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ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Extension of the Bilateral Agreement between the United States and Sri Lanka

The Textiles Surveillance Body received a notification from the United States of an extension of its agreement with Sri Lanka for the period 1 July 1992 to 30 June 1994.

The TSB, pursuant to its procedures regarding notifications received 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/1444 and 1510.

²See COM.TEX/SB/35, Annex B.

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Embassy of the United States of America

No. 340

UNITED STATES NOTE TO THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

The Embassy of the United States of America presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and has the honour to refer to the Arrangement Regarding International Trade in Textiles, done at Geneva on 20 December 1973, as extended (hereinafter the Arrangement); to the Agreement, as amended, between the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and the United States of America relating to trade in cotton, wool, man-made, silk blend and other vegetable fibre textile and textile product, effected by exchange of notes, on 20 May and 6 June 1987, in Washington, D.C., as amended and extended (hereinafter the Agreement); and, to discussions between representatives of the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and representatives of the Government of the United States of America held in Colombo, 12-14 February, and in Washington 8-10 June 1992. The Embassy has the further honour to propose that the Agreement between the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and the United States of America be amended and extended to read as follows:

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA CONCERNING TRADE IN COTTON, WOOL, MAN-MADE, SILK BLEND, AND OTHER VEGETABLE FIBRE TEXTILE AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS

AGREEMENT TERM

- 1. (A) The term of this Agreement shall be from 1 July 1992 through 30 June 1994. Each "Agreement Period" shall be a twelve-month period from 1 July of a given year to 30 June of the following year.
 - (B) In the event that a transition Arrangement for the integration of textiles into the GATT is agreed upon, the provisions of this Agreement shall be brought into conformity with that Arrangement.

CLASSIFICATION

2. (A) Textiles and textile products subject to this Agreement are those set forth in Annex A. Tops, yarns, piece goods, made-up articles, garments and other textile manufactured products, which derive their chief characteristics from their textile components of cotton, wool, man-made fibre, silk blends and non-cotton vegetable fibres, or blends thereof, in which any or all of those fibres in combination represent the chief weight of the product, are subject to this Agreement. Components of an article which are not considered relevant to the classification under the general rules of interpretation of the legal notes to Section XI of the Harmonized System are likewise to be disregarded here.

- (B) For the purposes of this Agreement, textile product covered by sub-paragraph 2(A) above shall be classified as:
 - (I) Man-made fibre textiles if the product is in chief weight of man-made fibres, unless:
 - (A) The product is knitted or crocheted apparel in which wool equals or exceeds 23 per cent by weight of all fibres, in which case the product will be a wool textile; or
 - (B) The product is apparel, not knitted or crocheted, in which wool equals or exceeds 36 per cent by weight of all fibres, in which case the product will be a wool textile;
 - (C) The product is a woven fabric in which wool equals or exceeds 36 per cent by weight of all fibres, in which case the product will be a wool textile.
 - (II) Cotton textiles if not covered by (B) (I) and if the product is in chief weight of cotton, unless the product is a woven fabric in which wool equals or exceeds 36 per cent by weight of all fibres, in which case the product will be a wool textile.
 - (III) Wool textiles if neither of the foregoing applies, and the product is in chief weight of wool.
 - (IV) Silk or non-cotton vegetable fibre textiles, if none of the foregoing applies and the product is in chief weight of silk of non-cotton vegetable fibre unless:
 - (A) Cotton with wool and/or man-made fibres in the aggregate equal or exceed 50 per cent by weight of the component fibres thereof and the cotton component equals or exceeds the weight of each of the total wool and/or man-made fibre component, in which case the product will be a cotton textile.
 - (B) If not covered by (IV) (A) and wool exceeds 17 per cent by weight of all component fibres in which case the product will be considered a wool textile.
 - (C) If not covered by (IV) (A) or (B) and man-made fibres in combination with cotton and/or wool in the aggregate equal or exceed 50 per cent by weight of the component fibres thereof and the man-made fibre component exceeds the weight of the total wool and/or total cotton component, in which case the product will be considered a man-made fibre textile.
 - (V) Notwithstanding the above, garments which contain 70 per cent or more by weight silk (unless they also contain over 17 per cent by weight wool), and products other than garments which contain 85 per cent or more by weight silk are not subject to this Agreement. Silk and "non-cotton vegetable fibre" sweaters, as determined above, shall be divided into "silk" sweaters and "non-cotton vegetable fibre" sweaters. For the purpose of this division, sweaters shall be classified as "silk" if the silk component exceed by weight the non-cotton vegetable fibre component (if any). Sweaters not classified as "silk"

