ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 3

Amendment to the Bilateral Agreement Between
Sweden and Hong Kong

The Textiles Surveillance Body has received from Sweden a notification of an amendment to the bilateral agreement concluded under Article 3 between Sweden and Hong Kong.¹

The TSB has examined the relevant documentation and has found that the amendment to the existing agreement is in conformity with the provisions of Article 3 as well as with the other provisions of the Arrangement. The TSB is circulating this notification to participating countries for their information.

¹For details of the agreement see document COM.TEX/SB/211.
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding sets out the arrangements that have been agreed between the Government of Sweden and the Government of Hong Kong in the course of consultations held in Stockholm on 2-3 August 1977, pursuant to the provisions of the Arrangement Regarding International Trade in Textiles.

(a) The Annex to the Memorandum of Understanding signed by the Government of Sweden and the Government of Hong Kong on 24 September 1976, governing exports of certain textiles from Hong Kong to Sweden in the period 1 July 1976 to 31 December 1977, shall be amended by adding the following:

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<th>Group</th>
<th>Swedish statistical number</th>
<th>Hong Kong statistical classification number</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Level in pieces</th>
<th>Conversion factor square yards equivalent per dozen</th>
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<td>XVII</td>
<td>ex 60.05.304</td>
<td>ex 841.462</td>
<td>Sweaters, pullovers, slipovers, jumpers and cardigans, knitted or crocheted, of wool or of discontinuous synthetic fibres</td>
<td>820,000 (for the period 8.3.77 to 31.12.77)</td>
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(b) The Annex to the Memorandum of Understanding on a system of Export Authorizations signed by the Government of Sweden and the Government of Hong Kong on 24 September 1976, shall be amended by deleting item number 5.
(c) The Government of Sweden will admit imports of goods falling within paragraph (b) above, covered by valid Export Authorization issued on or before 29 June 1977, in accordance with paragraph 8 of the Memorandum of Understanding on a system of Export Authorizations signed by the Government of Sweden and the Government of Hong Kong on 24 September 1976. Such imports should not be counted against the level in paragraph (a) above.

For the Government of Sweden

(signed) Dag Eergman
Consul General

For the Government of Hong Kong

(signed) W. Dorward
Acting Director of Commerce and Industry

Signed at Hong Kong
15 August 1977