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SWEDEN - SURVEILLANCE LICENSING ARRANGEMENT  
FOR CERTAIN TEXTILE PRODUCTS

The following communication, dated 10 December 1975, has been received from the Swedish Delegation.

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I hereby have the honour to send you enclosed a notification concerning the introduction in Sweden of a surveillance licensing arrangement for certain textile products with the request that it be circulated to the contracting parties.

SWEDEN - TEXTILES SURVEILLANCE LICENSING ARRANGEMENT

A system of surveillance by means of a licensing arrangement will be introduced in Sweden as from 1 January 1976, for the importation from all sources of the textile items indicated below and not already subject to licensing. The purpose of this system, which does not involve any quantitative restrictions, is to supply information at an early stage on the development of imports of the products concerned.

List of Goods Subject to the Import Licensing Arrangement:

<u>Statistical No.</u> <u>BTN No.</u>	<u>Commodity No.</u>	<u>Kind of goods</u>
51.04	101-404 409-901 903-905, 909	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (continuous) with the exception of raw fabrics and fabrics of regenerated textile materials weighing 500 grs. or more per sq. metre
53.11	all	Woven fabrics of sheep's or lamb's wool or of fine animal hair
54.05	903-906, 909	Woven fabrics of flax or of ramie with the exception of clothing fabrics and fabrics for covering walls
55.06	900	Cotton yarn put up for retail sale with the exception of sewing thread
55.08	900	Terry towelling and similar terry fabrics of cotton with the exception of raw fabrics
55.09	601-906, 908, 909	Cotton fabrics with the exception of raw fabric, cord fabric, bleached surgical gauze and fabrics containing at least 40 per cent by weight of continuous regenerated fibres

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56.07	101-405, 409-906, 909	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (discontinuous) with the exception of fabrics containing at least 40 per cent by weight of continuous regenerated fibres and raw fabrics
58.04	500	Woven pile and chenille fabrics with pile of cotton
58.05	002-009	Narrow woven fabrics and narrow fabric (bolduc) consisting of warp without weft assembled of an adhesive, other than products falling within heading No. 58.06, with the exception of narrow woven pile and chenille fabrics
58.08 59.05	001 ex 001	Fishing nets of synthetic fibres
59.04	all	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables plaited or not
59.13	101-109	Narrow woven elastic fabrics of textile materials combined with rubber threads
60.03	112-199, 912-999	Stockings, under stockings, socks, ankle- socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberised, with the exception of ladies' stockings
60.04	all	Under garments, knitted or crocheted
60.05	102-809	Outer garments, knitted or crocheted
61.01-61.02	all	Outer garments (not knitted or crocheted)
61.03	102-209	Shirts and nightwear, men's and boys'
61.04	102-109	Nightwear, women's and girls'
62.01	all	Travelling rugs and blankets
62.02	102-109 312-399	Bedlinen, towels and similar articles