GENERAL AGREEMENT

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ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Articles 7 and 8

Extension of the Statement of Intent between Canada and Chinese Taipei

The Textiles Surveillance Body received a notification from Canada of an extension of the "Statement of Intent Relating to the Export from Taiwan of Certain Textiles and Textile Products for Import into Canada" until 31 December 1995.

This notification has been made pursuant to a request made by the Textiles Committee that agreements concluded with non-participants be notified.

The TSB is forwarding the text of the notification to participating countries for their information.

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AGREED RECORD OF DISCUSSION

1. Delegations from the Taiwan Textile Federation and the Government of Canada met in Hong Kong on 22-24 June 1992, to discuss the conversion of Annexes I and II of the Statement of Intent to Annexes based on the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (HS).

2. It was agreed that effective 1 January 1993, Annexes I and II of this Agreed Record will replace Annexes I and II of the Statement of Intent with the exception for polyester filament fabrics and polyester rayon fabrics. With respect to these two products, the two delegations agreed to study each other's proposals and to communicate further on this matter.

3. With respect to Category 14, the Taiwan Textile Federation agreed that exports to Canada of babies' garments in sub-categories 14.1, 14.2, 14.3, 14.4, 14.5, 14.7 and 14.8 individually shall not exceed 10 per cent of the annual restraint level of category 14; that for sub-category 14.6 those exports to Canada shall not exceed 35 per cent of the annual level for category 14; and for sub-category 14.9 those exports shall not exceed 50 per cent of the annual level for category 14.

4. It was agreed that special swing would be allowed in 1993 on an equivalent quantity of the upper and lower garment basis from suit categories to relevant component garment categories as follows:

Agreement Item	Component/Garment Item	Quantities
3 or 4a	1 and 4b	26,066
3 or 4a	8 and 5a	223,720

5. It was agreed to consult promptly on any questions which may arise regarding the implementation of the Harmonized System with respect to the Statement of Intent. It was also agreed that a review of the implementations of the HS Conversion should take place in 1993, including the provisions for special swing and flexibility.

(signed) for the Government of Canada

(signed) For the Taiwan Textile Federation

31 December 1992

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GROUP I

(A)		(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)
Agr ;eine nt Item No.		Product Coverage	1991 Restraint Level (Unit)	Growth	Swing	Carryover/ Carry Forward	Combined Flexibility (E) & (F)	Conversion Factor (m2/Unit)
	Cat.	Short Description						
1	1.0*	Coats, jackets, rainwear	957,440	0.7%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
la (Note 1)	1.2*	Jackets, brushed or fleeced, unlined						2.4
2	2.0	Winter outerwear	56,084	1%	2%	6% (3%)	6%	3.5
2a (Note 2)	2.0	Quilted shirt-like garments with tailored collar, MBC				6%(3%)	6%	2.7
3 (Note 3)	3.0	Male casual & fine wear	109,751	0.63%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
3a (Note 3)	3.1 3.3	- of which: Suits, MB: Jackets & blazers, MB	36,566	0.63%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
4 a	4.1* 4.2*	Suits & ensembles, WGC; Jackets & blazers, WGC	295,661	0.75%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
4b (Note 4)	4.3* 4.4*	Dresses; Skirts	782,288	0.7%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.2
5	5.0*	Trousers, overalls & shorts	5,131,687	0.6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.9
52	5.0*	- of which: Trousers, overalls & shorts, MB	2,510,911	0.6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.9
6	6.0	Tailored collar shirts, MBC	2,507,449	0.2%	2%	6% (3%)	6%	2.1
7	7.0	Woven shirts, blouses & similar articles	2,094,479	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.7
8 (Note 5)	8.0	Athletic wear, (k/c) shirts, blouses & similar articles, T-shirts & sweatshirts	18,100,504	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
8a	8.1	- of which: k/c shirts, blouses & similar articles	3,295,055	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
8b	8.4*	- of which: Athletic wear	887,268	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
9	9.0*	Underwear	1,732,634	0.2%	5%	10% (5%)	11%	1.0
10	10.0	Sieepwear & bathrobes	1,869,708	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.5
11	11.0*	Sweaters	5,802,842	0.5%	2%	6%(3%)	6%	1.4
lla	11.1*	- of which: Sweaters, MB	2,114,678	0.5%	2%	6%(3%)	6%	1.4
12	12.0	Swimwear	1.113,449	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	12%	1.5
13	13.0	Foundation garments	42,774	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	12%	1.5
14 (Note 6)	14.9	Babies' garments	1,600,715	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5

*Includes extended fibre coverage.

Note 1: Item 1a, special swing from Item 8 up to 295,736 units

Note 2: Item 2a, special swing from Item 6 up to 700,000 units.

Note 3: Cat. 3.2 includes extended fibre coverage; excludes HS codes for children of categories 3.1 & 3.3.

Note 4: Excludes Saris, WGC, woven of sub-category 4.3

Note 5: Car. 8.4 includes extended fibre coverage.

Note 6: Cat. 14 is expressed in baby garment units.

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GROUP II

(A)		(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)
Agreement Item No.		Product Coverage	1991 Restraint Level (kgm)	Growth	Swing	Carryover/ Carry Forward	Combined Flexibility (E) & (F)	Conversion Factor (m2/Unit)
	Cat.	Short Description						
20	22 23 24 26 (Note 1)	Nylon yarn; Polyester yarn; Poly/cotton yarn; Artificial yarn, including other yarns of man- made fibres, not otherwise designated a category, of Headings 54.02, 54.04 to 54.06, 55.09, 55.11 and 56.04 to 56.06	974,469	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	2.22
25	25	Acrylic staple yarn	406,719	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	2.22
30	31.1 32 34 35 36	Combed wool fabric Cotton fabric; Nylon fabric; Polyester filament fabric; Poly/cotton fabric	PENDING	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
30a	31.1	- of which: Combed wool fabric	10,829	1%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
30ъ	32.3	- of which: Denim fabric	385,702	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.13
30c	34	- of which: Nylon fabric	83,908	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
30d	35	- of which: Polyester filament fabric	PENDING	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
37a	37.1	Poly/rayon fabric	PENDING	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
42a	42.1	Toilet & kitchen linen, cotton terry, woven	141,948	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.4
43	43	Hosiery (PAR)	2,397,084	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	0.50
44	44	Work gloves & liners (PAR)	633,385	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	0.25
45	45	Handbags (DZN)	194,632	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.12
46	46	Tablecloths	177,830	4%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0

Note: No swing between products in Group I and products in Group II.99

Note 1: Other than solely of any single man-made fibre

ANNEX II - PREAMBLE

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- 1. Unless otherwise indicated, gender means garments for men (M), boys (B) (sizes 8 to 18), women (W), girls (G) (sizes 7 to 16), children (C) (sizes 2 to 6X) and babies, of a body height not exceeding 86 cm (sizes 0 to 24 months).
- 2. Unless otherwise indicated, swing is permitted from adult garments to children's garments at a 3 to 5 ratio.
- 3. A partially manufactured textile article shall be taken to include an article unfinished or incomplete (including cut or shaped fabric for making such articles), provided that, as presented, the incomplete or unfinished article has the essential character of the complete or finished article. It shall also be taken to include the article presented unassembled or disassembled.
- 4. Garments of indeterminate gender, including unisex garments, are to be counted as of female gender.
- Unless otherwise indicated, products covered by restraints under this arrangement in Group I and in Group II are those which predominate by weight of silk, wool, cotton, other vegetable fibres or man-made fibres.
 Excluded are products of Group I containing more than 85 per cent by weight of vegetable fibres, other than cotton, or more than 70 per cent by weight of silk fibres.
- 6. Unless otherwise indicated, any reference to fabrics includes fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated, where the non-textile substance accounts for 50 per cent or less by weight.

