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TFAD Trade Facilitation Agreement Database

Bolivia, Plurinational State of

Ratified Agreement: Yes

Ratification Date: 2018-01-30

Implementation Notifications (Categories A, B, C)			Due date	Status
Notified all category ABC designations			by 22 February 2017	Yes
A - 73.5%	B - 13.9%	C - 12.6%	**Not yet notified** - 0.0%	
Notified indicative dates in Category B			by 22 February 2017	Yes
Notified definitive dates in Category B			by 22 February 2018	Yes
Notified indicative dates in Category C			by 22 February 2017	Yes
Notified definitive dates in Category C			by 22 August 2019	Yes
Notified Technical Assistance requirements			by 22 February 2017	Some
Notified arrangements on the provision of technical assistance support			by 22 February 2018	Yes
Notified progress in the provision of technical assistance support			by 22 August 2019	Yes

Transparency notifications			
Notified Art. 1.4	Category A	Definitive implementation date 22 February 2017	Yes
Notified Art. 10.4.3	Category C	Definitive implementation date 22 August 2020	Yes
Notified Art. 10.6.2	Category A	Definitive implementation date 22 February 2017	Yes
Notified Art. 12.2	Category A	Definitive implementation date 22 February 2017	Yes

Information on Assistance and Capacity Building

Notified Art. 22.3	No

Legend: Yes Notification presented | No Notification due | No Notification not yet due

Implementation schedule			Indicative implementation date	Definitive implementation date
1.1	Publication	A		by 22 February 2017
1.2	Information available through internet	A		by 22 February 2017
1.3	Enquiry points	A		by 22 February 2017
1.4	Notification	A		by 22 February 2017
2.1	Comments and information before entry into force	A		by 22 February 2017
2.2	Consultations	B	by 22 February 2019	by 22 February 2019
3	Advance rulings	C	by 22 August 2020	by 22 August 2020
4	Procedures for appeal or review	A		by 22 February 2017
5.1	Notifications for enhanced controls or inspections	A		by 22 February 2017
5.2	Detention	A		by 22 February 2017
5.3	Test procedures	C	by 22 August 2020	by 22 August 2020
6.1	General disciplines on fees and charges	A		by 22 February 2017
6.2	Specific disciplines on fees and charges	B	by 22 February 2019	by 22 February 2019
6.3	Penalty Disciplines	B	by 22 February 2019	by 22 February 2019

Implementation schedule			Indicative implementation date	Definitive implementation date
7.1	Pre-arrival processing	B	by 22 February 2019	by 22 February 2019
7.2	Electronic payment	A		by 22 February 2017
7.3	Separation of release	A		by 22 February 2017
7.4	Risk management	A		by 22 February 2017
7.5	Post-clearance audit	A		by 22 February 2017
7.6	Average release times	B	by 22 February 2019	by 22 February 2019
7.7	Authorized operators	A		by 22 February 2017
7.8	Expedited shipments	B	by 22 February 2019	by 22 February 2019
7.9	Perishable goods	A		by 22 February 2017
8	Border Agency Cooperation	A		by 22 February 2017
9	Movement of goods	A		by 22 February 2017
10.1	Formalities	C	by 22 August 2020	by 22 August 2020
10.2	Acceptance of copies	B	by 22 February 2019	by 22 February 2019
10.3	Use of international standards	A		by 22 February 2017

Implementation schedule			Indicative implementation date	Definitive implementation date
10.4	Single window	C	by 22 August 2020	by 22 August 2020
10.5	Preshipment inspection	A		by 22 February 2017
10.6	Use of customs brokers	A		by 22 February 2017
10.7	Common border procedures	A		by 22 February 2017
10.8	Rejected Goods	A		by 22 February 2017
10.9	Temporary admission of goods and inward and outward processing	A		by 22 February 2017
11	Transit	Ap Bp	from 22 February 2017 to 22 February 2019	from 22 February 2017 to 22 February 2019
12	Customs cooperation	A		by 22 February 2017

