

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Amendment to the Agreement between the United States and Korea

The Textiles Surveillance Body has received a notification from the United States of an amendment to its^{1/} bilateral agreement with Korea, concluded under Article 4 of the Arrangement.^{2/}

The TSB, pursuant to its procedure regarding bilateral agreements notified under Article 4^{2/}, has examined the relevant documentation and is circulating the text of the notification to the participating countries.

^{1/}For details of the original agreement and previous amendments, see COM.TEX/SB/329, 341, 414 and 526.

^{2/}See COM.TEX/SB/35, Annex B.

Department of State
Washington

14 April 1980

Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to the Agreement between the United States and the Republic of Korea relating to Trade in Cotton, Wool and Man-Made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products effected by exchange of notes 23 December 1977 as amended ("the Agreement").

My Government has discovered two errors in the Agreement. I therefore have the honour to propose that the Agreement be amended as follows:

In Annex C, under Group I, "Category 359 pt. Shoe Uppers (308.3980, 382.3380)" shall be changed to read, "Category 369 pt. Shoe Uppers (386.0410, 386.5010).

In Annex C, under Group II, "Category 359 pt. Other Apparel (Excluding Shoe Uppers)" shall be changed to read, "Category 359 pt. Other Apparel (Excluding Judo and Taekwondo Suits)".

If the foregoing is acceptable to the Government of the Republic of Korea, this note and your Excellency's note of confirmation on behalf of the Government of the Republic of Korea shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

For the Secretary of State:

His Excellency
Yong Shik Kim
Ambassador of the Republic of Korea

Embassy of the Republic of Korea
Washington, D.C.

20 May 1980

Excellency,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of the note of the Secretary of State, dated 14 April 1980 ("the note"), relating to Trade in Cotton, Wool and Man-Made-Fiber Textiles and Textile Products effected by exchange of notes 23 December 1977 as amended ("the Agreement").

I have further the honour to inform your Excellency that the proposals set forth in the note are acceptable to the Government of the Republic of Korea and to confirm on behalf of the Korean Government that the note and this note in reply thereto shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

(signed) Yong Shik Kim
Ambassador

His Excellency
Edmund S. Muskie
Secretary of the Department of State