

**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 TSB in accordance with Article 11<sup>1</sup>

Pakistan

Attached is a report received by the Textiles Surveillance Body from Pakistan concerning the present status of its restrictions on trade in textiles and clothing. This report has been submitted in accordance with Article 11 of the Arrangement, and in particular paragraphs 11, 12 and 2 thereof.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See COM.TEX/SB/783, paragraph 10

<sup>2</sup> The previous report by Pakistan is contained in COM.TEX/SB/6 and Corr. 1, Pakistan's notification under Article 2:1.

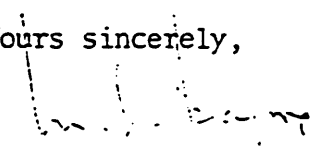
25 January, 1985.

Dear Mr. Raffaelli,

I have the honour to refer to your letter No.TS/140-1, dated 23 July, 1982 and forward herewith the relevant information in respect of Pakistan as required by the TSB in terms of obligations of Article II of the MFA.

2. The missing column viz levels of imports affected in quantity and/or value, effective date of entry and expiry date have been left out as these are not applicable in the case of Pakistan.

Yours sincerely,



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Information Required by the Textile Surveillance Body in Terms of Article II of  
the Multifibre Agreement

List of Cotton Textile Items Importable into Pakistan

S.No.	I.T.C. Heading No.	Product Description	Import Status	Affected Countries
1.	55.01	Cotton, not carded or combed.	Free list	All Sources
2.	55.02	Cotton linters	"	"
3.	55.03	Cotton waste (including pulled or garnetted rags) not carded or combed.	"	"
4.	55.04	Cotton, carded or combed.	"	"
5.	55.05	Cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale.		
		A. Measuring, per single yarn, not more than 14,000 mm per kg.	"	"
		B. Measuring, per single yarn, more than 14,000 m but not more than 40,000 m per kg.	"	"
		C. Measuring, per single yarn, more than 40,000 m but less than 80,000 m per kg.	"	"
		D. Measuring, per single yarn, 80,000 m or more per kg.	"	"
6.	55.06	Cotton yarn, put up for retail sale.	"	"
7.	55.09	Other woven fabrics of cotton the following only:		
		01 Tyre cord fabrics	"	"
		02 Umbrella cloth	"	"
		03 Karakuli cloth	"	"
		04 Lining for garments and fabric/tape for manufacture of typewriter ribbons.		
8.	58.05	Narrow woven fabrics, and narrow fabrics (bolduc) consisting of warp without weft assembled by means of an adhesive, other than goods falling within heading No.58.06:		
		A. Fabrics for the manufacture of ribbons for typewriters, calculating machines & the like.	"	"
		B. Other.		
		01 Of cotton (banding only).	"	"

S.No.	I.T.C. Heading No.	Product Description	Import Status	Affected Countries
9.	59.01	Wadding and articles of wadding; textile flock & dust and mill neps.	Free list	All Sources
10.	59.02	Felt and articles of felt, whether or not impregnated or coated. B. Other 01 Felt other than floor coverings. 02 Articles of felt other than floor coverings.	" " " "	" " "
11.	59.04	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, plaited or not. A. Of cotton.	" "	" "
12.	59.07	Textile fabrics coated with gum or amylaceous substances, of a kind used for the outer covers of books and the like; tracing cloth; prepared painting canvas; buckram and similar fabrics for hat foundations and similar uses, the following only: A. Buckram B. Book binding cloth. C. Tracing cloth	" " "	" " "
13.	59.08	Textile fabrics impregnated coated, covered or laminated with preparations of cellulose derivatives of other artificial plastic materials, the following only:- A. Book binding cloth B. Insulating/wrapping adhesive tapes.	" "	" "
14.	59.11	Rubberised textile fabrics, other than rubberised knitted or crocheted goods. A. Tyre cord fabrics only.	" "	" "
15.	59.12	Textile fabrics otherwise impregnated or coated; painted canvas being theatrical scenery studio backcloths or the like, the following only:- A. Textile fabrics otherwise impregnated or coated. 01 Book binding cloth 02 Other (electric insulating material only).	" " " "	" " "

