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Report Highlights:

TH0007. On December 29, 2009, the Minister of Commerce signed the Thai Ministerial Notification Concerning the Tariff Rate Quota (TRQ) for Soybean Meal Imports for 2010. At the same time, the Minister of Finance signed the Ministerial Notification on Import Duties under the WTO Agreements which provides for a 2 percent duty for soybean meal imports in 2010.

On December 29, 2009 the Thai Cabinet's agreement to grant an unlimited amount of soybean meal quota for 2010 became effective after the Minister of Commerce signed the Thai Ministerial Notification Concerning the Tariff Rate Quota (TRQ) for Soybean Meal Imports in 2010. As a result of this action, eight trade associations are now eligible to import soybean meal for 2010. Concurrently, the Minister of Finance signed the Ministerial Notification on Import Duties under the WTO Agreements which provides for a 2 percent duty for soybean meal imports.

Details of the Cabinet's agreement are reported in FAS/Bangkok December 23, 2009 GAIN report ["2010 Soybean Meal In-Quota Amount Unlimited, Tariff Reduced"](#).