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**MEASURES BY COLOMBIA RELATING TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC:  
ELIMINATION OF APPLIED MFN TARIFFS**

COMMUNICATION BY COLOMBIA

*Addendum*

The following communication, dated 27 May 2021, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Colombia.

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1.1. The Government of Colombia wishes to notify the Members of the World Trade Organization (WTO) of a measure that was recently adopted unilaterally and on a provisional basis, through which the MFN customs duties applied to the products listed in the table in annex are eliminated.

1.2. This reduction in applied MFN customs duties is being adopted to tackle the health emergency caused by the COVID-19 pandemic and to protect human life and health.

1.3. Decree No. 423 of 23 April 2021 of the Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism temporarily sets the reduction to zero percent (0%) of the applied tariff for the importation of certain medical goods and devices.

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**ANEXO<sup>1</sup>**

<b>Códigos del SA 2017 (a nivel de 10 dígitos)</b>	<b>Designación</b>	<b>Medida aplicada al arancel NMF (tipos aplicados)</b>	<b>Fuente</b>	<b>Fechas</b>
2804400000	Productos químicos inorgánicos; compuestos inorgánicos u orgánicos de metal precioso, de elementos radiactivos, de metales de las tierras raras o de isótopos. Hidrógeno, gases nobles y demás elementos no metálicos. Oxígeno.	0%	Decreto No.423 del 23 de abril de 2021.	A partir de abril 23 de 2021
9019200010	Instrumentos y aparatos de óptica, fotografía o cinematografía, de medida, control o precisión; instrumentos y aparatos medicoquirúrgicos; partes y accesorios de estos instrumentos o aparatos. Aparatos de mecanoterapia; aparatos para masajes; aparatos de psicotecnia; aparatos de ozonoterapia, oxigenoterapia o aerosolterapia, aparatos respiratorios de reanimación y demás aparatos de terapia respiratoria. Aparatos de ozonoterapia, oxigenoterapia o aerosolterapia, aparatos respiratorios de reanimación y demás aparatos de terapia respiratoria. Concentradores de oxígeno.	0%	Decreto No.423 del 23 de abril de 2021.	A partir de abril 23 de 2021

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