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The following communication is circulated at the request of the delegation of Austria.

Upon instructions by the competent Austrian authorities I have the honour to notify to you the recently initiated second major stage¹ in the Austrian scheme of generalized preferences.

The necessary legislative action by the Austrian Parliament for this second major stage in the implementation of Resolution 21/II of the second United Nations Conference on Trade and Development has already taken place. The improvements contained therein will come into force on 1 January 1975, this date being due to the extensive technical preparations involved in any tariff measure of that amplitude. A copy of the amendments in question as published in the Austrian Federal Gazette (Bundesgesetzblatt No. 473/1974) is attached.

As to the substance of these improvements I should like to inform you that the new stage contains further tariff cuts for a great number of products falling in BTN Chapters 1 to 24 already included in the Austrian scheme such as some fishery products, pineapples, almonds, packed tea, products of certain vegetable materials, cocoa powder and some fruit preparations. In addition, a substantial number of items not yet included will also undergo important preferential tariff cuts. Among these items are: herrings, olives, capers, oranges, mandarines and clementines, other fruit such as papayas, pyrethrum extracts, certain animal fats, tinned fish and tinned

¹The first stage of the GSP scheme of Austria, including the rules of origin applying to the scheme, is contained in L/3697.

pineapples. Many of these newly included items are of special export interest to the least developed among the developing countries. Thus the various resolutions of UNCTAD concerning this group of countries as well as the "Special Treatment" of the least developed as envisaged in the Tokyo Declaration of September 1973 are being positively responded to by the new stage of the Austrian scheme.

Altogether, the number of agricultural items which was 113 tariff lines will be brought to 148 tariff lines.

From the very outset of the introduction of the GSP it has been the intention of Austria to keep the number of exemptions in EFTA Chapters 25 to 99 as small as possible. The second stage of the Austrian scheme will make a further and most important step in this direction. It is envisaged that practically all existing exemptions in the textile sector, that is to say in Chapters 50 to 62 and 65, will be abolished. Thus practically the whole cotton textiles sector is to be included in the Austrian scheme. Rather than continuing to completely exempt cotton textiles from the Austrian scheme or only to slightly reduce the number of exemptions, the preferential margin in the whole textile sector will be somewhat smaller than for the rest of the industrial items, namely 35 per cent. For all other items in Chapters 25 to 99 the preferential tariff cut will be increased from 30 per cent to 50 per cent. In introducing this second major stage of its scheme the Austrian Federal Government believes it is making a further contribution towards bringing about a substantial increase of export earnings of developing countries.

Finally, I should like to inform you that the improvements of this second major stage will not be applied vis-à-vis four countries, namely Greece, Portugal, Spain and Turkey. These countries will, however, continue to benefit from the first stage of the preferential scheme of Austria.

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Federal Act of 10 July 1974
Amending the Tariff Preference Act
(Tariff Preference Amendment Act 1974)

Article I

The Tariff Preference Act, B9Bl Federal Gazette No. 93/1972, as amended by the Federal Act published in B9Bl No. 652/1973, is amended in the following respects:

1. Section 2, subsection 2, shall read:

"(2) In respect of goods in chapters 25 to 99 of the Customs Tariff, with the exception of the goods specified in annex B, part I, which forms an integral part of this Act, preferential duties shall be charged at a specific percentage of the basic rates of customs duty. This percentage shall be

1. as regards products originating in the beneficiary countries mentioned in Group I of annex C,

(a) 65 per cent on goods in chapters 50 to 62 and 65 of the Customs Tariff

(b) 50 per cent on goods in the other chapters concerned;

2. as regards products originating in the beneficiary countries mentioned in Group II of annex C, with the exception of the goods specified in annex B, part II, 70 per cent.

For the purpose of computing the preferential rates of duty, fractions of ad valorem rates of duty in excess of 0.05 per cent and fractions of rates of duty expressed in schillings which exceed S 0.05 shall be rounded up to the first decimal position or, in other cases, rounded down to the first decimal position."

2. Annexes A, B and C of the Tariff Preference Act are replaced by annexes A, B and C to the present Federal Act.

Article II

- (1) This Federal Act shall enter into force on 1 January 1975.
- (2) The Federal Minister of Finance shall be responsible for carrying this Act into effect.

