

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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Textiles Surveillance Body

## ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

### Notification under Article 4:4

#### Modification of the Bilateral Agreement between the EEC and Macao

The Textiles Surveillance Body has received from the Commission of the European Communities a notification of a modification to its bilateral agreement with Macao, concluded under Article 4 of the MFA. A new agreed regional restraint has been introduced on imports into Ireland of woven industrial and occupational clothing (Category 76) from Macao for the period 1984 to 1986.<sup>1</sup>

The TSB, pursuant to its procedures regarding bilateral agreements notified under Article 4<sup>2</sup>, has examined the relevant documentation and is forwarding the text of the notification to participating countries for their information.

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<sup>1</sup>The original bilateral agreement and previous modifications are contained in COM.TEX/SB/976, 989, 990, 991 and 992

<sup>2</sup>See COM.TEX/SB/35, Annex B

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AGREED MINUTE

1. A delegation of Macao and a delegation of the European Communities met on 29 October 1984 in Brussels for consultations pursuant to Articles 7 and 16 of the Agreement on trade in textiles initialled on 3 December 1982.
2. As a result of the consultations, Macao agreed to limit its exports of products falling under category 76 to Ireland to the following levels

Category 76  
(tonnes)

	<u>1984</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>1986</u>
Ireland	7	8	9

3. It is the understanding of both parties that the provisions of the Agreement which concerns exports of products subject to quantitative limits established in Annex II shall apply to exports of the products mentioned from 1 January 1984. It is understood that export licences for the category concerned are being issued from 20 September 1984.

For the Delegation of Macao

For the Delegation of the  
European Communities

