1. The Government of the Republic of South Africa is required to make an annual report on the use made of the partial waiver from the obligations of Article I of the General Agreement, granted to it at the sixteenth session of the CONTRACTING PARTIES, concerning treatment of Rhodesia and Nyasaland products.\(^1\)

2. The waiver was invoked in 1963 in connexion with changes in the most-favoured-nation rates of duty on the following commodities:

   Knitted outer clothing n.e.e. including jerseys, pullovers and shirts, but excluding knitted outer clothing containing more than 50 per cent by weight of worsted wool, 50 per cent or more by weight or rayon or cellulose acetate or mixtures thereof, or 50 per cent or more by weight of cotton.

Details of the changes are set out in the annex to this report.

3. Requests for consultations were received from the Government of the United States and the Commission of the European Economic Community. The former, however, subsequently indicated that consultations did not appear necessary, while consultations with the latter had not been concluded by the end of 1963.

4. Since the measure only came into operation on 14 June 1963, no subsequent statistics are available to indicate its effects on the imports of the Republic of South Africa from all sources. The South African Government does not consider, however, that the commercial interests of any contracting party have been adversely affected to a material extent.

\(^1\)See BISD, Ninth Supplement, page 51.
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(Reference of secretariat notification: GATT/AIR/326 (SECRET) dated 11 April 1963.)

Description of M.f.n. rate of duty
South African Tariff
Item 65(b)(iv)(4)
as on 1 July 1960

65 Clothing:

(b) Ready made, new - excluding leather clothing -

(iv) knitted outer clothing n.e.e. including jerseys, pullovers and shirts -

(4) other

M.f.n. rate of duty

20% ad valorem
with a minimum per garment of
15 cents

Description of South African Tariff
Item 65(b)(iv)(4)
as amended on
14 June 1963

65 Clothing:

(b) Ready made, new - excluding leather clothing -

(iv) knitted outer clothing n.e.e. including jerseys, pullovers and shirts -

(4) other

dresses and frocks

30% ad valorem
with a minimum per garment of
50 cents

other

15 cents