ANNEX II - CLOTHING CATEGORIES

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GROUP I

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Coats, jackets & rainwear	1		 Overcoats, raincoats, car-coats, capes, cloaks, and similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; Anoraks (including ski-jackets) wind-cheaters, wind-jackets and similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; anoraks (including ski-jackets), wind-cheaters, wind-jackets and similar articles, other than those lined and designed to protect the wearer against the cold - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>; garments, made up of fabrics of headings 59.03 (plastic), 59.06 (rubber) or 59.07 (other), containing 50% or more by weight of textile material - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; lining of thermal characteristics suited for garments of subcategory 1.3 - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; 	NMB
- Coats		1.1	 Overcoats, car-coats, capes & cloaks, other than rainwear - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; lining of thermal characteristics suited for garments of sub-category 1.3 - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>. 	
- Jackets		1.2	 Anoraks (including ski-jackets) wind-cheaters and wind-jackets - <u>MRWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; anoraks (including ski-jackets), wind-cheaters and wind-jackets, other than those lined and designed to protect the wearer against the cold - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>. 	
- Rainwear		1.3	 Raincoats and rainwear - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; garments made up of fabrics of headings 59.03 (plastic), 59.06 (rubber) or 59.07 (other), containing 50% or more by weight of textile material - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>. 	
Winter outerwear	2		 Anoraks (including ski-jackets), wind-cheaters, wind-jackets and similar articles, lined and designed to protect the wearer against the cold - <u>MBWGC</u>, woven; bib and brace overalls (e.g. ski overalls), lined and designed to protect the wearer against the cold - <u>MBWGC</u>, woven; trousers and breeches (e.g. ski pants), lined and designed to protect the wearer against the cold - <u>MBWGC</u>, woven; ski suits - <u>MBWGC</u>, woven; snowsuits, snowmobile suits and similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, woven; lining of thermal characteristics suited for garments of sub-category 1.2 - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>: 	NMB
- Winter outerwear, MBWG		2.1	- Men's, boys', women's and girls'.	
- Winter outerwear, C		2.2	- Children's.	

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Male casual & fine wear	3		Suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers - <u>MBC, k/c & woven</u> :	NMB
 Fine suits, MBC Ensembles, MBC Jackets & blazers, MBC 		3.1 3.2 3.3	 Suits - <u>MBC, k/c & woven</u>. Ensembles - <u>MBC, k/c & woven</u>. Jackets and blazers - <u>MBC, k/c & woven</u>. 	
Female casual & fine wear [*]	4		 Suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided- skirts - WGC, k/c & woven; 	NMB
- Suits & ensembles, WGC		4.1	- Suits and ensembles - WGC, k/c & woven.	
 Jackets & blazers, WGC 		4.2	- Jackets and blazers - WGC, k/c & woven.	
- Dresses*		4.3	- Dresses - WGC, k/c & woven	
- Skirts		4.4	- Skirts and divided skirts - WGC, k/c & woven.	
Trousers, overalls & shorts	5		 Trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches, shorts - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; coveralls - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; 	NMB
 Trousers, MB Trousers, WG Trousers, C Overalls & coveralls Shorts 		5.1 5.2 5.3 5.4 5.5	 Trousers and breeches - <u>MB, k/c & woven</u>. Trousers and breeches - <u>WG, k/c & woven</u>. Trousers and breeches - <u>C, k/c & woven</u>. Bib and brace overalls - <u>MBWGC, k/c & woven</u>; coveralls - <u>MBWGC, k/c & woven</u>. Shorts - <u>MBWGC, k/c & woven</u>. 	
Tailored collar shirts, MBC	6		Shirts (with tailored collar) - <u>MBC, k/c & woven</u> .	NMB
Woven shirts, blouses & similar articles	7		 Shirts, blouses, shirt-blouses - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>; other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear type) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>; and other similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>: 	NMB
- Woven shirts & similar articles, MB		7.1	 Men's & boys: Shirts - woven. other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear- type) - woven; and other similar articles - woven. 	
 Woven blouses & similar articles, WG 		7.2	 Women's & girls': shirts, blouses, shirt-blouses - woven; other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear type) - woven; and other similar articles - woven. 	
- Woven shirts, blouses & similar articles, C		7.3	 Children's: shirts, blouses, shirt-blouses - woven; other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear type) - woven; and other similar articles - woven. 	

Excludes Saris, WGC, woven of sub-category 4.3.

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Athletic wear, k/c shirts, blouses & similar articles, T- shirts & sweatshirts	8	:	 Shirts, blouses, shirt-blouses, <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear type) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; and other similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; T-shirts (other than of the underwear type), <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; brushed and fleeced pullovers (sweatshirts) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; ski suits - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; track suits and other athletic wear - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u> & woven: 	NMB
 k/c shirts, blouses & similar articles 		8.1	 Shirts, blouses, shirt-blouses - <u>MBWGC, k/c;</u> other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear-type) - <u>MBWGC, k/c;</u> and other similar articles - <u>MBWGC, k/c</u>. 	
- T-shirts		8.2	- T-shirts (other than of the underwear type) - <u>MBWGC</u> , <u>k/c</u> .	
- Sweatshirts - Athletic wear		8.3 8.4	 Brushed or fleeced pullovers (sweatshirts) - <u>MBWGC, k/c</u>. Ski suits - <u>MBWGC, k/c</u>; track suits and other athletic wear - <u>MBWGC, k/c & woven</u>. 	
Underwear	9		 Underpants, briefs, panties, slips, petticoats and similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; T-shirts (of the underwear type) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; singlets and other vests (of the underwear type) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u> <u>& woven</u>: 	NMB
- Underwear, MB - Underwear, WG - Underwear, C		9.1 9.2 9.3	 Men's & boys'. Women's & girls'. Children's. 	
Sleepwear & bathrobes	10		Nightshirts, pyjamas, nightdresses, negligees, bathrobes, dressing gowns & similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u> , <u>k/c & woven</u> :	NMB
 Sleepwear, MBWG Bathrobes, MBWG Sleepwear & bathrobes, C 		10.1 10.2 10.3	 Nightshirts, pyjamas and nightdresses - MBWG, k/c & woven. Bathrobes, dressing gowns & negligees - MBWG, k/c & woven. Children's. 	
Sweaters	11		Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans, waist-coats, and similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u> , <u>k/c</u> :	NMB
- Sweaters, MB - Sweaters, WG - Sweaters, C		11.1 11.2 11.3	 Men's & toys'. Women's & girls'. Children's. 	
Swimwear	12		Swimwear - MBWGC, k/c & woven.	NMB
Foundation garments	13		Brassieres, girdles, panty-girdles and corselettes, whether or not knitted or crocheted.	NMB

Short Description	Category	Sub Category		Long Description			
Babies' garments	14		Babies	Babies' garments:			
- Coats, jackets & rainwear		14.1	-	Coats, snowsuits, jackets and similar articles.			
 Trousers, overalis & shorts 		14.2	-	Trousers, breeches, bib and brace overalls, coveralls and shorts.			
- Shirts, blouses & similar articles		14.3	-	Shirts, blouses and similar articles.			
- T-shirts & sweatshirts		14.4	-	T-shirts and sweatshirts.			
- Dresses & skirts		14.5	-	Dresses and skirts.			
- Sleepwear		14.6		Sieepwear.			
- Underclothing		14.7	-	Underclothing.			
- Sweaters		14.8	- 1	Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans and sweaters.			
- Other garments		14.9	-	Other garments not elsewhere specified.			

