GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

RESTRICTED

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ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Report on the Status of Restrictive Measures as requested by the TSB in accordance with Article 11^{1}

SWITZERLAND

Attached is a report received by the Textiles Surveillance Body from Switzerland concerning the present status of its restrictions on trade in textiles and clothing. This report has been submitted in accordance with Article 11 of the Arrangement, and in particular paragraphs 11, 12 and 2 thereof.

¹ See COM.TEX/SB/921, paragraph 23.

²The previous report by Switzerland is contained in COM.TEX/SB/809/Add.15.

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Letter to Chairman, TSB from Permanent Mission of Switzerland

Geneva, 29 May 1984

Mr. Chairman,

In response to your request of 21 February 1984 and in pursuance of Article 11, paragraphs 2, 11 and 12, of the Multifibre Arrangement, I have the honour to inform you of the following:

Switzerland has not introduced and is not applying any quantitative restrictions, bilateral agreements or other quantitative measures having a restrictive effect with regard to the textile products covered by the Arrangement. Automatic licensing is nevertheless required for certain products, in accordance with the Order of the Federal Council of 8 December 1975 about which you were informed in a letter of 8 January 1976 and which has not since then been subject to any changes, except for the deletion of carpets (Heading No. 5801.01) from the list of products in question.

Accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed) Franz Blankart
Head of Delegation
Ambassador