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Annex A

List of the products in chapters 1 to 24 of the Customs Tariff which are eligible for preferential tariff treatment, and the rates of the preferential duties.

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
02.01	Meat and edible offals of the animals falling within headings Nos. 01.01 to 01.04, fresh, chilled or frozen:		
	B. Other		
	ex 2 Edible offals of sheep and goats	5%	-
02.04	Meat and edible offals of animals falling within heading No. 01.06, fresh, chilled or frozen:		
	B. Of other animals:	S 75.-	-
	ex B whale meat	free	-
	ex B game, other than feather game	2%	-
03.02	Fish, dried, salted or in brine; smoked fish, whether or not cooked before or during the smoking process:		
	A. Smoked	S 125	S 150
	ex 1. salmon, not in airtight containers	3%	5%
	2. Kippered herring (salted and smoked herring without any addition) in airtight containers	S 40	S 60
	D. Other:		
	1. In immediate containers con- taining 15 kg. or less:		
	Herring in brine, not in air- tight containers	free	-
	other	12%	-

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
2. Other:			
	Herring in brine, not in airtight containers	Free	-
	Other	5%	
03.03	Crustaceans and molluscs, whether in shell or not, fresh (live or dead), chilled, frozen, salted, in brine or dried; crustaceans, in shell, simply boiled in water:		
	Shrimps, frozen, shelled	Free	S 1,000
	Other	S 500	S 1,000
ex 03.03	Shrimps, whether in shell or not, fresh (live or dead), chilled, frozen, salted or in brine	Free	7%
ex 04.07	So-called salangenes' nests	Free	Free
05.03	Horsehair and horsehair waste, whether or not put up on a layer or between two layers of other material:		
B. Curled:			
	1. In locks or plaits	2%	4%
	2. Put up on a layer or between two layers of other material	3%	6%
05.07	Skins and other parts of birds, with their feathers or down, feathers and parts of feathers (whether or not with trimmed edges) and down, not further worked than cleaned, disinfected or treated for preservation; powder and waste of feathers or parts of feathers:		
A. Bed feathers, and down:			
	3. Other	7%	7%

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % ad valorem or in schilling per 100 kg on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
05.08	Bones and horn-cores, unworked, defatted, simply prepared but not cut to shape, treated with acid or degelatinised; powder and waste of these products:		
	A. Bone powder	2%	2%
05.13	Natural sponges:		
	A. In the natural state, neither worked nor washed	Free	Free
	B. Other	Free	Free
05.15	Animal products not elsewhere specified or included; dead animals of chapter 1 or chapter 3, unfit for human consumption		
	A. Blood meal	3%	3%
07.01	Vegetables, fresh or chilled		
	A. Other	S 5.00	-
07.03	Vegetables provisionally preserved in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions, but not specially prepared for imme- diate consumption:		
	A. Olives	5%	-
	ex A. Olives in brine	S 35.00	-
	B. Capers	5%	-

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
07.04	Dried, dehydrated or evaporated vegetables, whole, cut, sliced, broken or in powder, but not further prepared:		
	A. Truffles	12%	-
	B. Olives	12%	-
	ex B. Dried olives	S 40.00	-
08.01	Dates, bananas, coconuts, Brazil nuts, cashew nuts, pineapples, avocados, mangos, guavas and mangosteens, fresh or dried, shelled or not:		
	A. Dates	6%	6%
	B. Bananas:		
	1. Fresh	Free	Free
	2. Dried	Free	Free
	C. Pineapples	Free	S 25.00
	D. Brazil nuts and cashew nuts:		
	1. Brazil nuts	Free	Free
	E. Other	Free	Free
08.02	Citrus fruit, fresh or dried		
	A. Oranges	Free	-
	B. Mandarines and clementines	Free	-
	D. Grapefruit	S 10.00	S 20.00
	E. Other	Free	S 5.00

