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## TARIFFS AND TRADE

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

#### ARGENTINA

Attached is a report received from Argentina 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>1</sup>See COM.TEX/SB/1680.

The previous report is contained in COM.TEX/SB/1549/Add.8

<sup>\*</sup>English and Spanish only/Anglais et espagnol seulement/Inglés y espagñol solamente

Permanent Mission of the Argentine Republic to the International Organizations

Note No. 020 (GATT/92)

Geneva, 12 August 1992

Dear Mr. Raffaelli,

With reference to your note dated 3 August 1992, I wish to inform you that the Argentine Republic does not apply the restrictions on imports of textile products provided for by the Multi-fibre Arrangement.

The only non-tariff restriction that exists in the Argentine Republic in connection with textile imports concerns the suspension of imports of used clothing, pursuant to Ministry of Industry and Foreign Trade Resolutions Nos. 1646/91 and 696/92.

It should also be mentioned that, after dumping was found to exist, preventive anti-dumping measures were recently taken with respect to imports of polyester-cotton shirting originating in the People's Republic of China.

This preventive measure was provided for by the Ministry of Industry and Foreign Trade Resolution 193/92.

Yours sincerely,

(signed) Nestor E. Stancanelli Economic and Trade Minister-Counsellor

Mr. M. Raffaelli Chairman Textiles Surveillance Body GATT