

**GENERAL AGREEMENT ON  
TARIFFS AND TRADE**

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Textiles Surveillance Body

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Amendment to the Bilateral Agreement between  
the United States and India

The Textiles Surveillance Body has received from the United States a notification of four amendments to its Article 4 agreement with India.<sup>1/</sup>

The TSB, pursuant to its procedure 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> For original agreement and previous amendments see COM.TEX/SB/315, 340, 356, 394, 439, 462, 489, 530, 546, 582, 616, 669, 705 and 726

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

AMENDMENT NO. 1UNITED STATES LETTER

18 March 1982

Mr. Nareshwar Dayal  
Minister (Commerce and Supply)  
Embassy of India  
2107 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20008

Dear Mr. Dayal:

I am writing to you with regard to the Agreement between the United States and India relating to Trade in Cotton, Wool and Man-Made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products, with annexes, effected by exchange of notes on December 30, 1977, as amended, ("the Agreement"), and to your letter of February 9, 1982 concerning exports from India to the United States of products classified in textile categories 335 and 641.

On behalf of my Government, I would like to propose that the consultation levels for the Agreement Year ending December 31, 1982 for categories 335 and 641 be increased as follows:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Current Level</u> (SYE)	<u>Adjusted Level</u> (SYE)
335	700,000	1,200,000
641	700,000	1,500,000

If this proposal is acceptable to your Government, this letter and your letter of confirmation on behalf of your Government shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Sincerely,

*William H. Edgar*

William H. Edgar  
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary  
Trade and Commercial Affairs  
Bureau of Economic and  
Business Affairs

INDIA LETTER

19 March 1982

Mr. William H. Edgar,  
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary,  
Trade and Commercial Affairs,  
Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs,  
Department of State,  
Washington D.C.20520

Dear Mr. Edgar,

I am writing with reference to your letter of March 18, 1982 proposing that the consultation levels for categories 335 and 641 in the Indo-US Textile Agreement be increased for the Agreement year 1982 as follows:-

<u>Category</u>	<u>Current Level</u> (SYE)	<u>Adjusted Level</u> (SYE)
335	700,000	1,200,000
641	700,000	1,500,000

On behalf of my Government, I have the honour to accept this proposal without prejudice to our request for increase made in our letter dated February 9, 1982. Your letter and my response would constitute an amendment of the Indo-US Textile Agreement.

Yours sincerely,

*Narech Dayal*  
( N. Dayal )

AMENDMENT NO. 2

UNITED STATES LETTER

23 March 1982

Mr. Nareshwar Dayal  
Minister (Commerce and Supply)  
Embassy of India  
2107 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20008

Dear Mr. Dayal:

I am writing to you with regard to the Agreement between the United States and India relating to Trade in Cotton, Wool and Man-Made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products, with annexes, effected by exchange of notes on December 30, 1977, as amended, ("the Agreement"), and to our conversations concerning exports from India to the United States of products classified in textile category 331.

On behalf of my Government, I would like to propose that the consultation level for the Agreement Year ending December 31, 1982 for category 331 be increased from 700,000 sye to 1,000,000 sye.

If this proposal is acceptable to your Government, this letter and your letter of confirmation on behalf of your Government shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Sincerely,

*William H. Edgar*

William H. Edgar  
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary  
Trade and Commercial Affairs  
Bureau of Economic and  
Business Affairs

INDIA LETTER

26 March 1982

Mr. William H. Edgar,  
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary,  
Trade and Commercial Affairs,  
Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs,  
Department of State,  
Washington D.C. 20520

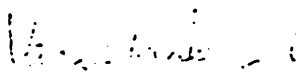
Dear Mr. Edgar,

I am writing with reference to your letter of March 23, 1982 proposing that the consultation level for category 331 in the Indo-US Textile Agreement be increased for the Agreement year 1982 as follows:-

<u>Category</u>	<u>Current level</u> (SYE)	<u>Adjusted level</u> (SYE)
331	700,000	1,000,000

On behalf of my Government, I have the honour to accept this proposal without prejudice to our request for increase made in our letter dated February 22, 1982. Your letter and my response would constitute an amendment of the Indo-US Textile Agreement.

