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NOTIFICATION

The attached notification concerning new or modified domestic support measures exempt from reduction (**Table DS:2**) was received from the delegation of the **Republic of Slovenia** on 9 September 2002.

Table DS: 2

DOMESTIC SUPPORT: Republic of Slovenia

*Notification under Article 18:3 of the Agreement:
New or modified domestic support measures exempt from reduction*

(1) Full title of measure:

Payments per hectare of agriculture area.

(2) Domestic legislation reference:

Call for application of subventions for agriculture and small enterprises in a local Community Cerklje in Gorenjska region (Official Gazette of Community Cerklje in Gorenjska region, 1/2000, p. 9).

(3) Detailed description of measure with reference to criteria:

Payments are not product-specific since they are not related to any type or volume of production and are introduced on a hectare basis. Support is available to all producers who own agriculture land with a minimum area of two hectares. The purpose of the payments is prevention of overgrowing of the agricultural land by forest.

Notified scheme is in accordance with the requirements of Annex 2 paragraph 5 of the Agreement on Agriculture.

(4) Cost of measure: Year 2000: 44,860 EUR.

(5) Date of entry into effect: 14 February 2000.

(6) Period of application: For the year 2000.

(7) Products to principally benefit (if any individual product(s)):

Measures are allocated in a form of decoupled income support.