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in shilling per 100 kg on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
08.03	Figs, fresh or dried		
	B. Dried	S 5.00	S 5.00
	ex B. In boxes	5%	5%
08.05	Nuts other than those falling within heading No. 08.01, fresh or dried, shelled or not:		
	A. Almonds	2%	2%
	ex A. Almonds, dried:	S 15.00	S 25.00
	1. Unshelled		
	2. Shelled:		
	b. Other	S 30.00	S 50.00
	C. Hazel nuts:		
	1. Unshelled	S 20.00	S 20.00
	2. Shelled	S 30.00	S 30.00
	D. Chestnuts (edible)	S 10.00	S 15.00
	E. Pine kernels	Free	2%
	F. Other	Free	-
08.07	Stone fruit, fresh		
	F. Other	S 5.00	-
08.09	Other fruit, fresh		
	B. Other	Free	-
08.10	Fruit preserved by freezing, not containing added sugar	15%	15%

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
08.12	Fruit, dried (other than that falling within headings Nos. 08.01 to 08.05)		
	B. Other		
	3. Other, air-dried or oven- dried, not blanched	Free	..
08.13	Peel of melons and citrus fruit, fresh, frozen, dried or provisionally preserved in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions	Free	Free
09.01	Coffee, whether or not roasted or freed of caffeine; coffee husks and skins; coffee substitutes containing coffee in any proportion:		
	A. Not roasted	Free	Free
	B. Roasted	20%	20%
09.02	Tea		
	A. In separate packings not con- taining more than 3 kg.*	3%	5%
09.03	Maté	Free	Free

*The note for heading No. 09.02 in the Customs Tariff is not to be applied.

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		Group I	Group II
09.04	Pepper of the genus 'Piper'; pimento of the genus 'Capsicum' or the genus 'Pimenta':		
	A. Pepper of the genus 'Piper':		
	1. Unground	12%	12%
	2. Ground or otherwise crushed	21%	21%
	B. Pimento of the genus 'Capsicum':		
	2. Ground or otherwise crushed	10%	10%
	C. Jamaica pimento and other pimento of the genus 'Pimenta':		
	1. Unground	12%	12%
	2. Ground or otherwise crushed	16%	16%
09.05	Vanilla:		
	A. Unground	S 1,680.00	S 1,680.00
	B. Ground or otherwise crushed	S 1,680.00	S 1,680.00
09.06	Cinnamon and cinnamon-tree flowers:		
	A. Unground	12%	12%
	B. Ground or otherwise crushed	18%	18%
09.07	Cloves (whole fruit, cloves and stems):		
	A. Unground	10%	10%
	B. Ground or otherwise crushed	18%	18%

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
09.05	Nutmeg, mace and cardamoms:		
	A. Unground		
	1. Cardamoms	6%	6%
	2. Nutmeg and mace	9%	9%
	B. Ground or otherwise crushed		
	1.. Cardamoms	7%	7%
	2. Nutmeg and mace	14%	14%
09.09	Seeds of anise, badian, fennel, coriander, cumin, caraway and juniper:		
	A. Badian seeds:		
	1. Unground	14%	14%
	2. Ground or otherwise crushed	18%	18%
	B. Other:		
	1. Unground	2%	2%
	2. Ground or otherwise crushed	6%	6%
09.10	Thyme, saffron and bay leaves; other spices:		
	A. Thyme and bay leaves:		
	1. Unground	8%	8%
	2. Ground or otherwise crushed	12%	12%
	B. Saffron:		
	1. Unground	10%	10%
	2. Ground or otherwise crushed	14%	14%

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
09.10 (cont'd)	C. Ginger:		
	1. Unground	12%	12%
	2. Ground or otherwise crushed	21%	21%
	D. Other		
	1. Curry powder	10%	10%
	2. Other	S 2,250.00	S 2,250.00
ex 11.04	Flours of the fruits falling within any heading in chapter 8:		
	- Flour of bananas	5%	5%
	- Ground citrus fruit peel	S 5.00	S10.00
12.01	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruit, whole or broken		
	C. Oil poppy seeds and poppy seeds, including ripe poppy heads	S 30.00	S 40.00
12.04	Sugar beet, whole or sliced, fresh, dried or powdered; sugar cane:		
	B. Sugar cane	Free	Free
13.03	Vegetable saps and extracts; pectic substances, pectinates and pectates; agar-agar and other mucilages and thickeners, derived from vegetable products:		
	ex B. Vegetable extracts:		
	Pyrethrum extract	Free	-

