

- The panel ultimately found that 2 federal and 60 measures in 39 states and Puerto Rico concerning the taxation, distribution, transportation, licensing and listing of Canadian beer, wine and cider were inconsistent with U.S. obligations under the General Agreement. The panel's report was adopted by the contracting parties at the June 19, 1992 GATT Council meeting.
- Consultations were held with the U.S. in Washington on October 8, 1992 to discuss U.S. plans to implement the panel's findings. During that meeting, Canada pressed the U.S. to implement the panel's findings by the summer of 1993. At these consultations, the U.S. indicated the steps it had taken to comply with the panel's recommendations.
- To date, however, little specific action has been taken to remove the discrimination against Canadian beer, wine and cider exports to the U.S.
- Further consultations were held in May 1993 and the matter is raised at each GATT Council meeting. Canada continues to press the appropriate authorities to take the action required to implement the panel's findings at the federal and state levels.