sweaters in accordance with the foregoing shall be classified as "non-cotton vegetable fibre" sweaters. Garments containing 70 per cent or more by weight silk and over 17 per cent by weight wool shall be classified as wool textiles. under sub-paragraph (B) (IV) (B).

CONVERSION FACTORS

Coverage under this paragraph is intended to be identical with the terms of Article 12 of the Arrangement Regarding International Trade in Textiles and in conformance with Paragraph 24 of the 31 July 1986, Protocol of Extension. In the event of a question regarding whether a product is covered by this Agreement by virtue of being in chief weight of cotton, wool, man-made fibre, silk, or non cotton vegetable fibre, the chief value of the fibres may be considered.

IMPLEMENTATION

The system of categories and the rates of conversion into square metres equivalent listed in Annex A shall apply in implementing this Agreement. For purposes of computing limits and charges to limits, the rates of conversion for individual categories set out in Annex A shall be applied.

MERGED CATEGORIES

For purposes of this Agreement, and in recognition of the patterns of trade between Sri Lanka and the United States, the categories below are merged and treated as single categories, as indicated, with specific limits and sub-limits as listed in Annex B. The rates of conversion for individual categories set out in Annex A shall be applied, except as stated below:

MERGED CATEGORIES	CONVERSION F.
331/631	2.9
333/633	30.3
334/634	34.5
335/835	34.5
336/636/836	37.9
338/339	6.0
340/640	20.1
341/641	12.1
342/642/842	14.9
345/845	30.8
347/348/847	14.9
350/650	42.6
351/641	43.5
352/652	11.3
359/659-C	10.1
638/639/838	13.0
645/646	30.8
647/648	14.9

PART-CATEGORIES

For purposes of this Agreement, and in recognition of the patterns of trade between Sri Lanka and the United States, the following categories summarized in Annex A contain part-categories. The rates of conversion for the individual categories set out in Annex A shall be applied.

Category	Designation in Agreement	Description
369	369-D	Dishtowels
369	369-S	Shoptowels
369	369-O	Other
340	340-Y	Mens' and Boys' Shirts made of fabric with two or more colours in the warp and/or filling
340	340-O	Other
640	640-Y	Men's and Boys' Shirts made of fabric with two or more colours in the warp and/or filling
640	640-O	Other
359/659	359-C/659-C	Coveralls
359/659	359-O/659-O	Other
347/348/847	347-T/348-T/847-T	Trousers, Slacks and Shorts
347/348/847	347-O/348-O/847-O	Other

SPECIFIC LIMITS

- 6. (A) Commencing with the first Agreement period and during the subsequent term of this Agreement, the Government of Sri Lanka shall limit annual exports of textiles and textile products of Sri Lanka to the United States to the specific limits set out in Annex B, as such limits may be adjusted in accordance with paragraphs 7 and 8. The specific limits and sub-limits in Annex B include growth, but do not include flexibility under paragraphs 7 and 8. Exports of textiles and textile products of Sri Lanka are subject to limits for the Agreement period in which exported.
 - (B) Notwithstanding paragraph 6 (A), commencing with the first Agreement period and during the subsequent term of the Agreement, the Government of Sri Lanka may export an additional five (5) per cent to the United States of garments made from locally-woven, hand-loomed fabric in categories 334/634, 336/636/836, and 342.

