



### Decision No. 16

## Expansion of the export tariff quota for raw sugar and refined sugar applicable to Guatemala within the Free Trade Agreement between the Republic of Guatemala and the Republic of China (Taiwan)

The Administrative Commission of the Free Trade Agreement between the Republic of Guatemala and the Republic of China (Taiwan), because of its faculties and in accordance with articles 17.01 (1), (2) (c), (3) (b) (i) and (ii); and 17.01 (4) of the Agreement,

### DECIDES

To amend Annex 3.04 (2) (b) (c) (d) "Tariff Reduction Schedule" and increase the annual tariff-free quota by an additional 30,000 metric tons for raw sugar and refined sugar.

Therefore, with the increase contained in this Decision, taking into consideration what was agreed in Decision No. 13, "Modification of the raw and refined sugar limit quota of Annex 3.04 of the Free Trade Agreement between the Republic of Guatemala and the Republic of China (Taiwan)", the total quota of said tariff rate quota is 155,000 metric tons of raw sugar and refined sugar originating in the Republic of Guatemala, where refined sugar shall represent no more than 35% of the total quota.

By virtue of the foregoing, the applicable tariff lines for this raw sugar and refined sugar tariff quota are the following:

Description of merchandise	Tariff lines of Republic of China (Taiwan)	Note
Raw sugar	1701.13.00	
	1701.14.00	
	1701.91.10	
Refined sugar	1701.91.20	No more than 35% of the total quota
	1701.99.10	
	1701.99.20	
	1701.99.90	

This Decision is prepared in the Spanish, Chinese and English languages, all versions being equally authentic. In case of discrepancy in the interpretation of this Decision, the English language version shall prevail.

This Decision enters into force thirty (30) days after the Republic of Guatemala and the Republic of China (Taiwan) exchange notification indicating they have completed their respective internal legal procedures necessary for its entry into force.

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