ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Report on consultations regarding Article 3:5 measures

Sweden/Turkey

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a report made by Sweden on its consultations with Turkey concerning measures taken under Article 3:5 on imports from Turkey. These consultations were held in accordance with the TSB's recommendations made in February 1985.
Dear Mr Raffaelli,

I wish to refer to the Swedish notification of 14th December, 1984 of unilateral measures taken under Art. 3:5 and to the TSB decision at its meeting on 25-27 February 1985 to defer its consideration of this notification until further consultations had taken place.

Such consultations were held between representatives of the Government of Turkey and the Government of Sweden in Turkey on May 20-24, 1985.

The consultations regrettably did not result in an agreement on this occasion.

The Swedish side offered levels above or considerably above imports during the reference period according to Annex B of the MFA.

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<td>Underwear (including underwear T-shirts), knitted or crocheted, other than shirts, night-wear and tights, sweaters, pullovers, jumpers, cardigans etc. (including outerwear T-shirts)</td>
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<td>Overcoats and jackets</td>
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The Government of Sweden is prepared to continue the consultations in order to seek a mutually acceptable solution with regard to imports of textile products from Turkey to Sweden.

Christer Manhusen
Counsellor