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
14.02	Vegetable materials, whether or not put on a layer or between two layers of other material, of a kind used primarily as stuffing or as padding (for example, kapok, vegetable hair and eel-grass):		
	A. Kapok:		
	1. Put up on a layer or between two layers of other materials	Free	6%
	B. African vegetable hair:		
	1. Put up on a layer or between two layers of other materials	Free	6%
	C. Other:		
	1. Put up on a layer or between two layers of other materials	Free	6%
14.03	Vegetable materials of a kind used primarily in brushes or in brooms (for example, sorgho, piassava, couchgrass and istle), whether or not in bundles or hanks:		
	A. Istle:		
	1. Curled or in bundles	Free	4%
	2. Put up on a layer or between two layers of other materials	Free	6%
14.05	Vegetable products not elsewhere specified or included:		
	A. Alfa and esparto:		
	1. Put up on layer or between two layers of other materials	Free	6%

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
14.05 (cont'd)	B. Other:		
	1. Put up on a layer or between two layers of other materials	Free	6%
15.04	Fats and oils, of fish and marine mammals, whether or not refined:		
	A. Cod liver oil:		
	2. In containers of less than 1 litre	5%	5%
15.06	Other animal oils and fats (including neat's-foot oil and fats from bones or waste):		
	A. Bone fat	Free	Free
ex 15.08	Animal and vegetable oils, boiled, oxidized, dehydrated, sulphurized, blown or polymerized, or otherwise modified:		
	Castor oil, dehydrated or blown	5%	-
15.09	Degras	Free	4%
15.11	Glycerol and glycerol lyes:		
	A. Crude glycerol, including glycerol lyes	Free	Free
	B. Purified glycerol	8%	8%
15.12	Animal or vegetable oils and fats, wholly or partly hydrogenated, or solidified or hardened by any other process, whether or not refined, but not further prepared:		
	B. Other		
	ex 1. In separate packings not con- taining more than 5 kg., exclusively of fish or marine mammals	Free	-

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg. on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
15.12 (cont'd)	ex 2. Other: Exclusively of fish or marine mammals	Free	-
15.15	Beeswax and other insect waxes, whether or not coloured B. Other	Free	3%
16.02	Other prepared or preserved meat or meat offal: A. Of sheep or goats	20%	20%
16.04	Prepared or preserved fish, including caviar and caviar substitutes: A. Caviar and caviar substitutes 1. Caviar 2. Caviar substitutes B. Other: 1. In airtight containers: (a) Fish (except anchovies and preparations of the anchovy kind, of all kinds), in oil only (b) Other 1. Fish, cooked or smoked, in sauce, in mayonnaise, in remoulade sauce, or otherwise, not in jelly 2. Fish, cooked or smoked, in their own juice	15% S 500.00 Free Free	23% S 750.00 - -

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg. on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
16.04 (cont'd)	2. Otherwise put up:		
	(a) Fish (except anchovies and preparations of the anchovy kind, of all kinds), in oil only	7%	-
	ex (b) Other:		
	Fish meat, fried in bread crumbs, frozen	Free	-
16.05	Crustaceans and molluscs, prepared or preserved	10%	15%
18.01	Cocoa beans, whole or broken, raw or roasted		
	A. Raw, in the bean	Free	Free
	B. Other	5%	5%
18.02	Cocoa shells, husks, skins and waste	Free	Free
18.03	Cocoa paste (in bulk or in block), whether or not defatted	Free	Free
18.04	Cocoa butter (fat or oil)	Free	Free
18.05	Cocoa powder, unsweetened	7%	14%
20.01	Vegetables and fruit, prepared or preserved by vinegar, or acetic acid, with or without sugar, whether or not containing salt, spices or mustard:		
	A. Truffles	5%	11%
	C. Other:		
	ex 2. Other:		
	a. Capers	S 50.00	S 80.00
	c. Fruit and nuts falling within heading No. 08.01, not prepared or preserved with sugar	Free	S 40.00

