

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

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TARIFFS AND TRADE

Special Distribution

Textiles Surveillance Body

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4

Modification of the bilateral agreement between the EEC and Indonesia

The Textiles Surveillance Body received a notification from the EEC of a modification of its bilateral agreement with Indonesia. A restraint was agreed at the Community level on cotton fabrics (Category 2).¹

The TSB, pursuant to its procedures regarding notifications made under Article 4,² has examined the relevant documentation and is forwarding the text of the notification to participating countries for their information.

¹The bilateral agreement is contained in COM.TEX/SB/1290.

²See COM.TEX/SB/35, Annex B

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AGREED MINUTE

1. A delegation of the Republic of Indonesia and a delegation of the European Communities met in Jakarta on 10 - 12 September 1987 for consultations under Article 8 of the bilateral Agreement on trade in textiles initialled on 28 June 1986.
2. As a result of these consultations Indonesia agreed to limit its exports of products falling under category 2 to the Community as follows:

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Category 2</u> | <u>Tonnes</u> of which sub-category 2a |
|-------------|-------------------|---|
| 1987 | 14,000 | 5,213 |
| 1988 | 14,560 | 5,422 |
| 1989 | 15,142 | 5,638 |
| 1990 | 15,748 | 5,864 |
| 1991 | 16,378 | 6,098 |

3. (a) The Community quantitative limit for 1987 will be applied on a pro rata basis as set out below in the following regions of the Community:

| | | <u>Tonnes</u> | |
|----------|-----------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|
| | | <u>Cat 2</u> | <u>of which</u> <u>Sub-cat 2a</u> |
| France | from 23 Jun to 31 Dec 1987: | 1,206 | 410 |
| Germany | from 7 Aug to 31 Dec 1987: | 579 | 226 |
| Italy | from 7 Aug to 31 Dec 1987: | 2,088 | 856 |
| Benelux | from 7 Aug to 31 Dec 1987: | 876 | 386 |
| Ireland | from 12 Sep to 31 Dec 1987: | 7 | 3 |
| Denmark | from 12 Sep to 31 Dec 1987: | 180 | 90 |
| Greece | from 12 Sep to 31 Dec 1987: | 13 | 5 |
| Spain | from 12 Sep to 31 Dec 1987: | 65 | 25 |
| Portugal | from 12 Sep to 31 Dec 1987: | 27 | 21 |

(b) As regards the United Kingdom, the quantitative limits for the years 1987 to 1991 already set out in Annex II of the Agreement remain unchanged.

4. In addition to the pro rata quantitative limits for 1987 set out in paragraph 3(a) the two delegations agreed to the following exceptional supplementary quantities in 1987 for exports of cat. 2 products other than those falling under cat 2a

| | | | |
|---------|---|-----|--------|
| Germany | ; | 400 | tonnes |
| Italy | : | 60 | tonnes |
| Benelux | : | 600 | tonnes |

5. It was understood by both sides that the flexibility provisions of the Agreement which concern exports of products subject to quantitative limits established in Annex II of the Agreement shall apply to the quantitative limits referred to in paragraphs 2 and 3.

Jakarta, 12 September 1987.

Head of Delegation of the
Republic of Indonesia

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European Communities