ANNEX II - TEXTILE CATEGORIES

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Group II

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Nylon y a m	22		Yarn of nylon or other polyamide filament (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale, including monofilament of less than 67 decitex; yarn of nylon or other polyamide staple fibres (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale; textile yarn, and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity nylon or other polyamides:	KGM
- Nylon filament yarn		22.1	- Yarn of nylon or other polyamide filament (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale, including monofilament of less than 67 decitex; textile yarn, and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity nylon or other polyamides:	
- Nylon staple yarn		22.2	- Yarn of nylon or other polyamide staple fibres (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale.	
Polyester yarn	23		Yarn of polyester filaments (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale, including polyester monofilament of less than 67 decitex; yarn of polyester staple fibres (other than sewing thread and poly/cotton yarns of category 24), whether or not put up for retail sale; textile yarn, and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity polyesters:	KGM
- Polyester filament yarn		23.1	 Yarn of polyester filaments (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale, including polyester monofilament of less than 67 decitex; textile yarn and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity polyesters: 	
 Polyester staple yarn 		23.2	- Yam of polyester staple fibres (other than sewing thread and poly/cotton yams of category 24), whether or not put up for retail sale.	
Poly/cotton yarn	24		Yarn of polyester staple fibres (other than sewing thread), mixed mainly or solely with cotton, whether or not put up for retail sale.	KGM
Acrylic staple yarn	25		Yarn of acrylic or modacrylic staple fibres (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale.	KGM

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Antificia† yare`	26		Yarn of antificial filament (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale, including artificial monofilament of less than 67 decitex; yarns of artificial staple fibres, containing 85% or more by weight of viscose myon staple fibres, not put up for retail sale; yarn of other artificial staple fibres (other than sewing thread), whether or not put for retail sale; textile yarn and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity viscose:	KGM
 Viscose yarn* Other artificial filament yarn* Other artificial 		26.1 26.2 26.3	 High tensity filament yarn of viscose rayon, not put up for retail sale; filament yarn of viscose rayon single, untwisted or with a twist, multiple or cabled, not put up for retail sale; yarns of artificial staple fibres, containing 85% or more by weight of viscose rayon staple fibres, not put up for retail sale; textile yarn, and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity viscose. Other yarns of artificial filament (other than sewing thread), whether or not pust up for retail sale. Yarn of other artificial staple fibres (other than sewing thread), 	
staple yara* Other man-made fibre yaras*			whether or not pust up for retail sale. Other yams of man-made fibres, not otherwise designated a category, of Headings \$4.02, \$4.04 to \$4.06, \$5.09, \$5.11 and \$6.04 to \$6.06	KGM
- Combed wool fabric		31.1	 Woven fabrics of combed wool or fine animal hair; other woven fabrics, mixed mannly or solely with combed wool or fine animal hair; gauge of combed wool; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated. 	KGM
Cotton fabric	32		Woven fabrics of costion; woven pile, chenille and serry towelling fabrics and gauze of cotton; detains fabrics of cotton, weighing more than 200 g/m2 of such fibres; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated:	KGM
 Conon fabric, unbleached Conon fabric, facialised Denim fabric 		32.1 32.2 32.3	 Woven fabrics of cotton, unbleached; woven pile, chenille and terry towelling fabrics of cotton, unbleached and gauze of cotton. Woven fabrics of cotton, finished; woven pile, chenille and terry towelling fabrics of cotton, finished; and fabrics of Category 32.1 and 32.2, impregnated, cotted, coverd or laminusted. Denian fabrics of cotton, weighting more than 290 g/m2 of such fibres; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or 	

'Other than yarms solely of any single man-made fibre.

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Nylon fabric	34		Woven fabrics obtained from high tenacity yars of nylon or other polyamides; other woven fabrics of aylon or other polyamide filament or staple fibres; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated.	KGM
 Nyion fabric, unbleached 		34.1	- Unbleached.	
 Nylon fabric, finished 		34.2	- Finished; and fabrics of Category 34, impregnated, coated covered or laminated.	
Polyester filament fabric	35		Woven fabrics obtained from high tenacity yarn of polyesters; other woven fabrics of polyester filaments; other woven fabrics, mixed mainly or solely with polyester filaments; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated.	KGM
Poly/cotton fabric	36		Woven fabrics of cottom, containing less than 85% by weight, mixed mainly or solely with polyester staple fibres; woven fabrics of polyester staple fibres, containing less than 25% by weight of such fibres, mixed mainly or solely with cotton; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated:	KGM
 Poly/cotton fabric, unbleached 		36.1	- Unbiencibed;	
- Poly/cotton fabric, finished		36.2	- Finished; and fabrics of Casegory 36, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated.	
- Poly/rzyon fabric		37.1	 Woven Sebrics of rayon filament or staple fibres, mixed mainly or solely with polyester saple fibres; woven fabrics of polyester staple fibres, mixed mainly or solely with viscose rayon filament or staple fibres; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated. 	KGM
- Toilet & kitchen linen, cotton terry, woven		42.1	- Toilet linen and kitchen linen, woven, of terry towelling, of cotton.	KGM
Hosiery	43		Honiery:	PAR
 Hosiery, wool Hosiery, non- wool 		43.1 43.2	 Of wool or fine animal hair. Of other sentile masterials. 	
Work gloves & liners	44		Work gloves and work glove liners:	PAR
- Work gloves - Work glove livers		44.1 44.2	- Work gloves. - Work glove liners.	
Handbags	45		Handbags of textile materials, whether or not with shoulder strap, including those without handle:	DZN
- Handbags, not		45.1	- Not contend.	
- Handbags, coeted.		45.2	- Conted	
Tablecloths	46		Table linen, of polyester or of cotton, mixed mainly or solely with polyester	KGM

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Dear Mr. Tseng,

This further to your letter of 21 December regarding the restraint for polyester filament fabrics.

In light your letter, I would propose that the restraint for polyester filament fabrics be established as outlined in the attachment to this letter. I would appreciate your confirmation that this is acceptable to the Taiwan Textile Federation. I would also propose that this letter <u>along with your reply</u> constitute an amendment to the Agreed Record regarding the conversion of the category structure of Statement of Intent to the Harmonized System.