Legend

A	Notified in Cat. A	Ap	Partially notified in A		
B	Notified in Cat. B	Bp	Partially notified in B	C»B	Shift from C to B
C	Notified in Cat. C	Cp	Partially notified in C	B»C	Shift from B to C
N	Not yet notified	E	Extension of time requested		

Notifications and other documents

Symbol	Date	Description
G/TFA/N/BOL/2/Rev.1	2025-11-18	Articles 1.4, 10.4.3, 10.6.2, 12.2.2 - Revision

Symbol	Date	Description
G/TFA/N/BOL/3	2025-11-18	Donor arrangements and technical assistance progress
G/TFA/2/BOL/INF/2	2025-11-18	Informe sobre la aplicación del Acuerdo sobre facilitación del comercio
G/TFA/W/121	2025-11-18	Estudio sobre el tiempo necesario para el levante - Bolivia
G/TFA/W/122	2025-11-18	Informe técnico sobre la aplicación del Acuerdo sobre facilitación del comercio - Bolivia
G/TFA/N/BOL/2	2024-09-20	Articles 1.4, 10.4.3, 10.6.2, 12.2.2
G/TFA/2/BOL/INF/1	2024-09-20	Report on the implementation of the Trade Facilitation Agreement
G/TFA/N/BOL/1	2018-01-17	Categories A, B and C notification

Experience Sharing

7.6 - Average release times

Date	Title
22 October 2024 - 24 October 2024	First Time Release Study

Technical Assistance detailled information

3 Advance rulings

C

3.1
3.2 (a), (b)
3.3
3.4
3.5
3.6 (a), (b), (c)
3.7
3.8
3.9 (a) (i), (ii), (i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (c), (d)

Indicative date of implementation
31 December 2020

Definitive date of implementation
22 August 2020

Assistance required for implementation

Cooperation and technical assistance for the implementation of advance rulings, for which it is necessary to:

- acquire knowledge of the procedural framework and guidelines for processing and verifying proper use of advance rulings;
- know the legal and regulatory implications of issuing them;
- draw up regulations, procedures and other instruments for the implementation, period of validity and revocation of advance rulings.

Tags: *Legislative and regulatory framework, Human resources and training*

Donor Agencies: State Secretariat for Economic Affairs of Swtizerland, World Customs Organization

Progress reported

C

5.3.1
5.3.2
5.3.3

Indicative date of implementation
31 December 2022

Definitive date of implementation
22 August 2020

Assistance required for implementation

Implementation of simultaneous inspection centres, fitted with, inter alia, mineral testing and verification laboratories, phytosanitary laboratories and quarantine facilities, in addition to non-intrusive goods inspection methods.

Estimated investment: US$13-16 million.

Tags: *Infrastructure and equipment*

Donor Agencies: to be determined

Progress reported

C

10.1.1 (a), (b), (c), (d)

Indicative date of implementation
31 December 2019

Definitive date of implementation
22 August 2020

Assistance required for implementation

Technical assistance and support to streamline and optimize foreign trade processes and procedures in order to eliminate unnecessary formalities, ensure clear and transparent procedures that meet efficiency targets, incorporate risk management procedures, and are consistent with international standards and international best practice.

Estimated investment: US$1.25 million.

Tags: *Legislative and regulatory framework, Institutional procedures*

Donor Agencies: to be determined

Progress reported

10.4 Single window

C

	Indicative date of implementation	Definitive date of implementation
10.4.1 10.4.2 10.4.3 10.4.4	31 December 2020	22 August 2020

Assistance required for implementation

Donor Agencies: Inter-American Development Bank

Progress reported

Legend

C	Notified in Cat. C	Cp	Partially notified in C	E	Extension of time requested
	Donor arrangement notified		Donor arrangement not yet notified		

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