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**Échange de lettres constituant un accord relatif au commerce  
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## EXCHANGE OF LETTERS CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup> BETWEEN SWEDEN AND ISRAEL CONCERNING TRADE IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

### I

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to the discussions concerning trade arrangements for agricultural products between the Kingdom of Sweden (hereinafter called Sweden) and the State of Israel (hereinafter called Israel). The discussions have taken place within the framework of the negotiations on the Free Trade Agreement between the European Free Trade Association and Israel,<sup>2</sup> and refer to Article 11 of that Free Trade Agreement.

I hereby confirm that the results of these discussions are as follows:

- I. Tariff quotas free of levy or duty and tariff concessions granted by Sweden to Israel. These concessions are set out in Annex I to this letter.
- II. Tariff concession granted by Israel to Sweden. This concession is set out in Annex II to this letter.
- III. The rules of origin for the application of this Arrangement are to be found in the Appendix to the Annexes.
- IV. Sweden and Israel shall ensure that the concessions granted are not compromised by other import measures. If difficulties related to prices or market access occur, consultations shall be held at the request of either Party as soon as possible with a view to agreeing on appropriate corrective action. In situations when difficulties relate to low prices due or partly due to export subsidies, the importing country may, prior to consultations, introduce temporary measures against such imports.
- V. Sweden and Israel shall apply their rules in veterinary health and plant health matters in a non-discriminatory fashion.
- VI. Sweden and Israel will examine the possibilities of extending the scope of bilateral concessions under this Arrangement. To this end Sweden and Israel agree to review the contents of this Arrangement at regular intervals.

<sup>1</sup> Came into force on 1 January 1993 by notification, in accordance with the provisions of the said letters.

<sup>2</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1741, p. 3.