Yours sincerely,

(signed) Jean Saint-Jacques Director Import Controls Division I Export & Import Permits Bureau

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Agreement Item No.	Product Coverage		1993 Restraint Level (Unit)	Growth	Swing	Carryover/ Carry Forward	Combined Flexibility (E) & (F)	Conversion Factor (m2/Unit)
	Cat.	Short Description						
1	1.0*	Coats, jackets, rainwear	970,891	0.7%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
1a (Note 1)	1.2*	Jackets, brushed or fleeced, unlined						2.4
2	2.0	Winter outerwear	57,211	1%	2%	6% (3%)	б%	3.5
2a (Note 2)	2.0	Quilted shirt-like garments with tailored collar, MBC				6%(3%)	6%	2.7
3 (Note 3)	3.0	Male casual & fine wear	111,138	0.63%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
3a (Note 3)	3.1 3.3	- of which: Suits, MB; Jackets & blazers, MB	37,028	0.63%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
4a	4.1* 4.2*	Suits & ensembles, WGC; Jackets & blazers, WGC	300,113	0.75%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
4b (Note 4)	4.3* 4.4*	Dresses; Skirts	793,278	0.7%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.2
5	5.0*	Trousers, overalls & shorts	5,193,452	0.6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.9
5a	5.0* 5.4* 5.5*	- of which: Trousers, MB; Overalls & coveralis, MB; Shorts, MB	2,541,132	0.6%	3%	10%(5%)	11%	1.9
6	6.0	Tailored collar shirts, MBC	2,517,489	0.2%	2%	6% (3%)	6%	2.1
7	7.0	Woven shirts, blouses & similar articles	2,115,476	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.7
8 (Note 5)	8.0	Athletic wear, (k/c) shirts, blouses & similar articles, T-shirts & sweatshirts	18,281,961	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
8a	8.1	- of which: k/c shirts, blouses & similar articles	3,328,088	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
8b	8.4*	- of which: Athletic wear	896,153	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
9	9.0*	Underwear	1,739,571	0.2%	5%	10% (5%)	11%	1.0
10	10.0	Sleepwear & bathrobes	1,877,194	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.5
11	11.0*	Sweaters	5,861,015	0.5%	2%	6%(3%)	6%	1.4
112	11.1*	- of which: Sweaters, MB	2,135,878	0.5%	2%	6%(3%)	6%	1.4
12	12.0	Swimwear	1,117,907	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	12%	1.5
13	13.0	Foundation garments	42,945	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	12%	1.5
14 (Note 6)	14.0	Babies' gaments	1,616,762	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5

olincludes extended fibre coverage.

Note 1: Item 1a, special swing from Item 8 up to 295,736 units

Note 2: Item 2a, special swing from Item 6 up to 700,000 units.

Note 3: Cat. 3.2 includes extended fibre coverage; excludes HS codes for children of categories 3.1 & 3.3.

Note 4: Excludes Saris, WGC, woven of sub-category 4.3

Note 5: Cat. 8.4 includes extended fibre coverage.

Note 6: Cat. 14 is expressed in baby garment units.

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GROUP II

(A)		(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)
Agreement Item No.		Product Coverage	1993 Restraint Level (kgm)	Growth	Swing	Carryover/ Carry Forward	Combined Flexibility (E) & (F)	Conversion Factor (m2/Unit)
	Cat.	Short Description						
20	23 (Note 1) 24	Nylon yarn; Polyester yarn; Poly/cotton yarn; Artificial yarn, including other yarns of man- made fibres, not otherwise designated a category, of Headings 54.02, 54.04 to 54.06, 55.09, 55.11 and 56.04 to 56.06	1,033,814	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	2.22
25	25	Acrylic staple yarn	448,408	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	2.22
30	31.1 32 34 35 36	Combed wool fabric Cotton fabric; Nylon fabric; Polyester filament fabric; Poly/cotton fabric	4,093,177	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
30a	31.1	- of which: Cembed wool fabric	11,047	1%	5%	17%(5%)	11%	4.0
3 U b	32.3	- of which: Denim fabric	425,236	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.13
30c	34	- of which: Nylon fabric	89,018	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
30d	35	- of which: Polyester filament fabric	452,502	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
30e (Note 3)	35	- of which: Polyester filament fabric containing 15% or more by weight of polyester filaments	64,982	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
37±	37.1	Poly/rayon fabric	1,736,180	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
422	42.1	Toilet & kitchen liven, cotton terry, woven	159,493	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.4
43	43	Hosiery (PAR)	2,692,364	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	0.50
44	44	Work gloves & liners (PAR)	671,958	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	0.25
45	45	Handbags (DZN)	218,689	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.12
46	46	Tablecloths	192,341	4%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0

Note: No swing between products in Group I and products in Group II.99.

Note 1: Excludes filament yarn of polyester, partially oriented as described in sub-heading 5402.42. Note 2: Other than yarns solely of any single man-made fibre. Note 3: Agreement Item 30a is a subrestraint of Agreement Item 30d.

ANNEX II - PREAMBLE

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- 1. Unless otherwise indicated, gender means garments for men (M), boys (B) (sizes 8 to 18), women (W), girls (G) (sizes 7 to 16), children (C) (sizes 2 to 6X) and babies, of a body height not exceeding 86 cm (sizes 0 to 24 months).
- 2. Unless otherwise indicated, swing is permitted from adult garments to children's garments at a 3 to 5 ratio.
- 3. A partially manufactured textile article shall be taken to include an article unfinished or incomplete (including cut or shaped fabric for making such articles), provided that, is presented, the incomplete or unfinished article has the essential character of the complete or finished article. It shall also be taken to include the article presented unassembled or disassembled.
- 4. Garments of indeterminate gender, including unisex garments, are to be counted as of female gender.
- 5. Unless otherwise indicated, products covered by restraints under this arrangement in Group I and in Group II are those which predominate by weight of silk, wool, cotton, other vegetable fibres or man-made fibres. Excluded are products of Group I containing more than 85 per cent by weight of vegetable fibres, other than cotton, or more than 70 per cent by weight of silk fibres.
- 6. Unless otherwise indicated, any reference to fabrics includes fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated, where the non-textile substance accounts for 50 per cervat or less by weight.

ANNEX II - CLOTHING CATEGORIES

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<u>GROUP I</u>

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Coats, jackets & rainwear	1		 Overcoats, raincoats, car-coats, capes, cloaks, and similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; Anoraks (including ski-jackets) wind-cheaters, wind-jackets and similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; anoraks (including ski-jackets), wind-cheaters, wind-jackets and similar articles, other than those lined and designed to protect the wearer against the cold - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>; garments, made up of fabrics of headings 59.03 (plastic), 59.06 (rubber) or 59.07 (other), containing 50% or more by weight of textile material - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; lining of thermal characteristics suited for garments of subcategory 1.3 - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; 	NMB
- Coats		1.1	 Overcoats, car-coats, capes & cloaks, other than rainwear <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; lining of thermal characteristics suited for garments of sub-category 1.1 and 1.3 - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>. 	
- Jackets		1.2	 Anoraks (including ski-jackets) wind-cheaters and wind-jackets - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; anoraks (including ski-jackets), wind-cheaters and wind-jackets, other than those lined and designed to protect the wearer against the cold - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>. 	
- Rainwear		1.3	 Raincoats and rainwear - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; garments made up of fabrics of headings 59.03 (plastic), 59.06 (rubber) or 59.07 (other), containing 50% or more by weight of textile material - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>. 	
Winter outerwear	2		 Anoraks (including ski-jackets), wind-cheaters, wind-jackets and similar articles, lined and designed to protect the wearer against the cold - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>; bib and brace overalls (e.g. ski overalls), lined and designed to protect the wearer against the cold - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>; trousers and breeches (e.g. ski pants), lined and designed to protect the wearer against the cold - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>; ski suits - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>; ski suits - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>; snowsuits, snowmobile suits and similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>woven</u>; lining of thermal characteristics suited for garments of sub-category 1.2 - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; 	NMB
- Winter outerwear, MBWG		2.1	- Men's, boys', women's and girls'.	
- Winter outerwear, C		2.2	- Children's.	

