ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN COTTON TEXTILES

Bilateral Agreement between the United States and Czechoslovakia

Addendum

Attached is the text of the notes exchanged between the Governments of the United States and Czechoslovakia constituting an extension of the bilateral agreement between the two Governments concerning trade in cotton textiles.

This information has been transmitted to the Director-General by the United States mission for notification to the Cotton Textiles Committee.

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1See COT/141
Note No. 1

The American Ambassador to the Czechoslovak Minister of Foreign Affairs
Embassy of the United States of America
Prague, 26 April 1971

Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to the Long-Term Arrangement Regarding International Trade in Cotton Textiles, done at Geneva on 9 February 1962, and to the Protocol, done at Geneva on 15 June 1970, extending the Long-Term Arrangement through 30 September 1973.

I refer also to the agreement between our two Governments, relating to trade in cotton textiles, effected by exchange of notes 29 August 1969, and to recent discussions concerning extension of that agreement through 30 April 1973.

As a result of these discussions, I have the honour to propose that the aforementioned agreement be amended by changing "1971" to "1973" in paragraph 1 and paragraph 14 of the agreement.

If this proposal is acceptable to the Government of the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic, it is proposed that this note and your Excellency's note of acceptance on behalf of the Government of the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic shall constitute an amendment of the above-mentioned 1969 agreement between our two Governments.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed) Malcolm Toon

His Excellency,
Jan Marko,
Minister of Foreign Affairs,
Prague.

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1 See COT/141
Note No. 2

Minister of Foreign Affairs

Prague, 26 April 1971

Excellency,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your note of 26 April 1971, proposing that the Cotton Textile Agreement between our two Governments, effected by exchange of notes 29 August 1969, be extended through 30 April 1973.

I have the honour to confirm that the proposal contained in your note is acceptable to the Government of the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic, and that your Excellency's note and this note in reply shall constitute an amendment of the aforementioned agreement.

On behalf of the Minister

(Signed) Ing. Jan Busniak
Deputy Minister

His Excellency,
Malcolm Toon,
Ambassador of the United States of America,
Prague.