The Textiles Surveillance Body has received from SWEDEN a notification of a new agreement between Sweden and Thailand concerning trade in textiles. This agreement has been notified by Sweden under Article 4, paragraph 4, of the Arrangement.

The TSB, pursuant to its procedure regarding bilateral agreements notified under Article 4/2/, has examined the relevant documentation and is circulating the text of this agreement to participating countries in the Arrangement for their information.3/

1/ For previous agreement see COM.TEX/SB/213 and 217.
2/ See COM.TEX/SB/35, Annex B.
3/ See paragraphs 5 and 7 to 9 of COM.TEX/SB/380 for observations by the TSB.
AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF SWEDEN AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF THAILAND REGARDING EXPORT OF CERTAIN TEXTILE PRODUCTS FROM THAILAND TO SWEDEN

Article 1
This Agreement has been reached on the basis of the Arrangement Regarding International Trade in Textiles, particularly article 1 : 2 and article 4 thereof, and the provisions of GATT document COM.TEX/87/47.

Article 2
This Agreement shall apply for the periods specified in Annex I.

Article 3
The Government of the Kingdom of Thailand will limit exports from Thailand to Sweden of the textile products listed in Annex I to the levels set out in that Annex. The date of clearance by the Thai Customs Department is considered to be the date of exportation.

Article 4
The Government of the Kingdom of Sweden will admit imports of the textile products of Thai origin, listed in Annex I, only when such imports are covered by Export Certificates as per specimen in Annex II. Such a document shall be issued by the Department of Foreign Trade of the Ministry of Commerce of Thailand, be numbered and bear an endorsement
that the consignments concerned have been approved and
debited to the agreed limit for exports to Sweden for
the relevant period.

Article 5
Both parties regard it as essential that exports from
Thailand to Sweden of the textile products listed in
Annex I are evenly spaced throughout the period of
Agreement and that, in the allocation of quotas, due
consideration is given, as far as possible, to traditional
patterns of trade. Accordingly, the Government of the
Kingdom of Thailand undertakes to provide a procedure
to achieve this.

Article 6
The Government of the Kingdom of Thailand will forward
to the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden, via the
Embassy of Sweden in Bangkok, monthly statistics on
a cumulative basis of the quantities of the groups
II, V, VI, VIII, IX, X and XIV and of the value of the
"rest group", listed in Annex I, for which duly endorsed
Export Certificates for exports to Sweden have been
issued for the relevant period of Agreement. The statistics
shall reach the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden
within a period of two months from the month under reference.

Article 7
The Government of the Kingdom of Sweden will provide the
Government of the Kingdom of Thailand with quarterly
statistics on a cumulative basis of imports from Thailand
of the items listed in Annex I. The statistics shall be forwarded to the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand, via the Embassy of Sweden in Bangkok, as soon as possible.

**Article 8**

The Government of the Kingdom of Sweden and the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand agree to consult each other, at the request of either, when any problem arises in connection with this Agreement. The Government of the Kingdom of Sweden and the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand agree furthermore to enter into consultations on the extension, modification or elimination of the limitations before the end of the period of Agreement. If consultations do not result, within a reasonable period of time, in a mutually satisfactory solution and the elimination or modification of the limitations would result in serious damage to its domestic producers of like or directly competitive products, the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand notes that the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden may apply limitations to the extent and for such time as may be found necessary.

**Article 9**

If the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand considers that, as a result of the restraint imposed by this Agreement, Thailand is being placed in an inequitable position vis-a-vis any third country, the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand may request the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden to consult with a view to appropriate remedial action such as a reasonable modification of this Agreement.
Article 10
The two Annexes to this Agreement shall be considered as integral parts of it.

Article 11
This Agreement replaces the two Agreements between the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden and the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand signed November 19th 1976 and December 30th 1976 respectively.

Article 12
This Agreement has been drawn up in two copies in the English language, each of those being equally authentic.

Done in Bangkok on 23rd August, 1978

For the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden

(signed) (Lena Sundh)
Chargé d'Affaires a.i.
The Royal Swedish Embassy

For the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand

(signed) (Chuay Kannawat)
Director General
Economic Department
### ANNEX I

Exports of certain textiles from Thailand to Sweden of wool, cotton or of man-made textile fibres (including clothing of impregnated, coated, covered or laminated woven or knitted fabric falling within heading no. 59.08, 59.11 or 5912 CCC)

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DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN TRADE
Ministry of Commerce
Thailand

EXPORT CERTIFICATE
(Special form for textiles)

At the request of Messrs.__________________________
(address)____________________________________

to carry out a survey of the following products:

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We hereby certify that the above-mentioned products are of the country of exportation (Thailand).

To be exported to Messrs.__________________________
(address)____________________________________

Issued on________________________________________

(Goods must be exported within _______ of the date of issue.)

ONE MONTH