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Male casual & fine wear	3		Suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers - MBC, k/c & woven:	NMB
 Fine suits, MBC Ensembles, MBC Jackets & blazers, MBC 		3.1 3.2 3.3	 Suits - <u>MBC, k/c & woven</u>. Ensembles - <u>MBC, k/c & woven</u>. Jackets and blazers - <u>MBC, k/c & woven</u>. 	
Female casual & fine wear	4		 Suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided- skirts - <u>WGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; 	NMB
- Suits & ensembles, WGC		4.1	- Suits and ensembles - WGC, k/c & woven.	
 Jackets & blazers, WGC 		4.2	- Jackets and blazers - WGC, k/c & woven.	
- Dresses*		4.3	- Dresses - WGC, k/c & woven	
- Skirts		4.4	- Skirts and divided skirts - WGC, k/c & woven.	
Trousers, overalls & shorts	5		 Trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches, shorts - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; coveralls - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>: 	NMB
 Trousers, MB Trousers, WG Trousers, C Overalls & coveralls Shorts 		5.1 5.2 5.3 5.4 5.5	 Trousers and breeches - <u>MB, k/c & woven</u>. Trousers and breeches - <u>WG, k/c & woven</u>. Trousers and breeches - <u>C, k/c & woven</u>. Bib and brace overalls - <u>MBWGC, k/c & woven</u>; coveralls - <u>MBWGC, k/c & woven</u>. Shorts - <u>MBWGC, k/c & woven</u>. 	
Tailored collar shirts, MBC	6		Shirts (with tailored collar) - MBC, k/c & woven.	NMB
Woven shirts, blouses & similar articles	7		 Shirts, blouses, shirt-blouses - <u>MBWGC</u>, woven; other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear type) - <u>MBWGC</u>, woven; and other similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, woven: 	NMB
- Woven shirts & similar articles, MB		7.1	 Men's & boys: Shirts - woven. other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear-type) - woven; and other similar articles - woven. 	
- Woven blouses & similar articles, WG		7.2	 Women's & girls': shirts, blouses, shirt-blouses - woven; other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear type) - woven; and other similar articles - woven, 	
- Woven shirts, blouses & similar articles, C		7.3	 Children's: shirts, blouses, shirt-blouses - <u>woven</u>; other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear type) - <u>woven</u>; and other similar articles - <u>woven</u>. 	

Excludes Saris, WGC, woven of sub-category 4.3.

		Sub		
Short Description	Category		Long Description	Units
Athletic wear, k/c shirts, blouses & similar articles, T- shirts & sweatshirts	8		 Shirts, blouses, shirt-blouses, <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear type) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; and other similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; T-shirts (other than of the underwear type), <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; brushed and fleeced pullovers (sweatshirts) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; ski suits - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; track suits and other athletic wear - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u> & woven: 	NMB
 k/c shirts, blouses & similar articles 		8.1	 Shirts, blouses, shirt-blouses - <u>MBWGC, k/c;</u> other singlets and vests (other than of the underwear-type) - <u>MBWGC, k/c;</u> and other similar articles - <u>MBWGC, k/c.</u> 	
- T-shirts - Sweatshirts		8.2 8.3	 T-shirts (other than of the underwear type) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>. Brushed or fleeced pullovers (sweatshirts) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>. 	
- Athletic wear		8.4	 Ski suits - <u>MBWGC, k/c;</u> track suits and other athletic wear - <u>MBWGC, k/c &</u> woven. 	
Underwear	9		 Underpants, briefs, panties, slips, petticoats and similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c & woven</u>; T-shirts (of the underwear type) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u>; singlets and other vests (of the underwear type) - <u>MBWGC</u>, <u>k/c</u> <u>& woven</u>: 	NMB
- Underwear, MB - Underwear, WG		9.1 9.2	 Men's & boys'. Women's & girls'. 	
- Underwear, C		9.3	- Children's.	
Sicepwear & bathrobes	10		Nightshirts, pyjamas, nightdresses, negligees, bathrobes, dressing gowas & similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u> , <u>k/c & woven</u> :	NMB
- Sleepwear, MBWG - Bathrobes,		10.1 19.2	 Nightshirts, pyjamas and nightdresses - <u>MBWG, k/c &</u> <u>woven</u>. Bathrobes, dressing gowns & negligees - <u>MBWG, k/c &</u> 	
MBWG - Sleepwear & bathrobes, C		10.3	- Children's.	
Sweaters	11		Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans, waist-coats, and similar articles - <u>MBWGC</u> , <u>k/c</u> :	NMB
 Sweaters, MB Sweaters, WG Sweaters, C 		11.1 11.2 11.3	 Men's & boys'. Women's & girls'. Children's. 	
Swimwear	12		Swimwear - MBWGC, k/c & woven.	NMB
Foundation garments	13		Brassieres, girdles, panty-girdles and corselettes, whether or not knitted or crocheted.	NMB

Short Description	Category	Sub Category		Long Description			
Babies' garments	14		Babies	Babies' garments:			
- Coats, jackets & rainwear		14.1	-	Coats, snowsuits, jackets and similar articles.			
- Trousers, overalls & shorts		14.2	-	Trousers, breeches, bib and brace overalls, coveralls and shorts,			
- Shirts, blouses & similar articles		14.3	-	Shirts, blouses and similar articles.			
- T-shirts & sweatshirts		14.4	-	T-shirts and sweatshirts.			
- Dresses & skirts		14.5	-	Dresses and skirts.			
- Sleepwcar		14.6	-	Sleepwear.			
- Underclothing		14.7	-	Underclothing.			
- Sweaters	l	14.8	-	Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans and sweaters.			
- Other garments		14.9	-	Other garments not elsewhere specified.			

ANNEX II - TEXTILE CATEGORIES

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Group II

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Nylon yarn	22		Yarn of nylon or other polyamide tilament (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale, including monofilament of less than 67 decitex; yarn of nylon or other polyamide staple fibres (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale; textile yarn, and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity nylon or other polyamides:	KGM
- Nylon filament yarn - Nylon staple yarn		22.1 22.2	 Yarn of nylon or other polyamide filament (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale, including monofilament of less than 67 decitex; textile yarn, and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity nylon or other polyamides: Yarn of nylon or other polyamide staple fibres (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale. 	
Polyester yarn (Note 1)	23		Yarn of polyester filaments (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale, including polyester monofilament of less than 67 decitex; yarn of polyester staple fibres (other than sewing thread and poly/cotton yarns of category 24), whether or not put up for retail sale; textile yarn, and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity polyesters:	KGM
 Polyester filament yarn (Note 1) Polyester staple yarn 		23.1 23.2	 Yarn of polyester filaments (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale, including polyester monofilament of less than 67 decitex; textile yarn and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity polyesters: Yarn of polyester staple fibres (other than sewing thread and poly/cotton yarns of category 24), whether or not put up for retail sale. 	
Poly/cotton yarn	24		Yarn of polyester stuple fibres (other than sewing thread), mixed mainly or solely with cotton, whether or not put up for retail sale.	KGM
Acrylic staple yarn	25		Yara of acrylic or modacrylic staple fibres (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale.	KGM

Note 1: Excludes filament yarn of polyester, partially oriented, as described in subheading 5402.42.

