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ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Extension of Agreements between Sweden and the Philippines, and Sweden and Pakistan

The Textiles Surveillance Body has received a notification from Sweden, concerning the further provisional extension of its bilateral agreements with the Philippines and Pakistan until 31 October 1983 and 31 March 1984 respectively. These extensions have been made pending the conclusion of new agreements between the parties concerned.

The TSB is forwarding the text of the notification to participating countries for their information.

The bilateral agreement with the Philippines and the previous extension are contained in COM.TEX/SB/683 and 837. The bilateral agreement with Pakistan is contained in COM.TEX/SB/842.

 $^{^2}$ Observations by the TSB on these extensions are contained in COM.TEX/SB/903.

Geneva, 5 October 1983

Ambassador M Raffaelli Chairman Textiles Surveillance Body GATT Centre William Rappard 154, rue de Lausanne 1211 GENEVA 21

Dear Mr Ambassador,

This is to inform you that an understanding has been reached between the Philippines and Sweden on a further prolongation of the agreement on trade in textiles for a period of four months ending 31 October 1983.

A similar arrangement has also been agreed upon with Pakistan for a period of nine months ending 31 March 1984.

These prolongations have been agreed upon between the parties in order to afford additional time for consultations on new agreements.

Yours sincerely,

Hans V. Ewerlöf

Ambassador

Permanent Representative