
| | - Nuts, not containing added sugar or | Manufacture in which the value of the |
| | spirits | originating nuts and oil seeds of heading |
| | | Nos. 08.01, 08.02 and 12.02 to 12.07 used |
| | | exceeds 60% of the ex-works price of the |
| 14.4 | | product |
| | - Others | Manufacture in which all the materials |
| | | used are classified in a heading other than |
| | | that of the product, provided the value of |
| | | any materials of Chapter 17 used does not |
| | | exceed 30% of the ex- works price of the |
| | | product |
| 20.09 | Fruit juices (including grape must) | Manufacture in which all the materials |
| | and vegetable juices, unfermented | used are classified in a heading other than |
| | and not containing added spirit, | that of the product, provided the value of |
| | whether or not containing added | any materials of Chapter 17 used does not |
| | sugar or other sweetening matter | exceed 30% of the ex- works price of the |
| | | product |