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Product	Type of Restriction	Estimated Impact on U.S. Trade	Trade Agreement Status	Remarks
<u>Valuation and Taxes</u>				
Nearly all manufactured goods	Turnover tax - 11.11%	Not significant	Legal and negotiable	Tax intended to compensate for taxes applied to like goods when produced and sold domestically.
Motor vehicles	Excise Tax Motor vehicles: 35% on first \$840, 60% of amount over \$840	Not significant	Legal and negotiable	Rates may vary as conditions change. Progressive nature of automobile tax weights more heavily on expensive U.S. models
<u>Health, Sanitary and Safety Restrictions</u>				
Electricity-consuming apparatus including electrical appliances	Rigid electrical standards	Significant, but groups too broad to permit trade summary	Legal but not removable	Appliances must be tested and approved by State Agency. Fifteen European countries recently adopted common safety standards for electrical equipment. Regulations applied for safety purposes.
<u>Other Restrictions</u>				
Alcohol, alcoholic beverages, medicines and pharmaceuticals, fishing gear	State trading	Not significant	Legal when conducted in conformity with GATT Article XVII.	Under certain conditions, government procurement policy may discourage imports.