S.No.	I.T.C. Heading No.	Product Description	Import Status	Affected Countries
16.	59.14	Wicks of woven plaited or knitted textile materials, for kerosine operated refrigerator only.	Free List	All Sources
17.	59.15	Textile hosepiping and similar tubing, with or without lining, armour or accessories of other materials.	"	"
18.	59.17	Textile fabrics and textile articles, of a kind commonly used in machinery or plant.	"	"
19.	60.06	Knitted or crocheted fabric and articles thereof, elastic or rubberised (including elastic knee-caps and elastic stockings), the following only:-  B. Articles. 01 Elastic straps and bands	"	"
20.	61.11	Made accessories for articles of apparel (for example, dress shields, shoulder and other pads, belts, muffs, sleeve protectors pockets).  A. Shoulder pads for garments only.	"	"
21.	62.05	Other made up textile articles (including dress patterns).  A. Polishing cloth.  B. Other (articles for use as parts of domestic electric appliances only.)	"	"
22.	63.01	Clothing, clothing accessories, travelling rugs & blankets, household linen and furnishing articles (other than articles falling within heading No.58.01 58.02 or 58.03), of textile materials, footwear & headgear of any material, showing signs of appreciable wear and imported in bulk or in bales, sacks or similar bulk packings.	"	"
23.	63.02	Used or new rags, scrap twine, cord-age, rope & cables & worn out articles of twine, cordage, rope or cables.	"	"

LIST OF TEXTILE (OTHER THAN COTTON TEXTILE)  
ITEMS IMPORTABLE INTO PAKISTAN

S.No.	I.T.C. Heading No.	Product Description	Import Status	Affected Countries
1.	50.01	Silk-worm cocoons suitable for reeling.	Free list	All Sources
2.	50.02	Raw silk (not thrown).	"	"
3.	50.03	Silk waste(including cocoons unsuitable for reeling, sild noils and pulled or garnetted rags).	"	"
4.	50.04	Silk yarn, other than yarn or noil or other waste silk, not put up for retail sale.	"	"
5.	50.05	Yarn spun from noil or other waste silk not put up for retail sale.	"	"
6.	50.07	Silk yarn & yarn spun from noil or other waste silk, put up for retail sale; silk-worm gut; imitation catgut or silk.	"	"
7.	50.09	Taffeta, striped.	"	"
8.	51.01	Yarn of man-made fibres (continuous), not put up for retail sale, excluding yarns of regenerated fibres of above 100 deniers.	"	"
9.	51.02	Monofil, strip (artificial straw and the like) and imitation catgut, of man-made fibre materials.	"	"
10.	51.03	Yarn of man-made fibres (continuous), put up for retail sale.		
		A. Of continuous synthetic fibres.		
		01 Polyamide	F.L. & T.L.	"
		02 Polyester	F.L. & T.L.	"
		03 Other	F.L. & T.L.	"
		B. Of continuous regenerated fibres, excluding yarns of above 100 deniers.		
		01 Viscose	F.L. & T.L.	"
		02 Acetate	F.L. & T.L.	"
		03 Cuprammonium	F.L. & T.L.	"
		04 Other	F.L. & .L.	"

S.No.	I.T.C. Heading No.	Product Description	Import Status	Affected Countries
11.	51.04	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (continuous), including woven fabrics of monofil or strip of heading No.51.01 or 51.02	Free List	All sources
		A. Tyre cord fabric of continuous synthetic textile materials.	"	"
		B. Fabrics containing 85% or more by weight of continuous synthetic textile materials, other than tyre cord fabric, the following only:		
		01 Karakuli cloth	"	"
		02 Umbrella cloth	"	"
		03 Taffetta, striped.	"	"
		C. Fabrics of continuous synthetic textile materials, containing less than 85% by weight of such materials, other than tyre cord fabric, the following only:		
		01 Karakuli cloth	"	"
		02 Umbrella cloth	"	"
		03 Taffeta, striped	"	"
		D. Tyre cord fabric of continuous regenerated textile materials.	"	"
		E. Fabrics containing 85% or more by weight of continuous regenerated textile materials, other than tyre cord fabric, the following only:		
		01 Karakuli cloth	"	"
		02 Umbrella cloth	"	"
		03 Taffeta, striped.	"	"
12.	52.01	Metalised yarn, being textile yarn spun with metal or covered with metal by any process, excluding yarn spun/covered with gold or a more precious metal.	"	"
13.	53.01	Sheep's or lamb's wool, not carded or combed.	"	"
14.	53.02	Other animal hair (fine or coarse), not carded or combed.	"	"

