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ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification Under Article 2, Paragraph 1

Attached is a notification received by the TSB from GUATEMALA in accordance with paragraph 1 of Article 2 of the Textiles Arrangement. As required by the provisions of this paragraph the TSB is circulating this notification to participating countries in the Arrangement for their information. A summary tabulation of this notification prepared by the secretariat is also attached.

It is to be noted that the TSB, in the light of paragraph 11 of COM.TEX/2, is continuing to examine the notifications received in order to ensure the completeness and adequacy of the information, and is requesting the supply of additional information wherever necessary. Any additional information thus received will also be circulated.

It is, of course, open to any party to the Arrangement to request the TSB or the secretariat to seek any further information or clarification they may wish to have from the parties concerned, or to supply any additional information of relevance. Such information will also be circulated.

Letter No. 1

Geneva, 9 April 1974

On the instructions of the Guatemalan Government, I have the honour to inform you that Guatemala does not at present impose any purely quantitative restrictions on international trade in textiles. I send you the present notification in accordance with the provisions of Article 2 of the Arrangement regarding International Trade in Textiles, which stipulates that participating governments must notify all existing quantitative restrictions to the Textiles Surveillance Body.

Should the occasion arise, I shall again have the honour to communicate with you on this matter.

Letter No. 2^{1/}

Geneva, 29 April 1974

In reference to the letter I sent you on 9 April 1974, I have the honour to inform you that, as stated in that letter, there are no quantitative restrictions in Guatemala and that, by restrictions, we mean all prohibitions or restrictions, including restraint measures of any kind whatsoever, which are not duties, taxes or charges applied on imports or exports of textiles.

^{1/}Reply by Guatemala to a request for clarification.

Notification to the Textiles Surveillance Body Under Article 2(1) by GUATEMALA

Date of notifi- cation	BTN number	Product description	Type of measure applied	Country affected	Levels of imports affected		Effective date of entry	Expiry date	Remarks
					Quantity	Value			
9.4.1974	-	All textile products	No import restrictions, except tariffs	All sources	-	-	-	-	