Joint Declaration

Further liberalisation with regard to Basic Agricultural Products

In the context of Article 3 of Annex V to the Convention (“Further liberalisation”), recognising the importance of developing trade between them and with a view to further enhancing market access in the respective field, the EFTA States agree to examine, no later than two years after the entry into force of Annex V, the administration of the cheese quota granted by Norway and Iceland. In particular, the administration method of the quota will be reviewed on the basis of information about the quota fill and fees, with a view to finding appropriate solutions. Furthermore, the EFTA States will exchange relevant information on trade flows with a view to improving market access for products of special interest to them.