FLEXIBILITY (CARRYOVER/CARRY FORWARD)

- 7. (A) The extend to which any specific limit or sub-limit set out in Annex B may be exceeded in any Agreement period by carryover (the use of any unused quantity (shortfall) of the corresponding limit from the previous period) and/or carry forward (borrowing a portion of the corresponding limit from the succeeding Agreement period) is 11 per cent, of which carry forward shall not constitute more than six per cent.
 - (B) For purposes of this Agreement, a shortfall occurs when exports of textiles or textile products of Sri Lanka to the United States during an Agreement period (plus any charges for overshipments made in the preceding years) are below any applicable limit set out in Annex B, as decreased pursuant to paragraphs 6 and 7, or adjusted downward for overshipments or other mutually agreed upon amendments. In the Agreement period following the shortfall, such products of Sri Lanka exported to the United States of America may be permitted to exceed

the applicable limits subject to conditions set forth above, by carryover of shortfall in the following manner:

- (I) The carryover shall not exceed the amount of shortfall in any applicable limit;
- (1!) The shortfall shall be used in the category in which the shortfall occurred; and
- (III) Carryover of shortfall may be used as available up to 11 per cent of the receiving Agreement period's applicable limit or sub-limit.
- (C) No carryover shall be available for application during the first Agreement period. No carry forward shall be available for application during the last Agreement period. Carryover and carry forward shall be available between the 1991-1992 and the 1992-1993 Agreement years.

FLEXIBILITY (SWING)

- 8. (A) Any specific category limit and sub-limit may be exceeded in any Agreement period by not more than seven per cent (five per cent for wool categories) swing provided that the amount of the increase is compensated for by an equivalent decrease (in square metres equivalent) in one or more other specific limits. When informing the United States of adjustments under the provisions of this paragraph, Sri Lanka shall indicate the category or categories to be decreased by commensurate quantities.
 - (B) A special shift of twenty (20) per cent, calculated on the base level of the receiving category and converted to square metres equivalent, shall be available between category 335/835 and category 635.
 - (C) A special shift of ten (10) per cent, calculated on the base level of the receiving category and converted to square metres equivalent, shall be available between category 338/339 and 638/539/838.
 - (D) A special shift of fifteen (15) per cent, calculated on the base level of the receiving category and converted to square metres equivalent, shall be available between category 347/348/847 and 647/648.

AUTOMATIC FLEXIBILITY

9. The Government of the United States of America may apply flexibility under paragraph 7 to any specific limit and sub-limit whenever that adjustment appears appropriate to facilitate the flow of trade and the sound administration of this Agreement. The Government of the United States shall inform the Government of Sri Lanka of adjustments implemented under the provisions of this paragraph. To the extent that such adjustments are actually utilized, they will be implemented by means of carryover and carry forward, in that order. Any unused carry forward will be re-credited to the following Agreement period's limit. This procedure will not prejudice the outcome of any consultations that may be held between the two governments concerning the amounts of available carryover and the carry forward used.

DESIGNATED CONSULTATION LEVELS

10. In the event the Government of Sri Lanka wishes to export to the United States of America textile products in excess of any applicable designated consultation level, the Government of Sri Lanka shall request the higher level and the Government of the United States of America shall consider the request sympathetically and shall respond within thirty days. If, because of problems of market disruption, as defined in Annex A of the Arrangement, in the United States of America in a category subject to such a request, the United States is unable to fully comply, the Government of the United States shall so inform the Government of Sri Lanka and will supply data which form the basis for the position taken by the Government of the United States of America. If requested by the Government of Sri Lanka, the Government of the United States shall consult promptly regarding the presence or absence of market disruption.

