

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

## TARIFFS AND TRADE

RESTRICTED

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Textiles Surveillance Body

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### ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

#### Notification under Article 11

Report on the Status of Restrictive Measures  
as requested by the TSB in accordance with Article 11<sup>1</sup>

#### MACAO

Attached is a report received from Macao on the status of restrictions maintained by it on imports of textile products covered by the Arrangement as extended by the 1986 Protocol. This report has been submitted in accordance with Article 11, paragraphs 11, 12 and 2 of the MFA.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup>See COM.TEX/SB/1467

<sup>2</sup>The previous report is contained in COM.TEX/SB/1422/Add.8

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Letter from the Permanent Mission of Portugal

The Permanent Mission of Portugal presents its compliments to the GATT secretariat and referring to the letter TS/140.1.1, of 8 March 1989, has the honour to enclose herewith the information of Portugal on behalf of Macao about restrictions in textiles trade.

The Permanent Mission of Portugal avails itself of this opportunity to renew to GATT secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.

Memorandum to the Textiles Surveillance Body

Subject: Your request for information on the restrictions on textiles trade implemented by Macao (Your ref: TS/140.1.1).

As the current situation in Macao has been unchanged since our last report, the information then supplied is still in effect, as follows:

Macao does not carry out any restriction on textiles trade, as market access is completely free.

Under MFA's Article 4, Macao signed seven bilateral textile agreements containing quantitative limits to its textile exports.

The following bilateral textile agreements to which Macao is part are presently in force:

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|------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Macao/Austria       | 1 January 1987 to 31 December 1990 |
| 2. Macao/Canada        | 1 January 1987 to 31 December 1991 |
| 3. Macao/EEC           | 1 January 1987 to 31 December 1990 |
| 4. Macao/United States | 1 January 1987 to 31 December 1991 |
| 5. Macao/Finland       | 1 January 1988 to 31 December 1991 |
| 6. Macao/Norway        | 1 January 1988 to 31 December 1991 |
| 7. Macao/Sweden        | 1 January 1988 to 31 March 1993    |