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Artificial yarn*	26		Yarn of artificial filament (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale, including artificial monofilament of less than 67 decitex; yarns of artificial staple fibres, containing 85% or more by weight of viscose rayon staple fibres, not put up for retail sale; yarn of other artificial staple fibres (other than sewing thread), whether or not put for retail sale; textile yarn and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity viscose:	KGM
 Viscose yarn* Other artificial filament yarn* Other artificial staple yarn* 		26.1 26.2 26.3	 High tenacity and textured filament yarn of viscose rayon, not put up for retail sale; filament yarn of viscose rayon single, untwisted or with a twist, multiple or cabled, not put up for retail sale; yarns of artificial staple fibres, containing 85% or more by weight of viscose rayon staple fibres, not put up for retail sale; textile yarn, and strip and the like of heading No. 54.04 or 54.05, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics, of high tenacity viscose. Other yarns of artificial filament (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale. Yarn of other artificial staple fibres (other than sewing thread), whether or not put up for retail sale. 	
Other man-made fibre yarns*			Other yarns of man-made fibres, not otherwise designated a category, of headings 54.02, 54.04 to 54.06, 55.09, 55.11 and 56.04 to 56.06.	KGM
- Combed wool fabric		31.1	 Woven fabrics of combed wool or fine animal hair; other woven fabrics, mixed mainly or solely with combed wool or fine animal hair; gauze of combed wool; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated. 	KGM
Cotton fabric	32		Woven fabrics of cotton; woven pile, chenille and serry towelling fabrics and gauze of cotton; denim fabrics of cotton, weighing more than 200 g/m2 of such fibres; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated:	KGM
 Cotton fabric, unbleached Cotton fabric, finished 		32.1 32.2	 Woven fabrics of cotton, unbleached; woven pile, chenille and terry towelling fabrics of cotton, unbleached and gauze of cotton. Woven fabrics of cotton, finished; woven pile, chenille and terry towelling fabrics of cotton, finished; and fabrics of Category 32.1 and 32.2, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated. 	
- Denim fabric		32.3	- Denim fabrics of cotton, weighing more than 200 g/m2 of such fibres; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated.	

*Other than yarns solely of any single man-made fibre.

Short Description	Category	Sub Category	Long Description	Units
Nylon fabric	34		Woven fabrics obtained from high tenacity yarn of nylon or other polyamides; other woven fabrics of nylon or other polyamide filament or staple fibres; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated.	KGM
 Nylon fabric, unbleached 		34.1	- Unbleached.	
- Nylon fabric, finished		34.2	- Finished; and fabrics of Category 34, impregnated, coated covered or laminated.	
Polyester filament fabric	35		Woven fabrics obtained from high tenacity yarn of polyesters; other woven fabrics of polyester filaments; other woven fabrics, mixed mainly or solely with polyester filaments; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated.	KGM
Poly/cotton fabric	36		Woven fabrics of cotton, containing less than 85% by weight, mixed mainly or solely with polyester staple fibres; woven fabrics of polyester staple fibres, containing less than 85% by weight of such fibres, mixed mainly or solely with cotton; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated:	KGM
 Poly/cotton fabric, unbleached 		36.1	- Unbleached;	
 Poly/cotton fabric, finished 		36.2	- Finished; and fabrics of Category 36, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated.	
- Poly/rayon fabric		37.1	- Woven fabrics of rayon filament or staple fibres, mixed mainly or solely with polyester staple fibres; woven fabrics of polyester staple fibres, mixed mainly or solely with viscose rayon filament or staple fibres; and similar fabrics, impregnated, coated, covered or laminated.	KGM
- Toilet & kitchen linen, cotton terry, woven		42.1	- Toilet linen and kitchen linen, woven, of terry towelling, of cotton.	KGM
Hosiery	43		Hosiery:	PAR
 Hosiery, wool Hosiery, non- wool 		43.1 43.2	 Of wool or fine animal hair. Of other textile materials. 	
Work gloves & liners	44		Work gloves and work glove liners:	PAR
Work glovesWork glove liners		44.1 44.2	- Work gloves. - Work glove liners.	
Hanibags	45		Handbags of textile materials, whether or not with shoulder strap, including those without handle:	DZN
 Handbags, not coated Handbags, coated. 		45.1 45.2	Not coated.Coated.	
Tablecloths	46		Table linen, of polyester or of cotton, mixed mainly or solely with polyester.	KGM

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15 February 1993

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Mr. Jean Saint-Jacques Director Import Controls I Division External Affairs Canada P.O. Box 481 Station "A" Ottawa, Ontario K1N 9K6

Dear Mr. Saint-Jacques,

Further to your letter of 31 December 1993 (ref. # KPT-2208), and subsequent discussions, we are pleased to confirm you that the Revised Annex I-Restraint Levels (dated 24 December 1992) is acceptable to the Taiwan Textile Federation, and that the Federation also thereby agrees that this letter along with the said letter of yours constitutes an amendment to the Agreed Record regrading the conversion of the category structure of Statement of Intent to the Harmonized System.

Sincerely yours,

(signed) Mark Tseng Director

Attachments: a/s

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Mr. Mark Tseng Director, Economic Division Taipei Economic and Cultural Office 2 Bloor Street East, Suite 3315 Hudson's Bay Centre Toronto, Ontario M4W 1A8

Dear Mr. Tseng,

I am writing to you concerning the extension beyond 1993 of the Statement of Intent signed by the Taiwan Textile Federation relating to the export from Taiwan of certain textiles and textile products for import into Canada.

As you are aware, there is at present some degree of uncertainty with respect to the rules which will govern our bilateral trade in textiles and clothing in 1994. At the same time, orders have already been placed for delivery in 1994, and manufacturers in Canada and in Taïwan will soon have to produce the items necessary to meet their 1994 delivery commitments. Canadian importers have also committed themselves to meet increasingly stringent deadlines for delivery to their Canadian customers. In the absence of the extension of the Statement of Intent, we are not in a position at this time to counsel Canadian importers on whether the current import régime would continue into 1994.

You will appreciate that we remain fully committed to maintaining an effective import control policy for the textile and clothing industries in order to moderate growth in low-cost imports and to provide the Canadian industry with a climate that is conducive to an orderly adjustment process. At the same time, the current Statement of Intent has served to ensure secure terms of access for textiles and clothing exports from Taiwan.

I would propose, therefore, that the Statement of Intent be extended until 31 December 1994 or, if the Taiwan Textile Federation is agreeable, to 31 December 1995. This extension would apply to all terms and conditions contained in the current Statement of Intent, including growth rates and flexibility provisions.

If the Taiwan Textile Federation: is in agreement with the proposed extension of the Statement of Intent, I would propose further that this letter, along with the reply from the Taiwan Textile Federation, constitute an arrangement extending the Statement of Intent until the date on which we mutually agree.