CONSULTATION MECHANISM

- 11. (A) In the event that the Government of the United States believes that imports of cotton, wool, man-made fibre textiles and textile products, and garments made of silk blends or vegetable fibre other than cotton of Sri Lanka in any category or any product not covered by specific limits listed in Annex A are, due to market disruption or the threat thereof, threatening to impede the orderly development of trade between the two countries, the Government of the United States may request consultations with the Government of Sri Lanka with a view to avoiding such market disruption or the threat thereof. The Government of the United States, at the time of the request, shall provide the Government of Sri Lanka with a detailed factual statement of the reasons and justification for its request for consultations, with current data, which in the view of the Government of the United States demonstrates:
 - (I) The existence or threat of market disruption, as defined in Annex A of the Arrangement, and
 - (II) The rôle of products of Sri Lankan origin in that disruption or threat of disruption.
 - (B) Both Governments agree to consult within 30 days of receipt of a request for consultations. Both sides agree to make every effort to reach agreement on a mutually satisfactory resolution of the issue within 90 days of the receipt of such request, unless this period is extended by mutual agreement.
 - (C) (I) Upon the receipt of the request for consultations, and for the period remaining in the Agreement year in which the request is made, the Government of Sri Lanka agrees to hold its shipments to the United States of America of textile or textile products in the category or categories subject to these consultations to a level no greater than 20 per cent (six per cent for wool product categories) above the amount entered, as reported in US general import statistics, during the first twelve of the most recent fourteen months preceding the month in which the request for consultations was made, prorated for the number of months remaining in the year.
 - (II) Where three or fewer menths remain in an Agreement year at the time of the request for consultations, upon receipt of the request for consultations the Government of Sri Lanka agrees to hold its shipments to the United States of textiles or textile products in the category or categories subject to these consultations for the remaining months of the Agreement year plus the

subsequent Agreement year to a level no greater than 20 per cent (six per cent for wool product categories) above the amount entered, as reported in US general import statistics, during the first twelve of the most recent fourteen months preceding the month in which the request for consultations was made, prorated for the remaining month of the Agreement year plus the subsequent Agreement year.

- (D) If no mutually satisfactory solution is reached during the 90-day consultation period, consultations shall continue and the Government of the United Sates may continue the limits for textiles or textile products in the category or categories subject to these consultation for the duration of the Agreement.
- (E) (I) The first term of any restraint limit established under the preceding subparagraph will be effective for the period beginning on the date of the request for consultations and ending on the last day of the Agreement year in which the restraint limit was established, or where three or fewer months remained in the Agreement year at the time of the request for consultations, for the period ending on the last day of the subsequent Agreement year.
 - (II) For each remaining Agreement year any restraint limit established under this provision will be increased by six per cent growth per year (one per cent in the case of wool product categories). The subsequent restraint limits shall have any available swing, carryover or carry forward as is provided for specific limits under paragraphs 7 and 8 of this Agreement. Carryover will not be available in the first Agreement year.

OVERSHIPMENT CHARGES

- 12. (A) Imports of textiles and textile products of Sri Lanka in excess of authorized levels in any Agreement period may be denied entry into the United States. Any such shipments denied entry may be permitted entry into the United States and charged to the applicable limit in the succeeding Agreement period. The Government of the United States shall inform the Government of Sri Lanka of any such charges.
 - (B) Any action taken pursuant to this paragraph shall not prejudice the rights of either government regarding consultations.

SPACING PROVISION

13. The Government of Sri Lanka shall use its best efforts to space exports of its textiles and textile products to the United States within each category evenly throughout the Agreement period, taking into consideration normal seasonal factors.

US ASSISTANCE IN IMPLEMENTATION OF THE LIMITATION PROVISION

14. Both Governments shall take appropriate measures of export and import control to implement the limitation provisions of the Agreement. The Government of the United States may assist the Government of Sri Lanka in implementing the limitation provisions of the Agreement by controlling its imports of textiles covered by the Agreement.

EXCHANGE OF DATA

15. Upon request, the Government of the United States of America shall promptly supply the Government of Sri Lanka with monthly data on imports into the United States of textiles and textile products of Sri Lanka. Upon request, the Government of Sri Lanka shall promptly supply the Government of the United States of America with data on monthly exports of textiles and textile products of Sri Lanka to the United States. Each government agrees to supply promptly any other available statistical data necessary for the implementation of this Agreement.

ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

16. Mutually satisfactory administrative arrangements or adjustments may be made to resolve minor problems arising in the implementation of this Agreement, including differences in points of procedure or operation.

CONSULTATION ON IMPLEMENTATION QUESTIONS

17. The Government of the United States of America and the Government of Sri Lanka, upon request of the other, agree to consult on any question arising in the implementation of this Agreement.