Yours sincerely,

  
(Nareshwar Dayal)

AMENDMENT NO. 3

UNITED STATES LETTER

16 March 1982

Mr. Nareshwar Dayal  
Minister (Commerce and Supply)  
Embassy of India  
2107 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20008

Dear Mr. Dayal:

I am writing to you with regard to the Agreement between the United States and India relating to Trade in Cotton, Wool and Man-Made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products, with annexes, effected by exchange of notes on December 30, 1977, as amended, ("the Agreement"), and to your letter of March 2, 1982 concerning exports from India to the United States of products classified in textile Category 342.

On behalf of my Government, I would like to propose that the consultation level for the Agreement Year ending December 31, 1982 for Category 342 be increased as follows:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Current Level</u>	<u>Adjusted Level</u>
	(SYE)	(SYE)
342	700,000	1,500,000

If this proposal is acceptable to your Government, this letter and your letter of confirmation on behalf of your Government shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Sincerely,

*William H. Edgar*

William H. Edgar  
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary  
Trade and Commercial Affairs  
Bureau of Economic and  
Business Affairs

INDIA LETTER

18 March 1982

Mr. William H. Edgar,  
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary,  
Trade and Commercial Affairs,  
Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs,  
Department of State,  
Washington D.C.20520

Dear Mr. Edgar,

I am writing with reference to your letter of March 16, 1982 proposing that the consultation level for category 342 in the Indo-US Textile Agreement be increased for the Agreement Year 1982 as follows:-

Category

342 (Cotton skirts) - from 700,000 SYE to 1.5 million SYE

On behalf of my Government I have the honour to accept this proposal. Your letter and my response would constitute an amendment of the Indo-US Textile Agreement.

Yours sincerely,

  
( N. Dayal )

AMENDMENT NO. 4UNITED STATES LETTER

31 March 1982

Mr. Nareshwar Dayal  
 Minister (Commerce and Supply)  
 Embassy of India  
 2107 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.  
 Washington, D.C. 20008

Dear Mr. Dayal:

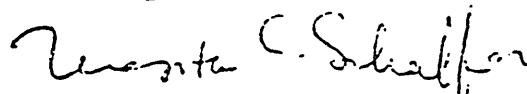
I am writing to you with regard to the Agreement between the United States and India relating to Trade in Cotton, Wool and Man-Made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products, with annexes, effected by exchange of notes on December 30, 1977, as amended, ("the Agreement"), and to our conversations concerning exports from India to the United States of products classified in textile categories 351 and 359.

On behalf of my Government, I would like to propose that the consultation levels for the Agreement Year ending December 31, 1982 for categories 351 and 359 be increased as follows:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Current Level</u> (SYE)	<u>Adjusted Level</u> (SYE)
351	700,000	1,000,000
359	700,000	2,000,000

If this proposal is acceptable to your Government, this letter and your letter of confirmation on behalf of your Government shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Sincerely,



Teresita C. Schaffer, Acting  
 Deputy Assistant Secretary for  
 Trade and Commercial Affairs  
 Bureau of Economic and  
 Business Affairs



INDIA LETTER

7 April 1982

Ms. Teresita C. Schaffer,  
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary  
for Trade and Commercial Affairs,  
Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs,  
Department of State,  
Washington D.C. 20520

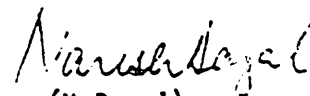
Dear Ms. Schaffer,

I am writing with reference to your letter of March 31, 1982 proposing that the consultation levels for categories 351 and 359 in the Indo-US Textile Agreement be increased for the Agreement year 1982 as follows:-

<u>Category</u>	<u>Current level</u> (SYE)	<u>Adjusted Level</u> (SYE)
351	700,000	1,000,000
359	700,000	2,000,000

On behalf of my Government, I have the honour to accept this proposal without prejudice to our request for increase made in our letter dated March 4, 1982. Your letter and my response would constitute an amendment to the Indo-US Textile Agreement.

Yours sincerely,

  
(N. Dayal)