ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Agreements between Sweden and Malta

The Textiles Surveillance Body has received a notification under Articles 7 and 8 of two agreements which have been concluded between Sweden and Malta concerning trade in textiles. These agreements have been concluded for the periods 1 July 1977 to 30 June 1978, and 1 May 1977 to 30 April 1979.

This notification has been made in accordance with the decision of the Textiles Committee that agreements concluded with non-participating countries in the Arrangement should be notified.

The TSB is circulating the notification to participating countries for further information.
Rome, 13 June 1977

The Embassy of Sweden presents its compliments to the Embassy of the Republic of Malta, and has the honour to refer to the consultations held in Valletta from 25 to 27 May 1977, regarding exports of certain textile products from Malta to Sweden.

The wording of the Agreed Minutes and their Annex, agreed in Valletta on 27 May 1977 on behalf of the Swedish and the Maltese delegations shall together with this Note and the Maltese reply thereto constitute an Agreement between the Government of Sweden and the Government of Malta.

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

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

The Embassy of the Republic of Malta
Rome.
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 25 to 27 May 1977, regarding exports of certain textile products from Malta to Sweden, and to the Note of the Swedish Embassy dated 13 June 1977.

The wording of the Agreed Minutes and their Annex, agreed in Valletta on 27 May 1977, on behalf of the Swedish and the Maltese delegations, shall, together with an exchange of Notes between the two sides, constitute an Agreement between the Government of Malta and the Government of Sweden.

The Embassy of the Republic of Malta confirms that the above is also the understanding of the Government of Malta, and that this Note and the Swedish Note referred to in paragraph one constitute the said Agreement.

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 Swedish Embassy,
Rome.
During consultations held in Valletta from 25 to 27 May 1977 regarding imports of certain textile products from Malta into 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 up to the levels and sub-levels stated therein.

Imports from Malta into Sweden of the textile items mentioned in the Annex during the period 1 July 1977 - 30 June 1978 will be fixed at the amounts set out in column (c) of the Annex to these 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 items, 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.

C. Wiik  
Chairman of the  
Swedish Delegation

R.J. Stivala  
Chairman of the  
Maltese Delegation

27 May 1977
### ANNEX

Unit of Quantity: Pieces

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Total of sub-levels not to exceed 997,000
The Embassy of Sweden presents its compliments to the Embassy of the Republic of Malta, and has the honour to refer to the consultations held in Stockholm from 13 to 15 April 1977, regarding exports of certain textile products from Malta to Sweden.

The wording of the Agreed Minutes and their Annex, agreed in Stockholm on 15 April 1977, on behalf of the Swedish and the Maltese delegations shall together with this Note and the Maltese reply thereto constitute an Agreement between the Government of Sweden and the Government of Malta.

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

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

Rome, 29 April 1977

The Embassy of the Republic of Malta

ROME
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 Swedish Embassy's note of 29 April 1977, regarding consultations held in Stockholm from 13-15 April 1977, regarding exports of certain textile products from Malta to Sweden.

The Embassy of the Republic of Malta has the honour to confirm that the Agreed Minutes and their Annex, agreed in Stockholm on 15 April 1977, together with this exchange of Notes between the two Embassies, shall constitute an Agreement between the Government of Malta and 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.

6 June 1977

The Royal Swedish Embassy
Rome.
AGREED MINUTES

During consultations held in Stockholm from 13-15 April 1977 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 1 May 1977-30 April 1979 will be fixed at the amount set out in columns (d) and (e) of the Annex to these 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.

(signed) R.J. Stivala (signed) C. Wiik
Chairman of the Maltese delegation Chairman of the Swedish delegation

15 April 1977