

THE HON ANDREW ROBB AO MP

MINISTER FOR TRADE AND INVESTMENT

4 February 2016

Magali Silva Velarde-Álvarez Minister of Foreign Trade and Tourism Peru

Dear Minister

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 4 February 2016, which reads as follows:

"In connection with the signing on 4 February 2016 of the Trans-Pacific Partnership Agreement (the "TPP Agreement"), I have the honour to confirm the following agreement reached between the Government of Peru and the Government of Australia during the course of negotiations of the TPP Agreement regarding the treatment of the term *Pisco Perú*:

- 1. The Australian New Zealand Food Standards Code ("the Code") allows recognition of $Pisco\ Per\'u$ as a product exclusively manufactured in Peru and that no variation of the Code is necessary for such recognition.
- 2. To the extent contemplated in the Code, and subject to Australia's law, Australia shall not permit the sale of any product as *Pisco Perú*, unless it has been manufactured in Peru according to the laws of Peru governing the manufacture of *Pisco Perú* and complies with all applicable Peruvian regulations for the consumption, sale, or export as *Pisco Perú*.

I have the honour to propose that this letter, which is equally authentic in English and Spanish, and your letter of confirmation in reply shall constitute an agreement between Australia and Peru which shall enter into force on the first date on which the TPP Agreement is in force for both Australia and Peru."

I have the further honour to confirm that the above reflects the agreement reached between the Government of Australia and the Government of Peru during the course of negotiations on the TPP Agreement, and that your letter, equally valid in English and Spanish, and this letter in reply shall constitute an agreement between Australia and Peru.

Yours sincerely

Andrew Robb



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The Hon Andrew Robb AO MP Minister for Trade and Investment Australia

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Yours sincerely

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Minister of Foreign Trade and Tourism

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