Yours sincerely,

(signed) Jean Saint-Jacques Director Import Controls Division I (Textiles and Clothing) Export and Import Permit Bureau

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<u>GROUP I</u>

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(A)		(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)
Agreement Item No.	Produce Coverage		1990 Restraint Level (Unit)	Growth	Swing	Carryover/ Carry Forward	Combined Flexibility (E) & (F)	Conversion Factor (m2/Unit)
	Cat.	Shorn Description						
1	1.0*	Coars, jackets, ninwear	977,687	0.7%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
1a (Note 1)	1.2*	Jackens, brushed or fleeced, unlined						2.4
2	2.0	Winner outer wear	57,783	1%	2%	6% (3%)	6%	3.5
2a (Note 2)	2.0	Quiland shirt-like garments with tailored collar, MBC				6%(3%)	6%	2.7
3 (Note 3)	3.0	Male casual & fine wear	111,838	0.63%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
3a (Note 3)	3.1 3.3	- of which: Suits, MB; Jackens & bliazers, MB	37,261	0.63%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
42	4.1* 4.2*	Suits & ensembles, WGC; Jackets & blazers, WGC	302,364	0.75%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
4b (Note 4)	4.3° 4.4*	Dresses; Skirts	798,831	0.7%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.2
5	5.0*	Trousen, ovenils & shorts	5,224,613	0.6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.9
Sa	5.1* 5.4* 5.5*	- of which: Trousses, MDB; Oversalls & coveralis, MB; Shorts	2,556,379	0.6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.9
6	6.0	Tailored colliar shirts, MBC	2,522,524	0.2%	2%	6% (3%)	6%	2.1
7	7.0	Woven shirts, blouses & similar articles	2,126,053	0.5%	5%	19%(5%)	11%	1.7
8 (Naie 5)	8.0	Athlesiic wear, (k/c) shiarts, blouses & simailar articles, T-shiarts & sweatsshirts	18,373,371	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
8a	8.1	- of willich: k/c shiinti, biouses & sinzullar articles:	3,344,728	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
80	8.4*	- of withich: Athleciic wear	900,644	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
9	9.0*	Underwar	1,743,050	0.2%	5%	10% (5%)	11%	1.0
10	10.0	Siceptorear & bathrobes	1,880,948	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.5

*Includes extended fibre covenge.

Note 1: Item 1a, special swring from Item 8 up to 295,736 units

Note 2: Item 2a, special swring from liem 6 up to 700,000 units.

Note 3: Cat. 3.2 includes exceeded fibre coverage; excludes HS codes for children of categories 3.1 & 3.3.

Note 4: Excludes Saris, WGC, woven of sub-category 4.3

Note 5: Cat. 8.4 includes extended fibre coverage.

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ANNEX I - RESTRAINT LEVELS

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(A)		(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)
Agreement Item No.		Product Coverage	1994 Restraint Level (Unit)	Growth	Swing	Carryover/ Carry Forward	Combined Flexibility (E) & (F)	Conversion Factor (m2/Unit)
	Cat.	Short Description				1 of wald	(2) & (1)	(inter/outly
11	11.0*	Sweaters	5,890,320	0.5%	2%	6%(3%)	6%	1.4
11 a	11.1*	- of which: Sweaters, MB	2,146,557	0.5%	2%	6%(3%)	6 %	1.4
12	12.0	Swimwear	1,120,143	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	12%	1.5
13	13.0	Foundation garments	43,031	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	12%	1.5
14 (Note 1)	14.0	Babies' garments	1,624,846	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14a	14.1	- of which: Coats, jackets & rainwear	162,485	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	115	1.5
14b	14.2	- of which: Trousers, overalls & shorts	162,485	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14c	14.3	- of which: Shirts, blouses & similar articles	162,485	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14d	14.4	- of which: T-shirts & sweatshirts	162,485	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14c	14.5	- of which: Dresses & skirts	162,485	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14f	14.6	- of which: Sleepwear	568,696	0.5%	5 %	19%(5%)	11%	1.5
14g	14.7	- of which: Underclothing	162,485	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14b	14.8	- of which: Sweaters	162,485	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14i	14.9	- of which: Other gaments	812,423	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5

Note 1: Cat. 14 is expressed in baby garment units. Cat. 14.1, 14.2, 14.3, 14.4, 14.5, 14.7, 14.8 not to exceed 10 per cent of annual restraint of Cat. 14. Cat. 14.6 not to exceed 35 per cent and Cat. 14.9 not to exceed 50 per cent.

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(A)		(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)
Agreement Isem No.		Product Coverage		Growth	Swing	Carryover/ Carry Forward	Combined Flexibility (E) & (F)	Conversion Factor (m2/Unit)
	Cat.	Short Description						
20	22 23 (Note 1) 24 26 (Note 2)		1,064,828	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	2.22
25	25	Acrylic staple yarn	470,828	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	2.22
30	31.1 32 34 35 36	Combed wool fabric Cotton fabric; Nylon fabric; Polyester filament fabric; Poly/cotton fabric	4,297,836	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
30a	31.1	- of which: Combed wool fabric	11,157	1%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
306	32.3	- of which: Denim fabric	446,498	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.13
30c	34	- of which: Nylon fabric	91,689	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
30d	35	- of which: Polyester filansat fabric	466,077	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
30e (Note 3)	35	- of which: Polyester filament fabric containing 85% or more by weight of polyester filaraents	66,931	3%	5%	19%(5%)	11%	5.0
37a	37.1	Poly/rayon fabric	1,822,989	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
42a	42.1	Toilet & kitchen linen, cotton terry, woven	169,063	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.4
43	43	Hosiery (PAR)	2,853,906	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	0.50
44	44	Work gloves & liners (PAR)	692,117	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	0.25
45	45	Handbags (DZN)	231,810	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.12
46	46	Tablecloths	200,035	4%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0

Note: No swing between products in Group I and products in Group II.

Note 1: Excludes filament yarn of polyester, partially oriented as described in sub-heading 5402.42. Note 2: Other than yarns solely of any single may made fibre. Note 3: Agreement item 30a is a subrestraint of Agreement Item 30d.

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(A)		(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)
Agreement Item No.	Product Coverage		1995 Restraint Level (Unit)	Growth	Swing	Carryover/ Carry Forwani	Combined Flexibility (E) & (F)	Conversion Factor (m2/Uait)
	Cat.	Short Description						
1	1.0*	Coats, jackets, rainwear	984,531	0.7%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
1a (Note 1)	1.2*	Jackets, brushed or fleeced, unlined						2.4
2	2.0	Winter outerwear	58,361	1%	2%	6% (3%)	6%	3.5
2a (Note 2)	2.0	Quilted shirt-like garments with uilored collar, MBC				6%(3%)	6%	2.7
3 (Note 3)	3.0	Male casual & fine wear	112,543	0.63%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4,4
3a (Note 3)	3.1 3.3	- of which: Suits, MB; Jackets & blazers, MB	37,496	0.63%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
4a	4.1* 4.2*	Suits & ensembles, WGC; Jackets & blazers, WGC	304,632	0.75%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.4
4b (Note 4)	4.3* 4.4*	Dresses; Skirts	804,423	0.7%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.2
5	5.0*	Trousers, overalls & shorts	5,255,961	0.6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.9
5a	5.0* 5.4* 5.5*	- of which: Trousers, MB; Ovenils & covenils, MB; Shorts	2,571,717	0.6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.9
6	6.0	Tailored collar shirts, MBC	2,527,569	0.2%	2%	6% (3%)	6%	2.1
7	7.0	Woven shirts, blouses & similar articles	2,136,683	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.7
8 (Note 5)	8.0	Athletic wear, (k/c) shirts, blouses & similar articles, T-shirts & sweatshirts	18,465,238	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
8a	8.1	- of which: k/c shirts, blousses & similar aricles	3,361,452	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
8b	8.4*	- of which: Athletic wear	905,147	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.8
9	9.0*	Underwear	1,746,536	0.2%	5%	10% (5%)	11%	1.0
10	10.0	Sleepwear & bathrobes	1,884,710	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.5

*Includes extended finder coverage.

