The Textiles Surveillance Body has received from the Government of Sweden a notification of a bilateral agreement between Sweden and Malta. This notification has been made in accordance with the decision of the Textiles Committee that actions taken vis-à-vis non-participants in the Arrangement should be notified.

The TSB is circulating this notification to participating countries for information.
NOTE VERBALE

The Embassy of the Republic of Malta presents its compliments to the Royal Swedish Embassy, and has the honour to refer to the consultations held in Valletta from 27 April to 29 April 1976, regarding exports of certain textile products from Malta to Sweden.

The wording of the Agreed Minutes and their Annex, agreed in Malta, on behalf of a Swedish and a Maltese delegation, on 29 April 1976, shall form the basis of an agreement between the two countries.

The Embassy of the Republic of Malta has the honour to confirm that this Note, and the Swedish reply thereto, shall constitute an Agreement between the Government of Malta and the Government of Sweden.

The Embassy of the Republic of Malta would appreciate confirmation that the above is also the understanding of the Government of Sweden.

The Embassy of the Republic of Malta avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Royal Swedish Embassy the assurance of its highest consideration.

Royal Embassy of Sweden, Rome

19 May 1976
NOTE VERBALE

The Royal Swedish Embassy presents its compliments to the Embassy of the Republic of Malta, and in reply to the Maltese Embassy's note N.153/76 of 19 May 1976 regarding the consultations held in Valletta from 27 April to 29 April 1976 about exports of certain textile products from Malta to Sweden has the honour to confirm that the Agreed Minutes and their Annex, agreed in Malta on 29 April 1976, together with this exchange of notes between the two Embassies, shall constitute an Agreement between the Government of Sweden and the Government of Malta.

The Royal Swedish Embassy avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the Republic of Malta the assurances of its highest consideration.

Rome, 19 May 1976

To the Embassy of the Republic of Malta
ROME.
AGREED MINUTES

During consultations held in Valletta from 27 April to 29 April 1976 regarding exports of certain textile products from Malta to Sweden, representatives of the Governments of the Republic of Malta and Sweden agreed as follows:

The Government of Sweden will admit imports, through a system of import licences, for deliveries from Malta to Sweden of the products of Maltese origin listed in the Annex to these minutes.

Imports of trousers from Malta to Sweden during the period 30 April 1976 - 30 April 1977 will be fixed at the amount set out in column (d) of the Annex to those minutes. It is understood that imported quantities which are re-exported are not to be debited to this amount.

The Swedish Government will forward to the Government of Malta monthly information on a cumulative basis of licences issued for imports as well as monthly statistics of imports from Malta of the item, listed in the Annex. This information shall be forwarded directly to the Ministry of Trade of Malta by the Swedish Board of Commerce.

The Government of Malta and the Government of Sweden agree to consult each other, at the request of either, when any problem arises from the implementation of this agreement. The Government of Malta and the Government of Sweden agree furthermore to enter into consultations on the prolongation, modification or termination of this arrangement before the end of the period of agreement.

The Parties agreed to conclude the above agreement by an exchange of Notes between the two sides.

H. Colliander
Head of Swedish Delegation

Robert J. Stivala
Secretary, Ministry of Trade, Industry and Tourism

29 April 1976
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