RIGHT TO PROPOSE REVISIONS TO THE AGREEMENT

18. The Government of the United States and the Government of Sri Lanka may at any time propose revisions in the terms of this Agreement. Each Government agrees to consult promptly with the other about such proposals with a view to making such revisions to this Agreement, or taking such other appropriate action as may be mutually agreed upon.

CONSULTATIONS IN CASE OF INEQUITY VIS-A-VIS A THIRD COUNTRY

19. If the Government of Sri Lanka considers that, as a result of limitations specified in this Agreement, Sri Lanka is being placed in an inequitable position in relation to a third country, the Government of Sri Lanka may request consultations with the Government of the United States of America with a view to taking appropriate remedial action such as a reasonable modification of this Agreement.

AGREEMENT CIRCUMVENTION

20. Both Governments shall taken actions as are necessary to prevent circumvention of this Agreement, in conformity with Article 8 of the Arrangement and Paragraph 16 of the 1986 Protocol of Extension to the Arrangement.

ARTICLE THREE OF THE ARRANGEMENT

21. For the duration of this Agreement, the Government of the United States of America shall not invoke the procedures of Article 3 of the Arrangement to request consultations to restrain exports of cotton, wool and man-made fibre textiles and textile products and garments of silk blends and vegetable fibres other than cotton covered by this Agreement. Each Government reserves its rights under the Arrangement with respect to textiles and textile products not subject to this Agreement.

CORRECT CATEGORY/CORRECT QUANTITY VISA SYSTEM

- 22. (A) Both Governments agree to continue the correct category/correct quantity administrative visa arrangement.
 - (B) Subject to the establishment of a mutually agreed upon certification system, and in accordance with Article 12, Paragraph 3 of the Arrangement, exports of Sri Lankan handloom fabrics of the cottage industry or of hand-made cottage industry products of such handloom fabrics, or items in an agreed list of traditional folklore handicraft textile products, will not be subject to the provisions of this Agreement.
 - (C) Both Governments recognize that under the Agreement the purchase of textiles and textile products and textile products to be delivered subject to the restrictions under the Agreement implies that the delivery of goods will be accompanied by a valid visa.

RIGHT TO TERMINATE THE AGREEMENT

- 23. Either Government may terminate this Agreement, effective at the end of any Agreement period, by written notice to the other Government, to be given at least 90 days prior to the end of such Agreement period.
- 24. The annexes to the Agreement shall form an integral part of this Agreement.

If the foregoing conforms to the understanding of the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, then this note and the note of acceptance on the part of the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka shall constitute an Agreement between our two Governments.

The Embassy of the United States of America avails itself of this occasion to assure the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka of its highest considerations.

ANNEX A

Categories numbered in the:

200 Series are of cotton and/or man-made fibre.

300 Series are of cotton.

400 Series are of wool.

600 Series are of man-made fibre.

800 Series are of silk blends or other non-cotton vegetable fibres.

Category	Description	Conversion Factor	Unit
	<u>Yarn</u>		
200	Yarns put up for retail sale,		
	and sewing thread	6.6	kg.
201	Speciality yarns	6.5	kg.
300	Carded yarns, cotton	8.5	kg.
301	Combed yarns, cotton	8.5	kg.
400	Wool yarn	3.7	kg.
600	Textured filament yarns, MMF	6.5	kg.
603	Yarn containing 85 or more by weight		
	artificial staple fibre	6.3	kg.
604	Yarn containing 85 or more by weight		_
	synthetic staple fibre	7.6	kg.
606	Non-textured filament, MMF	20.1	kg.
607	Other staple fibre yarn, MMF	6.5	kg.
	<u>Fabric</u>		
218	Of yarns of different colours	1.0	m²
219	Duck	1.0	m^2
220	Fabric of special weave	1.0	m²
222	Knit fabric	12.3	kg.
223	Non-woven fabric	14.0	kg.
224	Pile and tufted fabric	1.0	m^2
225	Denim	1.0	m^2
226	Cheesecloth, batistes, lawns, or voiles	1.0	m^2
227	Oxford cloth	1.0	m²
229	Special purpose fabric	13.6	kg.
313	Sheeting	1.0	m^2
314	Poplin and broadcloth	1.0	m^2
315	Printcloth	1.0	m²
317	Twills	1.0	m²
326	Sateens	1.0	m ²
410	Woven fabrics	1.0	m²
414	Other wool fabrics	2.8	kg.

