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Committee on Regional Trade Agreements
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NOTIFICATION OF REGIONAL TRADE AGREEMENT

1.	Member(s) notifying: European Union
2.	Date of notification: 25 April 2013
3.	Notification pursuant to <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Article XXIV:7(a) of GATT 1994 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Article V:7(a) of GATS <input type="checkbox"/> Paragraph 4(a) of the Enabling Clause
4.	Parties to the Agreement: Croatia, of the one part; and Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Germany, Estonia, Greece, Spain, France, Ireland, Italy, Cyprus, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxemburg, Hungary, Malta, Netherlands, Austria, Poland, Portugal, Slovenia, Slovak Republic, Finland, Sweden, United Kingdom, Bulgaria, Romania and the European Union, of the other part.
5.	Date of signature: 9 December 2011
6.	Date(s) of entry into Force: 1 July 2013
7.	Brief description of the Agreement: The Treaty concerns the accession of the Republic of Croatia to the European Union, and thus to the Treaty on the European Union, the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union. The EU Treaty is an agreement liberalising, <i>inter alia</i> , trade in services between the parties of the type referred to in paragraph 1 of article V of the GATS.
8.	Text and related schedules, annexes and protocols are: <input type="checkbox"/> submitted to the WTO Secretariat (electronic format) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> available from the following official Internet link(s): http://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=OJ:L:2012:112:0095:0110:EN:PDF