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Product	Type of Restriction	Estimated Impact on U.S. Trade	Trade Agreement Status	Remarks
<u>Non-Agricultural Quantitative Restrictions</u>				
Roller and ball bearings	Import licensing	Not significant	Legality questionable. No binding	Restriction antedates the GATT. Licenses issued on <u>ad hoc</u> basis.
Second-hand or disposals machinery or equipment and parts for earth-moving or construction purposes	Import licensing	Not significant	Legality questionable. No binding	Restriction antedates the GATT. Licenses issued on <u>ad hoc</u> basis.
Aluminum	Import licensing	Not significant	Legality questionable. No binding	Restriction antedates the GATT. Licenses issued on <u>ad hoc</u> basis.
<u>Valuation and Taxes</u>				
Wide range (several hundred) of industrial and consumer items	Sales tax - 12.5%	Not significant	Legal and negotiable	Sales tax is applied equally to both imports and domestic products. Tax is collected for revenue purposes.
<u>Other Restrictions</u>				
Cellulose acetate flake	Subsidy - 10 pence per pound	Not significant	Legal, no binding	Bounty is payable on sales of flake for use in local manufacture of rayon yarn. Bounty is designed to protect infant industry.