S.No.	I.T.C. Heading No.	Product Description	Import Status	Affected Countries
15.	53.03	Waste of sheep's or lamb's wool or of other animal hair (fine or coarse), not pulled or garnetted.	Free List	All Sources
16.	53.04	Waste of sheeps' or lambs' wool or of other animal hair (fine or coarse), pulled or garnetted (including pulled or garnetted rags).	"	"
17.	53.05	Sheep's or lambs' wool or other animal hair (fine or coarse), carded or combed.	"	"
18.	53.06	Yarn of carded sheep's or lambs' wool (woollen yarn) not put up for retail sale.	"	"
19.	53.07	Yarn of combed sheep's lambs' wool (worsted yarn), not put up for retail sale.	"	"
20.	53.08	Yarn of fine animal hair (carded or combed), not put up for retail sale.	"	"
21.	53.09	Yarn of horsehair or of other coarse animal hair, not put up for retail sale.	"	"
22.	53.10	Yarn of sheep's or lambs' wool, of horsehair or of other animal hair (fine or coarse), put up for retail sale.		
		A. Containing 85% or more by weight of wool or fine animal hair:		
		01 Knitting yarn	Tied List	"
		02 Other		
		(a) Of sheep's or lambs' wool	Free List	"
		B. Other		
		01 Knitting yarn	Tied List	"
		02 Other		
		(a) Of sheep's or lambs' wool	Free List	"
		(b) Other		
23.	53.11	Woven fabrics of sheep's or lambs' wool or of fine animal hair, the following only:		
		01 Karakuli cloth	"	"
		02 Of alpaca hair for lining garments.	"	"
		03 Other, for lining garments only.	"	"



S.No.	I.T.C. Heading No.	Product Description	Import Status	Affected Countries
24.	54.01	Flax, raw or processed but not spun, flax tow and waste (including pulled or garnetted rags).	Free List	All Sources
25.	54.02	Ramie, raw or processed but not spun; ramie noils & waste (including pulled or garnetted rags).	"	"
26.	54.03	Flax or ramie yarn, not put up for retail sale.	"	"
27.	54.04	Flax or ramie yarn, put up for retail sale.	"	"
28.	56.01	Man-made fibres (discontinuous), not carded, combed or otherwise prepared for spinning, excluding regenerated fibres.	"	"
29.	56.04	Man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), carded, combed or otherwise prepared for spinning, excluding regenerated fibres.	"	"
30.	56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), not put up for retail sale, excluding yarns of regenerated fibres of above 100 deniers.	"	"
31.	56.06	Yarn of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), put up for retail sale, excluding yarns of regenerated fibres of above 100 deniers.	"	"
32.	56.06	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), the following only. 01 Karakuli cloth 02 Taffeta, striped 03 Umbrella cloth	" " "	" " "
3.	57.01	True hemp ("Cannabis sativa"), raw or processed but not spun; tow and waste of true hemp (including pulled or garnetted rags or ropes).	"	"
34.	57.02	Manila hemp (abaca) ("Musa textiles"), raw or processed but not spun; tow and waste of manila hemp (including pulled or garnetted rags or ropes).	"	"
35.	57.03	Jute & other textile bast fibres not elsewhere specified or included, raw or processed but not spun; tow and waste thereof (including pulled or garnetted rags or ropes).	"	"