Note 1: Item Ia, special swing frozm Item 8 up to 295,736 units

Note 2: Item 2a, special swing from Item 6 up to 700,000 units.

Note 3: Cat. 3.2 includes extended fibre coverage; excludes HS codes for children of categories 3.1 & 3.3.

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(A)		(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)
Agreement Item No.		Product Coverage	1995 Restraint Level (Unit)	Growth	Swing	Carryover/ Carry Forward	Combined Flexibility (E) & (F)	Conversion Factor (m2/Unit)
	Cat.	Short Description						
11	11.0*	Sweaters	5,919,772	0.5%	2%	6%(3%)	6%	1.4
2 1a	11.1*	- of which: Sweaters, MB	2,157,290	0.5%	2%	6%(3%)	6%	1.4
12	12.0	Swimwear	1,122,383	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	12%	1.5
13	13.0	Foundation garments	43,117	0.2%	5%	10%(5%)	12%	1.5
14 (Note 1)	14.0	Babies' garments	1,632,970	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14	14.1	- of which: Coats, jackets & rainwear	163,297	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14b	14.2	- of which: Trousers, overalls & shorts	163,297	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14c	14.3	- of which: Shirts, blouses & similar articles	163,297	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
140	14.4	- of which: T-shirts & sweatshirts	163,297	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14:	14.5	- of which: Dresses & skirts	163,297	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14í	14.6	- of which: Sleepwear	571,539	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14g	14.7	- of which: Underclothing	163,297	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14h	14.8	- of which: Sweaters	163,297	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5
14i	14.9	- of which: Other garments	816,485	0.5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	1.5

Note 1: Cat. 14 is expressed in baby garment units. Cat. 14.1, 14.2, 14.3, 14.4, 14.5, 14.7, 14.8 not to exceed 10 per cent of annual restning of Cat. 14. Cat. 14.6 not to exceed 35 per cent and Cat. 14.9 not to exceed 50 per cent.

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GROUP II

(A)	(B)		(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)
Agreement Item No.		Product Coverage		Growth	Swing	Carryover/ Carry Forward	Combined Flexibility (E) & (F)	Conversion Factor (m2/Unit)
	Cat.	Short Description						
20	22 23 (Note 1) 24 26 (Note 2)	Nylon yarn; Polyester yarn; Poly/cotton yarn; Artificial yarn, including other yarns of man- made fibres, not otherwise designated a category, of Headings 54.02, 54.04 to 54.06, 55.09, 55.11 and 56.04 to 56.06	1,096,773	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	2.22
25	25	Acrylic staple yarn	494,369	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	2.22
30	31.1 32 34 35 36	Combed wool fabric Cotton fabric; Nylon fabric; Polyester filament fabric; Poly/cotton fabric	4,512,728	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
30a	31.1	- of which: Combined wool fabric	11,269	1%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
30ь	32.3	- of which: Denim fabric	468,823	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.13
30c	34	- of which: Nylon fabric	94,440	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0
30d	35	- of which: Polyester filament fabric	480,059	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
30e (Note 3)	35	- of which: Polyester filament fabric containing 85% or more by weight of polyester filaments	68,939	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
37a	37.1	Poly/rayon fabric	1,914,138	5%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	5.0
42a	42.1	Toilet & kitchen linen, cotton terry, woven	179,207	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.4
43	43	Hosiery (PAR)	3,025,140	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	0.50
44	44	Work gloves & liners (PAR)	712,881	3%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	0.25
45	45	Handbags (DZN)	245,719	6%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	3.12
46	46	Tablecloths	208,036	4%	5%	10%(5%)	11%	4.0

Note: No swing between products in Group I and products in Group II.

Note 1: Excludes filament yarn of polyester, partially oriented as described in sub-heading 5402.42. Note 2: Other than yarns solely of any single man-made fibre.

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Mr. Ted Hobson Director-General Export and Import Permits Bureau Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada 7th Floor C-4 Lester B. Pearson Building 125 Sussex Drive Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0G2

> 21 December 1993 Ref. No.:93-E0162

Dear Mr. Hobson,

This refers to our meeting of 8 December 1993 concerning an extension of the Statement of Intent relating to the export of certain textiles and textile products from Taiwan to Canada during the period ending 31 December 1993.

The situation regarding international trade in textiles has been reviewed and it is proposed that the terms of the Statement of Intent be extended for a period of two years, until 31 December 1995, in order to provide certainty to those engaged in textile trade between the two countries. It is further proposed that the extension would apply to all terms and conditions in the Statement of Intent including growth rates, flexibility provisions and carryover/carry forward provisions between 1993 and 1994.

It is noted that the extension proposed will have the further effect of amending paragraphs 4 and 6 of the Statement of Intent so as to extend the period of application of all of the provisions of the Statement of Intent for two years i.e. 31 December 1995. It is assumed that the extension will also apply to paragraph 16 regarding carry forward arrangements.

It is also assumed that in the event that Taiwan becomes a member of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT), or any successor organization prior to 31 December 1995, that the Canadian Government would be prepared to give every consideration to extend the benefits of the GATT Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing to export of certain textiles and textile products from Taiwan to Canada.

In the event that Taiwan should not become a member of the GATT during the period of the proposed extension of the Statement of Intent, i.e. 31 December 1995, it is assumed that the Canadian Government, if requested to concult, would be prepared to give consideration to possible adjustment of the Statement of Intent to reflect similar conditions to those provided in the GATT Agreement on Textiles and Clothing, effective 1 July 1995.

It would be appreciated if an early response could be received to this extension proposal as well as your views on how best to give effect to this proposed extension.

Yours sincerely,

(signed) Mark K. N. Tseng Director

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Mr. Mark K.N. Tseng Director Economic Division Taipei Economic & Cultural Office, Canada 45 O'Connor Street, Suite 1960 OTTAWA, Ontario K1P 1A4

Dear Mr. Tseng,

This refers to your letter of 21 December 1993 and the letter to you from my colleague Mr. Jean Saint-Jacques, dated 26 July 1993, regarding the Statement of Intent signed by the Taiwan Textile Federation relating to the export from Taiwan of certain textiles and textile products for import into Canada.

I am pleased to note your concurrence with our proposal that the Statement of Intent, including all the terms and conditions therein, be extended for a period of two years, until 31 December 1995.

In your letter you raise two other points regarding arrangements beyond 1 July 1995, when the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing is scheduled to come into effect.

On the first point, I can confirm that Canada would be prepared to give every consideration to extend the benefits of the Uruguay Round Agreement to the export of certain textiles and textile products from Taiwan to Canada in the event that Taiwan becomes a contracting party to the GATT prior to 1 July 1995.

On the second point, in the event that Taiwan is not a contracting party to the GATT prior to 1 July 1995, Canada would be prepared to consult, if requested, regarding future arrangements for trade in textiles. As I had indicated to you on 8 December, however, benefits accruing from the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles flow from a wide-ranging multilateral effort in which all GATT contracting parties contributed important concessions by way of increased market access, and by agreeing to new and improved rules for international trade. The Government of Canada would no doubt wish to keep this broader context in mind in considering possible adjustments to the Statement of Intent.

Yours sincerely,

(signed) D.E. Hobson Director General Export & Import Permits Bureau

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