

## SCREENING WITH CROATIA AND TURKEY

### Non-exhaustive list of issues and questions to facilitate preparations for bilateral meetings

#### SPIRIT DRINKS

#### COUNTRY/

#### 1. BASIC INFORMATION

##### 1.1 Production of main spirit drinks (expressed in hectolitres of alcohol):

2002 2003 2004

- wine spirits of CN code 22.08.20
  - whisky of CN code 22.08.30
  - rum of CN code 22.08.40
  - gin/genever of CN code 22.08.50
  - vodka of CN code 22.08.60
  - liqueurs of CN code 22.08.70
  - other spirits of CN code 22.08.90
- (indicate nature of spirits)

##### 1.2 Production structure

- Total number of distilleries engaged in spirit drinks production (broken down per type of spirit drinks)
- Indicate number of distilleries which are state-owned / private owned (the latter further broken down :independent or part of multinationals)
- Breakdown between small-scaled and industrial scaled distilleries (in number and output of spirits production)

##### 1.3 Spirit drinks consumption (if available)

- Spirits drinks consumption per capita per year in liter for 2002, 2003, 2004
- Evolution of consumption and production of main types of spirit drinks of CN code 22.08 over the last 5 years (increases? reductions?)

##### 1.4 Description of Producer Organisations/Similar Organisations in Spirit Drinks Sector (if available)

## **2. MARKET INFORMATION**

- 2.1** What are the actual labelling, packaging and presentation prescriptions for spirit drinks (short description of current domestic regime)?
- 2.2** What are the current quality standards for the main spirits falling under CN code 22.08? Are there specific rules on production methods, sweetening, flavouring, colouring and blending? What are the differences from the standards laid down in EU Regulation 1576/89?
- 2.3** Are there established monitoring and control bodies competent to ensure compliance with legislation on spirit drinks?

## **3. Intellectual property aspects**

- 3.1** Are there specific certificates of origin, of conformity or quality? Or sanitary certificates?
- 3.2** Are there spirit drinks with geographical designations recognised and protected? How are these defined?
- 3.2** how is the WTO TRIPS agreement as regards protection of geographical indications implemented? (specific legislation? ex officio protection? which bodies for the control and enforcement of the protection?)