

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON
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ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN COTTON TEXTILES

Bilateral Agreement between the United States and Malta¹

Attached is the text of the United States note extending the bilateral agreement between Malta and the United States.²

The text of this note has been transmitted to the Director-General by the United States mission for notification to the Cotton Textiles Committee.

¹Not party to the Cotton Textiles Arrangement

²See COT/80

30 December 1970

Excellency:

I have the honour to refer to the cotton textile agreement between our two Governments effected by an exchange of notes dated 14 June 1967 and to recent discussions in Washington between representatives of our two Governments concerning exports of cotton textiles from Malta to the United States.

As a result of these discussions, I propose that the aforementioned agreement be amended by changing "1970" in paragraph 1 to "1971".

If this proposal is acceptable to the Government of Malta, this note and your note of acceptance on behalf of the Government of Malta shall constitute an agreement between our Governments, extending the agreement of 14 June 1967.

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

For the Secretary of State:
(Signed) Julius L. Katz

His Excellency Dr. Arvid Pardo,
Ambassador of Malta