S.No.	I.T.C. Heading No.	Product Description	Import Status	Affected Countries
36.	57.04	Other vegetable textile fibres, raw or processed but not spun; waste of such fibres (including pulled or garnetted rags or ropes).	Free List	"
37.	57.06	Yarn of jute	"	"
38.	57.07	Yarn of other vegetable textile fibres; paper yarn.	"	"
39.	57.10	Woven fabrics of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No. 57.03, the following only:- A. Of jute 01 Hessian 02 Other	" " "	" " "
40.	58.05	Fabrics for the manufacture of ribbons for typewriters.	"	"
41.	59.01	Wadding and articles of wadding; textile flock and dust and mill neps. A. Rolls of wadding for cigarette filter tips. B. Other.	" " "	" " "
42.	59.02	Felt & articles of felt, whether or not impregnated or coated. B. Other 01 Felt other than floor coverings. 02 Articles of felt.	" " "	" " "
43.	59.03	Bonded fibre fabrics, similar bonded yarn fabrics, and articles of such fabrics, whether or not impregnated or coated.	"	"
44.	59.04	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, plaited or not. B. Of coir C. Of sisal D. Of manila hemp E. Of jute F. Of polyamide (nylon and similar products). G. Other (specified items only).	" " " " " " "	" " " " " "

S.No.	I.T.C. Heading No.	Product Description	Import Status	Affected Countries
45.	59.05	Nets and netting made of twine, cordage or rope, and made up fishing nets of yarn, twine, cordage or rope.	Free List	All Sources
46.	59.06	Other articles made from yarn, twine, cordage, rope or cables other than textile fabrics and articles made from such fabrics of jute only.	"	"
47.	59.07	Textile fabrics coated with gum or amylaceous substances, of a kind used for the outer covers of books and the like; tracing cloth; prepared painting canvas; buckram and similar fabrics for hat foundations and similar uses.		
		A. Buckram	"	"
		B. Book binding cloth	"	"
		C. Tracing cloth	"	"
48.	59.08	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated covered or laminated with preparations of cellulose derivatives or of other artificial plastic materials.		
		A. Book binding cloth	"	"
		B. Insulating and wrapping adhesive tapes.	"	"
49.	59.11	Rubberised textile fabrics, used as tyre cord fabric.	"	"
50.	59.12	Textile fabrics otherwise impregnated or coated, the following only:		
		01 Book binding cloth	"	"
		02 Of a kind used in electric insulation.	"	"
51.	59.14	Wicks, of woven, plaited or knitted textile materials for kerosene-operated refrigerators.	"	"
52.	59.15	Textile hosepiping and similar tubing, with or without lining, armour or accessories of other materials.	"	"
53.	59.16	Transmission, conveyor or elevator belts or belting, of textile material, whether or not strenghtened with metal or other material; except hair and rubber belts/belting.	"	"

S.No.	I.T.C. Heading No.	Product Description	Import Status	Affected Countries
54.	59.17	Textile fabrics and textile articles, or a kind commonly used in machinery or plant.	Free List	All Sources
55.	60.06	Elastic straps and bands for garments.	"	"
56.	61.11	Made up accessories for articles of apparel (for example, dress shields, shoulder and other pads, belts, muffs, sleeve protectors, pockets).	"	"
		A. Shoulder pads for garments only.	"	"
57.	62.03	Jute sacks and bags and woven propylene bags.	"	"
58.	62.05	Other made up textile articles including dress patterns).		
		A. Polishing cloth.	"	"
		B. Other (articles for use as parts of domestic electric appliances only).	"	"
59.	63.01	Clothing, clothing accessories, travelling rugs and blankets, household linen and furnishing articles (other than articles falling within heading No.58.01, 58.02 or 58.03), of textile materials, footwear and headgear of any material, showing signs of appreciable wear and imported in bulk or in bales, sacks or similar bulk packings.	"	"
60.	63.02	Used or new rags, scrap twine, cordage, rope and cables and worn out articles or twine, cordage, rope or cables.	"	"

Note : Import of all other textile items is not permissible. Pakistan's import restriction on textiles, alongwith restriction on other imports are maintained for balance of payment reasons and these restrictions have been examined and approved by the Committee on Balance of Payments of the GATT. Details of various measures are described in Pakistan's Import Policy Order published annually by the Ministry of Commerce, Government of Pakistan.