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ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN COTTON TEXTILES

Action Taken by the United States under Articles 3 and 6(c)

The following communication has been received by the Director-General from the United States mission.

I am transmitting, for notification to the Cotton Textiles Committee, the following summary of action taken by the United States Government under the Long-Term Arrangement Regarding International Trade in Cotton Textiles (LTA), with respect to restraints of cotton textile exports from Malaysia to the United States.

On 27 August 1968, the Government of the United States notified the Government of Malaysia of the renewal of Article 3 restraint on Malaysian textiles in Category 45. The original request for restraint under Category 45 was made by the United States on 30 August 1966. It was renewed last year under terms expiring on 29 August 1968. The notification of 27 August 1968 stipulates a restraint level of 83,973 dozen for Category 45 for the twelve-month period beginning 30 August 1968. This level provides for a 5 per cent growth over the previous year.

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