Category	Description	Conversion Factor	Unit
	Fabric (cont'd)		
611	Woven man-made fibre fabric containing 85 or	· more	
	by weight artificial staple fibres	1.0	m^2
613	Sheeting	1.0	m^2
614	Poplin and broadcloth	1.0	m^2
615	Printcloth	1.0	m^2
617	Twills and sateens	1.0	m^2
618	Woven artificial filament	1.0	m^2
619	Polyester filament fabric, less than 5 oz. per sy	yd. 1.0	m^2
620	Other synthetic filament fabric	1.0	m²
621	Impression fabric	14.4	kg.
622	Glass fibre fabric	1.0	m^2
624	Woven man-made fibre fabric,		
	containing more than 15 per cent		
	but less than 36 per cent wool	1.0	m²
	Staple/Filament Combination:		
625	Poplin and broadcloth	1.0	m²
626	Printcloth	1.0	m^2
627	Sheeting	1.0	m²
628	Twills and sateens	1.0	m^2
629	Other MMF	1.0	m²
	<u>Apparel</u>		
237	Playsuits, sunsuits	19.2	Doz
239	Infants' apparel	6.3	Kg.
330	Handkerchiefs	1.4	Doz
331	Gloves and mittens	2.9	Dpr
332	Hosiery	3.8	Dpr
333	M and B suit-type coats	30.3	Doz
334	Other M and B coats	34.5	Doz
335	W and G coats	34.5	Doz
336	Dresses	37.9	Doz

Category	Description	Conversion Factor	Unit
	Apparel (cont'd)		
338	M and B knit shirts	6.0	Doz
339	W and G knit shirts and blouses	6.0	Doz
340	M and B shirts, not knit	20.1	Doz
341	W and G shirts and blouses, not knit	12.1	Doz
342	Skirts	14.9	Doz
345	Sweaters	30.8	Doz
347	M and B trousers, slacks, and shorts	14.9	Doz
348	W and G trousers, slacks, and shorts	14.9	Doz
349	Brassières and body		
	supporting garments	4.0	Doz
350	Dressing gowns, etc.	42.6	Doz
351	Nightwear and pyjamas	43.5	Doz
352	Underwear	9.2	Doz
353	M and B down-filled coats	34.5	Doz
354	W and G down-filled coats	34.5	Doz
359	Other cotton apparel	8.5	kg.
431	Gloves and mittens	1.8	Dpr
432	Hosiery	2.3	Dpr
433	M and B suit-type coats	30.1	Doz
434	Other M and B coats	45.1	Doz
435	W and G coats	45.1	Doz
436	Dresses	41.1	Doz
438	Knit shirts and blouses	12.5	Doz
439	Infants' wear	6.3	kg.
440	Shirts and blouses, not knit	20.1	Doz
442	Skirts	15.0	Doz
443	M and B suits	3.76	Nos
444	W and G suits	3.76	Nos
445	M and B sweaters	12.4	Doz
446	W and G sweaters	12.4	Doz
447	M and B trousers, slacks, and shorts	15.0	Doz
448	W and G trousers, slacks, and shorts	15.0	Doz
459	Other wool apparel	3.7	kg.
630	Handkerchiefs	1.4	Doz
631	Gloves and mittens	2.9	Dpr
632	Hosiery	3.8	Dpr
633	M and B suit-type coats	30.3	Doz
634	Other M and B coats	34.5	Doz
635	W and G coats	34.5	Doz

