ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Modification of Bilateral Agreement between
the EEC and Singapore

The Textiles Surveillance Body has received from the Commission of the European Communities a notification concerning a further modification to the bilateral agreement between the EEC and Singapore.

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

1/ The original agreement and previous amendments or modifications are contained in COM.TEX/SB/405, 475, 606, 659 and 676.

2/ See COM.TEX/SB/35, Annex B.
AGREED MINUTE

1. Representatives of the Republic of Singapore and the European Economic Community met on 11 and 14 June 1982 in Brussels for consultations in accordance with the Agreement on trade in textiles between the Community and Singapore signed on 30 October 1979.

2. During these consultations, both parties reached agreement on quantitative limits for exports of products of categories 13 and 25 from Singapore to the Community's regions of the United Kingdom and Ireland for the period of 1 January to 31 December 1982.

3. The following levels were agreed for the year 1982:

   Category 13 (Nimex Code 60.04-43; 56; 75; 85)
   United Kingdom: 1,550,000 pieces

   Category 25 (Nimex Code: 60.05-45; 46; 47; 48; 61.02-43; 52; 53; 54)
   Ireland: 20,000 pieces
   United Kingdom: 550,000 pieces
   (exceptionally, an additional quantity of 150,000 pieces has been agreed for the year 1982).

4. It is the understanding of both parties that the provisions of the Agreement which concern exports of products subject to quantitative limits established in Annex II, in particular the licensing procedures set out in Protocol A shall continue to apply to exports of products (Cat. 13) from Singapore to the United Kingdom and of products (Cat. 26) to the United Kingdom and Ireland.

Brussels, 14 June 1982

For the European Economic Community  For the Republic of Singapore