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Textiles Surveillance Body

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Modification of the bilateral agreement between the EEC and Pakistan

The Textiles Surveillance Body received a notification from the EEC of a further modification of its agreement with Pakistan. Limits were agreed on woven fabrics of synthetic fibres (Category 3) when imported into France and Italy.

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

The bilateral agreement and a previous modification are contained in COM.TEX/SB/1361 and 1362.

²COM.TEX/SB/35, Annex B

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Agreed Minute

- 1. Delegations of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan and the European Community met in Islamabad on 15-17 September 1987 to continue consultations in accordance with Article 8 of the Agreement on Trade in Textiles between Pakistan and the European Community initialled on 12 September 1986, held previously on 22-24 July and 3 August 1987.
- 2. As a result of these consultations it was agreed that Pakistan will limit its exports of woven fabrics of synthetic fibres (Category 3) to the Community's regions of France and Italy to the following levels, to which an annual growth rate of 3.5% will be applied for the years 1988-1991.

Category	Unit	Year	France	<u>Italy</u>
3	Tonnes	1987	952	3,260
		1988	985	3,374
		1989	1,019	3,492
		1990	1,055	3,614
		1991	1,092	3,740

3. The annual limit for 1987 is to be applied pro rata from 23 June 1987 as set out below:

1987	France	Italy	
Tonnes	497	1,702	

Goods shipped from Pakistan before 23 June 1987 amounting to respectively 1,000 tonnes for France and 6,200 tonnes for Italy shall not be deducted from the above regional limits.

4. It is likewise agreed that the provisions of the Agreement which concern exports of products subject to quantitative limits established in Annex II of the Agreement shall apply to the exports referred to above from 23 June 1987.

Islamabad, 17 September 1987

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