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ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Amendment to the Bilateral Agreement Between the United States and Thailand

The Textiles Surveillance Body has received a notification from the United States regarding an amendment to its bilateral agreement with Thailand, concluded under Article 4.

The TSB, pursuant to its procedure regarding bilateral agreements notified under Article 42, has examined the relevant documentation and is circulating the text of the notification to participating countries for their information.

 $[\]frac{1}{F}$ For details of the agreement see COM.TEX/SB/411.

 $[\]frac{2}{\text{See}}$ COM.TEX/SB/35, Annex B.

UNITED STATES AND THAILAND AMEND TEXTILE AGREEMENT

The United States and Thailand exchanged letters dated November 3 and November 13, 1978 to amend the existing bilateral textile agreement. The texts of the letters are as follows:

UNITED STATES LETTER

BANGKOK, THAILAND November 3, 1978

Khun Danai Tulalamba Deputy Director General Department of Foreign Trade Ministry of Commerce Bangkok, Thailand

Dear Khun Danai:

I refer to the Agreement between our two Governments relating to trade in cotton, wool, and man-made fiber textiles done in Bangkok October 4, 1978.

I also refer to your letter of September 8, 1978 in which you request changes in certain consultation levels. Accordingly, I wish to propose the following consultation levels for 1978:

Category	<u>Level</u> (Sq. Yds. Equivalent)
313 Sheeting	7,050,000
319 Duck	3,450,000
320 Other Fabric NES	8,500,000

If this proposal is acceptable to your Government, this letter and your letter of confirmation will establish the consultation levels for the 1978 Agreement Year as stated above.

Sincerely yours,

/S/ Don R. Kienzle First Secretary of Embassy

THAI LETTER

Department of Foreign Trade Ministry of Commerce Bangkok, Thailand

November 13, 1978

Mr. Don R. Kienzle
First Secretary
Embassy of the United States
of America

Bangkok

Dear Mr. Kienzle,

Referring to your letter of November 3, 1978, concerning the adjustment of consultation levels for textiles, I would like to confirm my acceptance of the proposed levels for 1978 as follows:

Category	<u>Level</u> (Sq. Yds. Equivalent)
313 Sheeting 319 Duck	7,050,000 3,450,000
320 Other Fabric NES	8,500,000

Your kind cooperation is highly appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

/S/ Danai Tulalamba
Deputy Director General