Arrangement Regarding International Trade in Textiles

Notification under Article 11

Report on the Status of Restrictive Measures
as requested by the TSB in accordance with Article 11

Uruguay

Attached is a report received from Uruguay on the status of restrictions maintained by it on imports of textile products covered by the Arrangement as extended by the 1986 Protocol. This report has been submitted in accordance with Article 11, paragraphs 11, 12 and 2 of the MFA.

1 See COM.TEX/SB/1467
2 The previous report is contained in COM.TEX/SB/1422/Add.17
* English and Spanish only/Anglais et espagnol seulement/Inglés y español solamente

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Sir,

I have the honour to refer to your note TS/140-1.1, dated 8 March 1989, and wish to inform the Textiles Surveillance Body that Uruguay does not apply unilateral quantitative restrictions of any kind, and that there are no exchange controls of any kind, nor imports of any textile product that are controlled in any way, because of priority development needs or exclusive or special privileges for commercial enterprises, whether public or private, or any other kind of restrictions on imports of textiles and clothing.

I also wish to inform you that Uruguay has bilateral agreements in force with the United States of America and Canada under which quantitative restrictions are established which limit Uruguayan exports of certain woollen woven fabrics and garments, in the first case, and certain woven fabrics of combed wool in the second case.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to you the assurances of my highest consideration.

Julio A. Lacarte Muró
Ambassador
Permanent Representative to GATT