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg. on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
20.06 (cont'd)	2. Grapefruit, preserved in airtight containers	6%	12%
	5. Fruit and nuts falling within heading No. 08.01, preserved in airtight containers:		
	a. Pineapple and guavas	6%	12%
	b. Other, not containing added sugar	4% + S 140.00 per 100 kg.	4% + S 140.00 per 100 kg.
20.07	Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, whether or not containing added sugar, but unfermented and not containing spirit:		
	A. Concentrated juices:		
	ex 3. Juices of fruits of heading No. 08.01 and sub-headings No. 08.02 D and E:		
	a. In containers of a capacity of 20 litres or more:		
	1. Of fruit and nuts of heading No. 08.01	S 60.00	S 60.00
	b. In other containers	S 180.00	S 180.00
	B. Other:		
	3. Juices of fruits of heading No. 08.01 and sub-headings No. 08.02 D and E:		
	ex a. Not containing added sugar:		
	1. Raw juices of fruit and nuts of heading No. 08.01 in con- tainers of a capacity of less than 20 litres	S 90.00	S 90.00

Tariff item number	Description of products	Preferential rate of duty in % <u>ad valorem</u> or in schilling per 100 kg. on goods from beneficiary countries in	
		Group I	Group II
21.02	Extracts, essences or concentrates, of coffee, tea or maté; prepara- tions with a basis of those extracts, essences or concentrates:		
	A. Coffee extract, solid	12%	12%
	B. Extracts and essences of tea, and preparations with a basis of such extracts and essences, liquid or solid	12%	12%
	C. Extracts and essences of maté, and preparations with a basis of such extracts and essences, liquid or solid	6%	6%
	D. Other	S 1,200.00	-
ex 21.03	Mustard flour	4%	4%
21.04	Sauces; mixed condiments and mixed seasonings	19% but not less than S 350.00 per 100 kg.	19% but not less than S 350.00 per 100 kg.
ex 21.05	Soups and broths, in liquid, solid or powder form; homogenized com- posite food preparations; except homogenized preparations, ready for consumption, containing meat or meat offals, with a dry substance of more than 10%	19% but not less than S 400.00 per 100 kg.	19% but not less than S 400.00 per 100 kg.
21.06	Natural yeasts (active or inactive); prepared baking powders:		
	B. Prepared baking powders	S 510.00	S 510.00
23.05	Wine lees; argol:		
	A. Wine lees		
	1. Liquid	S 200.00	-
ex 23.07	Fish solubles	5%	5%

Annex B

Part I. List of products not eligible for preferential
tariff treatment

Tariff item number	Description of products
ex 29.04 D	Mannitol and Sorbitol
35.01	Casein, caseinates and other casein derivatives; casein glues
35.02 B	Albumins, albuminates and other albumin derivatives, other
35.05	Dextrins and dextrin glues; soluble or roasted starches; starch glues
ex 38.12	Prepared glazings, prepared dressings and prepared mordants, of a kind used in the textile, paper, leather or like industries, containing starch or starch derivatives
38.19 C 1	Foundry core binders based on starch or dextrins
ex 39.19 L	Other chemical products, residual products and preparations of the chemical or allied industries (including those consisting of mixtures of natural products), not elsewhere specified or included; containing 30 per cent or more of sugar, starch or milk
39.06 C 2 b	Starch ethers and esters, water soluble
61.02 D	Women's, girls' and infants' outer garments; of cotton
61.03 C	Men's and boys' undergarments, including collars, shirt fronts and cuffs; of cotton
78.01 A	Unwrought lead

Part II. List of products not eligible for preferential tariff treatment if imported from beneficiary countries mentioned in Group II of Annex C

Tariff item number	Description of products
55.05	Cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale
55.06	Cotton yarn, put up for retail sale
55.07	Cotton gauze
55.08	Terry towelling and similar terry fabrics, of cotton
55.09	Other woven fabrics of cotton
ex 58.01	Carpets, carpeting and rugs, knotted (made up or not); of cotton
58.02 B 1	Other carpets, carpeting rugs, mats, and matting, and "Kelem", "Schumacher" and "Karamanie" rugs and the like (made up or not) of cotton
ex 58.03	Tapestries, hand-made, of the type Gobelins, Flanders Aubusson, Beauvais and the like, and needle-worked tapestries (for example, petit point and cross stitch) made in panels and the like by hand; of cotton
58.04 A	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics, other than terry towelling or similar terry fabrics of cotton falling within heading No. 55.08 and fabrics falling within heading No. 58.05; of cotton
ex 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; of cotton
ex 58.06	Woven labels, badges and the like, not embroidered, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size; of cotton
ex 58.07	Chenille yarn (including flock chenille yarn), gimped yarn (other than metallized yarn of heading No. 52.01 and gimped horschair yarn); braids and ornamental trimmings in the piece; tassels, pompons and the like; of cotton
ex 58.08	Tulle and other net fabrics (but not including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics), plain; of cotton
ex 58.09	Tulle and other net fabrics, figures; hand or mechanically made lace, in the piece, in strips or in motifs; of cotton

