Textiles Surveillance Body

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Extension and amendment of the bilateral agreement between
Norway and China

The Textiles Surveillance Body received a notification from Norway of an extension of its agreement with China for the period 1 January 1992 to 31 December 1992.¹

The TSB, pursuant to its procedures regarding agreements notified under Article 4,² has examined the relevant documentation and is forwarding the text of the notification to participating countries for their information.³

¹The bilateral agreement and amendment are contained in COM.TEX/SB/1480 and 1588.
²See COM.TEX/SB/35, Annex B.
³For the TSB's observation on this notification, see COM.TEX/SB/1724.
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2. In accordance with Article 3 of the Agreement, both parties agreed to extend the Agreement for a fourth year commencing on 1 January 1992.

3. The Norwegian Delegation raised the problems of the Norwegian producers of knotted netting and fishing nets. The Chinese Delegation noted this concern and undertook to study the situation. Both parties agreed to address this situation in accordance with Article 14 of the Agreement.

4. The parties addressed the problem of overshipments of certain categories as well as transshipments of Chinese products covered by restrictions through other countries or territories for import into Norway. Certain cases of incorrect classification of products were discussed and solved. The Chinese Delegation undertook to further strengthen the Chinese administration to deal with the problems of overshipments and transshipments.

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