

Protocol Amending the Marrakesh Agreement Establishing the World Trade Organization

Agreement on Fisheries Subsidies

Done at Geneva on 17 June 2022

Entry into force: 15 September 2025²⁰⁴

Text: WTO Treaty Series No. 53, [WT/Let/1580](#), [WT/MIN\(22\)/33](#), [WT/L/1144](#)

UN Registration: pending

UNTS: pending

Relevant clauses

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1. Annex 1A to the WTO Agreement shall, upon entry into force of this Protocol pursuant to paragraph 4, be amended by the insertion of the Agreement on Fisheries Subsidies, as set out in the Annex to this Protocol, to be placed after the Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures.
2. No reservations may be made in respect of any of the provisions of this Protocol.
3. This Protocol is hereby open for acceptance by Members.
4. This Protocol shall enter into force in accordance with paragraph 3 of Article X of the WTO Agreement.¹
5. This Protocol shall be deposited with the Director-General of the World Trade Organization who shall promptly furnish to each Member a certified copy thereof and a notification of each acceptance thereof pursuant to paragraph 3.

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¹ For the purposes of calculation of acceptances under Article X:3 of the WTO Agreement, an instrument of acceptance by the European Union for itself and in respect of its Member States shall be counted as acceptance by a number of Members equal to the number of Member States of the European Union which are Members to the WTO.

²⁰⁴ See [WT/Let/1765](#).

Acceptances

	<i>Acceptance</i>	<i>Entry into Force</i>	<i>Notification</i>
Albania	23 Oct 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1633
Antigua and Barbuda	3 Apr 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1734
Argentina	22 July 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1758
Australia	23 Oct 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1634
Bahrain, Kingdom of	28 Apr 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1740
Barbados	14 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1653
Belize	16 Jun 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1616
Benin	19 July 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1707
Burkina Faso.....	16 Oct 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1718
Botswana	23 Oct 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1639
Brazil.....	15 Sep 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1764
Brunei Darussalam	26 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1658
Cabo Verde	26 Jan 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1650
Cambodia	6 May 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1698
Cameroon	16 Dec 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1723
Canada	2 May 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1607
Chad	26 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1659
Chile	12 Dec 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1645
China	27 Jun 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1624
Colombia	19 Mar 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1732
Comoros.....	21 Aug 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1713
Costa Rica.....	15 Nov 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1722
Côte d'Ivoire.....	23 Oct 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1635
Cuba	23 Oct 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1636
Democratic Republic of the Congo	11 July 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1754
Dominica	14 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1654
Ecuador	9 Oct 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1716
European Union ²⁰⁵	8 Jun 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1618

²⁰⁵ The text of the instrument of acceptance reads as follows:

"Council of the European Union
General Secretariat

Brussels, 25 May 2023

INSTRUMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,
Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, and in particular Article 207(4), first subparagraph, in conjunction with Article 218(6), second subparagraph, point (a)(v) thereof,
NOTIFIES by these presents the acceptance, by the European Union, of the Protocol Amending the Marrakesh Agreement Establishing the World Trade Organization, as regards the Agreement on Fisheries Subsidies, done at Geneva on 17 June 2022.
The President of the Council of the European Union".

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Fiji.....	24 Oct 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1640
Gabon	12 Jul 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1626
The Gambia.....	13 Dec 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1646
Georgia.....	19 May 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1741
Ghana	2 Jul 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1752
Guatemala.....	10 Mar 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1731
Haiti.....	21 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1657
Hong Kong, China.....	21 Aug 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1629
Iceland.....	10 May 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1609
Israel.....	22 Jan 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1725
Japan	3 Jul 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1625
Jordan	23 Jul 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1709
Kazakhstan	1 Jul 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1721
Kenya	15 Sep 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1764
Korea, Republic of.....	23 Oct 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1637
Kuwait, the State of	22 Oct 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1719
Lao People's Democratic Republic.....	13 May 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1699
Lesotho	20 May 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1748
Macao, China	19 Oct 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1632
Malaysia	26 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1660
Malawi	28 May 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1773
Mali	8 Oct 2025	8 Oct 2025	WT/Let/1746
Mauritania	10 Nov 2025	10 Nov 2025	WT/Let/1772
Mauritius.....	13 May 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1700
Moldova, the Republic of.....	8 Apr 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1735
Montenegro	14 June 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1706
Nepal	18 August 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1761
New Zealand	6 Sep 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1630
New Zealand declares that, consistent with the constitutional status of Tokelau and taking account of the commitment of the Government of New Zealand to the development of self-government for Tokelau through an act of self-determination under the Charter of the United Nations, this Acceptance shall not extend to Tokelau unless and until a Declaration to this effect is lodged by the Government of New Zealand with the Depositary on the basis of appropriate consultation with that territory.			
Nicaragua	2 June 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1747
Nigeria	12 Jun 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1615

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North Macedonia	28 Feb 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1730
Norway.....	26 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1661
Oman	8 Oct 2025	8 Oct 2025	WT/Let/1774
Pakistan.....	20 Mar 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1733
Panama	12 Jun 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1750
Peru.....	19 Jul 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1627
Perú declara que dado que, no es Estado parte de la Convención de las Naciones Unidas sobre el Derecho del Mar de 1982, cualquier mención a dicho tratado y a los espacios marítimos que este consagra en el Acuerdo sobre Subvenciones a la Pesca solamente será aplicable al Perú en aquello que constituya Derecho Internacional consuetudinario o refleje principios generales del Derecho. La presente declaración no tiene por objeto modificar o excluir los efectos jurídicos de las disposiciones del referido Acuerdo, sino busca dejar constancia de la posición del Perú sobre las cuestiones señaladas.			
Philippines.....	27 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1666
Qatar	22 May 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1703
Russian Federation.....	18 Mar 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1693
Rwanda	26 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1662
Saint Kitts and Nevis	7 Nov 2025	7 Nov 2025	WT/Let/1771
Saint Lucia	23 Oct 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1638
Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of.....	26 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1663
Senegal.....	14 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1655
Seychelles.....	10 Mar 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1603
Sierra Leone	19 July 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1708
Singapore	10 Feb 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1602
South Africa.....	1 Mar 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1689
Sri Lanka	6 August 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1759
Switzerland	20 Jan 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1601
Chinese Taipei	18 Feb 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1729
Timor-Leste	30 Aug 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1714
Togo	26 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1664
Tonga	15 Sep 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1764
Türkiye	26 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1665
Ukraine.....	17 Aug 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1628
United Arab Emirates.....	16 May 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1610
United Kingdom (for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland,			

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the Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey and the Isle of Man).....	13 Dec 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1647
United States of America	11 Apr 2023	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1606
Uruguay	14 Feb 2024	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1656
Viet Nam	15 Sep 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1764
Zambia	14 July 2025	15 Sep 2025	WT/Let/1756