Tariff item number	Description of products
ex 58.10	Embroidery, in the piece, in strips or in motifs; of cotton
ex 59.05	Nets and netting made of twine, cordage or rope, and made-up fishing nets of yarn, twine, cordage or rope; of cotton
ex 59.06	Other articles made from yarn, twine, cordage, rope or cables, other than textile fabrics and articles made from such fabrics; of cotton
ex 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; of cotton
ex 59.08	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with preparations of cellulose derivatives or of other artificial plastic materials; of cotton
ex 59.09 B, C	Textile fabrics coated or impregnated with oil or preparations with a basis of drying oil; of cotton
ex 59.12	Textile fabrics otherwise impregnated or coated; painted canvas being theatrical scenery, studio back-cloths or the like; of cotton
ex 59.13	Elastic fabrics and trimmings (other than knitted or crocheted goods) consisting of textile materials combined with rubber threads; of cotton
ex 59.15	Textile hosepiping and similar tubing, with or without lining, armour or accessories of other materials; of cotton
ex 59.17 D	Textile fabrics and textile articles, of a kind commonly used in machinery or plant; of cotton
60.01 B 5	Knitted or crocheted fabric, not elastic nor rubberized; of cotton
60.02 D	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberized; of cotton
60.03 D	Stockings, under stockings, socks, ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberized; of cotton

Tariff item number	Description of products
60.04 D	Undergarments, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberized; of cotton
60.05 B 3	Outer garments and other articles, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberized; of cotton
ex 60.06	Knitted or crocheted fabric and articles thereof, elastic or rubberized (including elastic knee-caps and elastic stockings); of cotton
61.01 D	Men's and boys' outer garments; of cotton
61.04 B	Women's, girls' and infants' undergarments; of cotton
ex 61.05	Handkerchiefs of cotton
ex 61.06 B	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like; of cotton
ex 61.08	Collars, tuckers, fallals, bodice-fronts, jabots, cuffs, flouces, yokes and similar accessories and trimmings for women's and girls' garments; of cotton
ex 61.09	Corsets, corset-belts, suspender-belts, brassières, braces, suspenders, garters and the like (including such articles of knitted or crocheted fabric), whether or not elastic; of cotton
ex 61.10	Gloves, mittens, mitts, stockings, socks and sockettes, not being knitted or crocheted goods; of cotton
ex 61.11	Made-up accessories for articles of apparel (for example, dress shields, shoulder and other pads, belts, muffs, sleeve protectors, pockets); of cotton
ex 62.01 B	Travelling rugs and blankets, of cotton
ex 62.02	Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen; curtains and other furnishing articles; of cotton
ex 62.03	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods; of cotton
ex 62.05	Other made-up textile articles (including dress patterns); of cotton

Tariff item number	Description of products
ex 65.04	Hats and other headgear, plaited or made from plaited or other strips of any material, whether or not lined or trimmed; predominantly of cotton
ex 65.05	Hats and other headgear (including hair nets), knitted or crocheted, or made-up from lace, felt or other textile fabrics in the piece (but not from strips), whether or not lined or trimmed; predominantly of cotton

Annex C

Beneficiary Countries
(States, territories or parts of territories)

