

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

TARIFFS AND TRADE

RESTRICTED

COM.TEX/SB/1811*

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Textiles Surveillance Body

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Extension with amendments of the bilateral agreement between Norway and Pakistan

The Textiles Surveillance Body received a notification from Norway of an extension with amendments of its agreement with Pakistan for the period 1 January 1992 to 31 December 1993.¹

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 and a previous amendment are contained in COM.TEX/SB/1502 and 1607.

²See COM.TEX/SB/35, Annex B.

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AGREED MINUTES

1. Delegations from the Government of the Kingdom of Norway and the Government of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan met in Islamabad on 8 - 9 December 1991 for consultations in accordance with Articles 15 and 17 of the Agreement between the Government of the Kingdom of Norway and the Government of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan relating to the exports from Pakistan of certain textile products for import into Norway, signed at Islamabad on 5 July 1989.

2. As a result of these consultations it was agreed to initial the enclosed amendments to the Textile Agreement as previously amended.

Islamabad, 5 October 1992

For the Norwegian Delegation

For the Pakistan Delegation

**AMENDMENTS TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF
NORWAY AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN
RELATING TO THE EXPORTS OF PAKISTAN OF CERTAIN TEXTILE PRODUCTS FOR
IMPORT INTO NORWAY, SIGNED AT ISLAMABAD ON 5 JULY 1988**

- I. The Government of the Kingdom of Norway and the Government of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan have agreed to the following amendments to the Textile Agreement:
- (i) in Article 2, after "as extended by the Protocol of 31.7.1986" add "and as further extended by the Protocol of 31.7.1991".
 - (ii) in Article 3, second line, delete "1991" and replace it with "1993".
 - (iii) after Article 6, add the following text:

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6 bis. The Government of Pakistan will, for the category in Annex A marked with *, issue export certificate/certificate of origin.
 - (iv) delete Article 7, paragraph (d) on total flexibility.
 - (v) replace the existing Annex A on product coverage, with the attached Annex A.
 - (vi) replace the existing Annex B on restraints, with the attached Annex B.
- II. These amendments will take effect on 1 January 1992.

ANNEX A**PRODUCT CATEGORIES COVERED BY THE AGREEMENT**

Category Number	Unit	Description
1.	Pieces	Outer garments of woven material men's, boys', women's, girls': - Jackets, tailored jackets, blazers, waistcoats, sports jackets (including parts of ski suits), anoraks and similar garments, parkas, one-piece suits and the like, also as parts of suits, sets and costumes (boys and girls with height above 152 cm).
2.	Pieces	Outer garments of woven material men's, boys', women's, girls': - Trousers, slacks, jeans, breeches and the like (including bib and brace overalls), other than swimwear and shorts, also as parts of suits and sets (boys and girls with height above 152 cm).
7.	Kgs	Bed linen
70.*	Kgs	Knotted netting, made up fishing nets, other made up nets, and the like.

ANNEX B

(a) Cat. No.	(b) Restraint levels 1 Jan.- 31 Dec. 1992	(c) Annual growth rate Percen- tages	(d) Carry- over Percen- tages	(e) Carry- forward Percen- tages	(f) Swing Percen- tages	(h) Conversion factor Unit pr. kg
1.	60,000 pieces	3	10	5	3	1,5
2.	178,000 pieces	3	10	5	3	2,0
7.	141,000 kgs	1	10	5	1	1,0