CONSIDERING that the Government of Ceylon has notified the CONTRACTING PARTIES pursuant to paragraph 14 of Article XVIII of its intention to place under regulation under the Industrial Products Act the import of the products indicated below; and

CONSIDERING that the Government of Ceylon has concluded consultations required under the provisions of paragraph 18 of Article XVIII;

the COUNCIL, having been authorized by the CONTRACTING PARTIES to take the necessary action to complete the procedures provided for in paragraph 18 of Article XVIII, and thus acting on behalf of the CONTRACTING PARTIES under those provisions;

CONCUR in the application by the Government of Ceylon of the Industrial Products Act No. 18 of 1949, as amended, to the following products subject to the terms and conditions specified below; and

AGREE to release the Government of Ceylon from its obligations under the relevant provisions of the General Agreement to the extent necessary to enable it to apply the measures thus concurred in;

(a) Ex 652-02.05 - piecegoods of cotton mixed with less than 50 per cent of other materials;

(b) Ex 653-05 - piecegoods in which the weight of artificial silk and synthetic fibre including any admixtures where the artificial silk content is not less than 50 per cent n.e.s.

Terms and Conditions

1. The application of IPA with respect to these two tariff items will be limited to the following three grades of material:

   (i) Setin
   (ii) Hair cord
   (iii) Crepe -
       
       Georgette crepe
       Oriental crepe
       Sheer crepe
       Flat crepe (Pearl crepe, Beauty crepe, Crepe de Chine)

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2. The present release constitutes part of the release granted by the Decision of 22 November 1958, this list of products thus replacing the list forming Section 3(c) of that Decision.