Group I

Republic of Afghanistan	Gabonese Republic
Arab Republic of Egypt	Gambia
Democratic and Popular Republic of Algeria	Republic of Ghana
Republic of Equatorial Guinea	Republic of Guatemala
Argentine Republic	Republic of Guinea
Empire of Ethiopia	Guyana
Commonwealth of Bahamas	Republic of Haiti
Shaikdom of Bahrain	Republic of Honduras
People's Republic of Bangladesh	Republic of India
Barbados	Republic of Indonesia
Bhutan	Republic of Irak
Socialist Republic of the Union of Burma	Empire of Iran
Republic of Bolivia	State of Israel
Republic of Botswana	Jamaica
Federative Republic of Brazil	Yemen Arab Republic
People's Republic of Bulgaria	People's Democratic Republic of Yemen
Republic of Burundi	Kingdom of Jordan
Republic of Chile	Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia
Republic of Costa Rica	
Republic of Dahomey	United Republic of Cameroon
Dominican Republic	Republic of Kenya
Republic of Ecuador	Khmer Republic
Republic of the Ivory Coast	Republic of Colombia
Republic of El Salvador	People's Republic of the Congo
Fiji	Republic of Korea
United Arab Emirates	Republic of Cuba
	State of Kuwait

Beneficiary countries (cont'd)

Kingdom of Laos	Republic of Zambia
Kingdom of Lesotho	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
Lebanese Republic	Republic of Senegal
Republic of Liberia	Sierra Leone
Libyan Arab Republic	Sikkim
Malagasy Republic	Republic of Singapore
Republic of Malawi	Somali Democratic Republic
Malaysia	Republic of Sri Lanka
Republic of Maldives	Democratic Republic of the Sudan
Republic Mali	Kingdom of Swaziland
Malta	Syrian Arab Republic
Kingdom of Morocco	Taiwan
Islamic Republic of Mauritania	Republic of Tanzania
Mauritius	Kingdom of Thailand
United Mexican States	Togolese Republic
Republic of Nauru	Kingdom of Tonga
Kingdom of Nepal	Trinidad and Tobago
Republic of Nicaragua	Republic of Chad
Republic of the Niger	Republic of Tunisia
Federal Republic of Nigeria	Republic of Uganda
Republic of the Upper Volta	Republic of Uruguay
Sultanate of Muscat and Oman	Republic of Venezuela
Islamic Republic of Pakistan	Republic of Viet-Nam
Republic of Panama	Independent State of Western Samoa
Republic of Paraguay	Republic of Zaire
Republic of Peru	Central African Republic
Republic of the Philippines	Republic of Cyprus
Qatar	Dependent territories of the
Ras al Khaimah	Commonwealth of Australia:
Socialist Republic of Romania	Papua-New Guinea
Rwandese Republic	

Beneficiary countries (cont'd)

Dependent territories of the
French Republic:

St. Pierre and Miquelon

French Polynesia

New Caledonia including the
Wallis and Futuna Islands

Comores

French Territory of the Afars
and Issas

New Hebrides (British-French Condominium)

Dependent territories of New Zealand:

Cook Islands

Niue

Tokelau Islands

Dependent territories of the
Kingdom of the Netherlands:

Netherlands Antilles

Surinam

Dependent territories of the
Portuguese Republic:

Angola (and Cabinda)

Cape Verde Islands

Mozambique

Portuguese Guinea

Sao Tomé and Príncipe

Macao

Timor

Dependent territories of the
Spanish State:

Céuta

Melilla

Ifni

Spanish Sahara (Rio de Oro,
Sokina el Hamra and others)

Dependent territories of the United
Kingdom of Great Britain and
Northern Ireland:

Bermuda

British Honduras

British Indian Ocean Territories

British Islands

British Virgin Islands

Cayman Islands

Falkland Islands (Malvinas)
and Dependencies

Gibraltar

Gilbert and Ellice Islands

Hong Kong¹

Montserrat

New Hebrides

Pitcairn

St. Helena and Dependencies

Seychelles

Turks and Caicos Islands

Antigua

Brunei

¹In the case of goods falling within chapters 60 to 62 and 64 of the Customs Tariff, originating in Hong Kong, the preferential tariff rates are not applicable.

Beneficiary countries (cont'd)

Dominica	Guam
Grenada	Johnston and Sand Islands
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	Midway Islands
St. Lucia	Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands
St. Vincent	Virgin Islands (USA)
Dependent territories of the United States of America:	Wake Islands
American Samoa and Swains Islands	

Group II

Hellenic Republic	Spanish State
Portuguese Republic	Republic of Turkey