Category	Description	Conversion Factor	Unit
	Apparel (cont'd)		
636	Dresses	37.9	Doz
638	M and B knit shirts	15.0	Doz
639	W and G knit shirts and blouses	12.5	Doz
640	M and B shirts, not knit	20.1	Doz
641	W and G shirts and blouses, not knit	12.1	Doz
642	Skirts	14.9	Doz
643	M and B suits	3.76	Nos
644	W and G suits	3.76	Nos
645	M and B sweaters	30.8	Doz
646	W and G sweaters	30.8	Doz
647	M and B trousers, slacks, and shorts	14.9	Doz
648	W and G trousers, slacks, and shorts	14.9	Doz
649	Brassières and body supporting garments	4.0	Doz
650	Dressing gowns, etc.	42.6	Doz
651	Nightwear and pyjamas	43.5	Doz
652	Underwear	13.4	Doz
653	M and B down-filled coats	34.5	Doz
654	W and G down-filled coats	34.5	Doz
659	Other man-made fibre apparel	14.4	kg.
831	Gloves and mittens	2.9	Dpr
832	Hosiery	3.8	Dpr
833	M and B suit-type coats	30.3	Doz
834	Other M and B coats and jackets	34.5	Doz
835	W and G coats and jackets	34.5	Doz
836	Dresses	37.9	Doz
838	Knit shirts, blouses and tops	11.7	Doz
839	Infants' wear	6.3	kg.
840	Not knit shirts and blouses	16.7	Doz
842	Skirts	14.9	Doz
843	M and B suits	3.76	Nos
844	W and G suits	3.76	Nos
845	Sweaters of vegetable fibre	30.8	Doz
846	Sweaters of silk	30.8	Doz
847	Trousers, slacks and shorts	14.9	Doz
850	Robes and dressing gowns	42.6	Doz
851	Nightwear and pyjamas	43.5	Doz
852	Underwear	11.3	Doz

Category	Description	Conversion Factor	Unit
	Apparel (cont'd)		
858	Neckwear	6.6	kg.
859	Other apparel	12.5	kg.
	Made-up and Miscellaneous Textiles		
360	Piliowcases	0.9	Nos
361	Sheets	5.2	Nos
362	Bedspread and quilts	5.8	Nos
363	Terry and other pile towels	0.4	Nos
369	Cotton manufactures, not specified (nspf)	8.5	kg.
464	Blankets	2.4	kg.
465	Floor coverings	1.0	m^2
469	Wool manufactures, nspf	3.7	kg.
665	Floor coverings	1.0	m²
666	Other furnishings, nspf	14.4	kg.
669	Man-made fibre manufactures, nspf	14.4	kg.
670	Flat goods, handbags, luggage	3.7	kg.

ANNEX B

Specific Limits

Category	1.7-92-30.6.93 Base Level	Growth	1.7.93-30.6.94 Base Level
237	214,621 doz	6	227,498 doz
331/631	2,969,986 dpr	6	2,194,185 dpr
333/633	40,40° doz	6	42,824 doz
334/634	473,429 doz	6	501,835 doz
335/835	208,309 doz	6	220,808 doz
336/636/836	311,832 doz	6	330,542 doz
338/339	946,858 doz	6	1,003,669 doz
340/640	902,671 doz	5	947,805 doz
340-Y/640-Y	306,908 doz	5	322,253 doz
341/641	1,500,000 doz	5	1,575,000 doz
341	1,000,000 doz	5	1,050,000 doz
641	1,000,000 doz	5	1,050,000 doz
342/642/842	492,366 doz	6	521,908 doz
345/845	127,511 doz	6	135,162 doz
347/348/847	1,021,891 doz	3	1,052,548 doz
347/8/847-T	613,135 doz	3	631,529 doz
350/650	88,373 doz	6	93,675 doz
351/651	235,873 doz	6	250,025 doz
352/642	1,009,982 doz	6	1,670,581 doz
359-C/659-C	972,425 kg.	6	1,030,771 kg.
363	9,152,958 nos	6	9,702,135 nos
369-D	687,180 kg.	6	728,411 kg.
369-S	572,649 kg.	6	607,008 kg.
635	277,745 doz	6	294,410 doz
638/639/838	674,710 doz	6	715,193 doz
644	378,743 nos	6	401,468 nos
645/646	151,497 doz	6	160,587 doz
647/648	812,273 doz	6	861,009 doz
Designated Consultation Levels:			
361	500,000 nos	0	500,000 nos