

PROTOCOL I
(Referred to in Article 5.2)

**ABOLITION OF CUSTOMS DUTIES AND CHARGES HAVING
EQUIVALENT EFFECT ON IMPORTS BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF
TURKEY AND THE REPUBLIC OF TUNISIA**

1. Customs duties and charges having equivalent effect on imports applicable in Turkey to products originating in Tunisia shall be abolished upon the entry into force of this Agreement.
2. Customs duties and charges having equivalent effect on imports applicable in Tunisia to products originating in Turkey which are not listed in this Protocol shall be abolished on the date of entry into force of this Agreement.
3. Customs duties and charges having equivalent effect on imports applicable in Tunisia to products originating in Turkey which are listed in this Protocol shall be abolished in accordance with the timetables defined below:
 - a) For the products listed in List I customs duties and charges having equivalent effect shall be reduced as follows:
 - on the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 88% of the basic duty;
 - one year after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 76% of the basic duty;
 - two years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 64% of the basic duty;
 - three years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 52% of the basic duty;
 - four years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 40% of the basic duty;
 - five years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 28% of the basic duty;
 - six years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 16% of the basic duty;
 - seven years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, the remaining duties shall be abolished.
 - b) For the products listed in List II customs duties and charges having equivalent effect shall be reduced as follows:
 - two years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 91% of the basic duty;
 - three years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 78% of the basic duty;

- four years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 65% of the basic duty;
 - five years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 52% of the basic duty;
 - six years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 39% of the basic duty;
 - seven years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 26% of the basic duty;
 - eight years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, each duty and charge shall be reduced to 13% of the basic duty;
 - nine years after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, the remaining duties shall be abolished.
- c) The provisions of Article 3 paragraph (a) and (b) of this Protocol shall not apply to the products appearing in List III. The arrangements provided for the products mentioned in List III shall be re-examined in the Association Committee.