

AGREEMENT ON IMPORT LICENSING PROCEDURES

Notification under Article 5.1-5.4 of the Agreement¹

EUROPEAN UNION

The following notification, dated 4 April 2012, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the European Union.^{**}

<p>1. (a) Title / number / date of the law or regulation establishing / changing the import licensing procedure:</p> <p>1) Commission implementing regulation (EU) No 1321/2011 of 16 December 2011 amending Annex I to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93 on common rules for imports of certain textile products from third countries;</p> <p>2) Commission implementing regulation (EU) No 1323/2011 of 16 December 2011 laying down rules for the management and distribution of textile quotas established for the year 2012 under Council Regulation (EC) No 517/94.</p> <p>(b) If the notified measure refers to a change in an already notified import licensing procedure, please indicate the document symbol of the notification to which change(s) has(ve) been introduced. (In this case please also indicate in Section 3, below, the nature of the changes (i.e. inclusion or exclusion of some goods and a list thereof; contact point for information and/or administrative body(ies) for submission of applications, etc.):</p> <p>G/LIC/N/3/EEC/14</p>
<p>2. Information concerning the institution / change of import licensing procedure:</p> <p>(a) List of products subject to the licensing procedure (Exact name of the products and/or whenever possible HS code and indication of the exact HS Nomenclature (i.e. 1996; 2002 or 2007). Abbreviations should be avoided. <u>In the case of a long list of products, please attach the list as an Annex in Microsoft Word or compatible software. Please do not use PDF, or photocopies.</u>)</p> <p>1) Please refer to Annex I of the Commission implementing regulation (EU) No 1321/2011 of 16 December 2011.</p> <p>2) Please refer to Annex I of the Commission implementing regulation (EU) No 1323/2011 of 16 December 2011.</p>

* This is a continuation from the G/LIC/N/2/EEC symbol series

** Further information on the publication of notified changes can be found in document G/LIC/N/1/EU/1.

(b) Contact point for information on eligibility

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(c) Administrative body(ies) for submission of applications *(If more than one please include the same information for each body.)*

Please refer to Annex II of the Commission implementing regulation (EU) No 1323/2011 of 16 December 2011.

(d) Date and name of publication where licensing procedures are published

Date of publication: 17/12/2011 Source of publication:

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- 1) Official Journal of the European Union, L 335/17; 17.12.2011
- 2) Official Journal of the European Union, L 335/57; 17.12.2011

(e) Indication of whether the licensing procedure is

automatic. If so please indicate: **(f) the administrative purpose:**

non-automatic. If so please indicate: **(g) the measure being implemented through the import licensing procedure:** Implementation of quantitative restrictions (quotas) on imports of certain textile products originating from North Korea and Belarus

(h) Expected duration of the licensing procedure if this can be estimated with some probability, and if not, reason why this information cannot be provided

No longer than 30 days.

3. Other relevant data or information: *(i.e. complete title and data concerning the legislation, inclusion or exclusion of certain products from the import licensing regime and list thereof; changes related to the administrative body(ies) for submission of applications, etc.)*

1) Commission implementing regulation (EU) No 1321/2011 of 16 December 2011 amending Annex I to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93 on common rules for imports of certain textile products from third countries provides an update to take account of amendments to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 of 23 July 1987 on the tariff and statistical nomenclature and on the Common Customs Tariff which also affect certain codes in Annex I to Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93;

2) Commission implementing regulation (EU) No 1323/2011 of 16 December 2011 laying down rules for the management and distribution of textile quotas established for the year 2012 under Council Regulation (EC) No 517/94 sets the quotas for imports of certain textile products from North Korea and Belarus for 2012.

¹ "Members which institute licensing procedures or changes in these procedures shall notify the Committee of such within 60 days of publication [...]" (Art. 5.1).