

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON
TARIFFS AND TRADE

RESTRICTED

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ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Report on the Status of Restrictive Measures as
Requested by the TSB¹ in Accordance
with Article 11, paragraphs 11 and 12

Pursuant to its request¹, the TSB has received from Turkey a report² on the present status of its restrictive measures maintained against textiles. This report has been submitted in accordance with Article 11, paragraphs 11 and 12 of the Arrangement.

The TSB is circulating this notification to participating countries for their information.

¹See COM.TEX/SB/457, paragraph 8.

²For previous submission see COM.TEX/SB/336.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of 10 July 1979, Ref. TS/140-1, concerning restrictions which the participating countries apply to textiles imports, I would like to inform you that there have not been major changes on the status of restrictions on textiles imports maintained by Turkey under Article XVIII:12(b) of GATT, since initially reported with our letter of 24 May 1974, Ref. 202.400.2105.

Accordingly, in the attached text you will find listed only the minor changes, in order to bring up-to-date the text of our original notification and the list annexed thereto.

Please accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration,

(Signed) Kaya G. Toperi,
Counsellor,
Deputy Permanent Representative

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A N N E X

1. Modifications in the original text of notification:

a) Paragraph 1, unnumbered sub-paragraph 2:

- The date of the Turkish import list has to be changed as 1979.
- The date of the Turkish official Gazette where the import list for 1979 was published is 27 January 1979.

b) Paragraph 2, unnumbered sub-paragraph 2:

- In the first sentence where countries with which Turkey has bilateral arrangements are indicated, Bulgaria, Poland, Arab Republic of Egypt, Czechoslovakia, should be deleted.
- Second part of the same sub-paragraph in the parenthesis should be deleted fully.

2. Changes in the list of products annexed to the initial notification :

Products BTN
number

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| - 51.04.11} | Removed from the Liberalization List No.I |
| - 51.04.12} | to be included in the Liberalization List No.II |
| - 59.04.21 | " " " " " |
| - 55.05.11,19 | New quota for this item is \$ 5.000.- |
| - 58.07.10 | " " " " \$ 5.000.- |
| - 58.07.20 | " " " " \$ 5.000.- |
| - 58.07.90 | " " " " \$20.000.- |
| - 59.15 | " " " " \$10.000.- |
| - 59.17.12 | " " " " \$290.000.- |
| - 59.17.21 | " " " " \$15.000.- |
| - 59.17.22,29 | Description of this product should be read as "Felt and Felted Fabrics", thus the last part of the original description should be deleted. |