ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification received under Article 4:4

Amendment of the bilateral agreement between the EEC and Indonesia

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a notification received from the EEC of a further amendment of its bilateral agreement with Indonesia. A restraint on woven fabrics of synthetic fibres (Category 35) when imported into Spain was agreed for the period 24 April to 31 December 1991.1

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1 The bilateral agreement and previous modifications are contained in COM.TEX/SB/1290, 1338, 1468 and 1554 and TEX.SB/1781.
Dear Ambassador,

In connection with the European Economic Community's Agreement on trade in textile products with Indonesia negotiated under Article 4 of the Arrangement and initialled on 28 June 1986, I have to inform you of the following.

During the course of 1991 imports of woven fabrics of synthetic fibres (category 35) from Indonesia to the Community exceeded 354 tonnes, being the level at which the Community could ask for consultations with a view to establishing a Community limit under the provisions of Article 8 of the Agreement. The Community being of the view that there was a real risk of market disruption in this case, the two sides consulted on 4 June 1991 in pursuance of Article 8 and 16 of the Agreement. As a result of these consultations, and in conformity with the provisions of the Agreement, Indonesia agreed to limit its exports to the Community as follows:

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<th>Category</th>
<th>Unit</th>
<th>Member State</th>
<th>1991</th>
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<td>35</td>
<td>tonnes</td>
<td>Spain</td>
<td>2 300</td>
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* This annual level for 1991 is to be applied from 24 April - 31 December 1991, i.e. 1 588 tonnes

It was further agreed to add to the quantity set out above for the year 1991 an exceptional quantity as follows:

**Spain:** 150 tonnes

These new limits contained in the Agreed Minute annexed to this letter are herewith communicated under Article 4, paragraph 4 of the Arrangement, as a modification to the Community's Agreement with Indonesia.

Yours sincerely,

Encl.

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BASKET EXIT LIMITATION

Category: 35
Units: tonnes
Country: Indonesia: Spain

(a) Date when new limit was agreed - 4 June 1991
(b) Basket Exit Level - 354 tonnes
(c) Provisional limit introduced pending outcome of consultations - 538 tonnes
(d) Level of new agreed limit - 2 300 tonnes
(e) First year of application of new limit - 1991
(f) Annual growth - not yet fixed.
(g) Date when consultations were requested - 24.04.1991
(h) Recorded imports at date of request - 2 152 tonnes
(i) Period covered by (h) - January-December 1990
(j) Imports during calendar year preceding year during which consultation was requested - 2 152 tonnes

* For the period of 24 April - 31 December 1990 a quantitative limit of 1 588 tonnes has been agreed. In addition to this quantitative limit, an exceptional quantity of 150 tonnes may be imported to Spain.
AGREED MINUTE

1. Delegations of the Republic of Indonesia and the European Economic Community met in Brussels on 3 June 1991 for consultations in accordance with Article 8 of the Agreement on trade in textile products between Indonesia and the European Economic Community initialled on 28 June 1986 and provisionally applied from 1 January 1987.

2. As a result of these consultations, it was agreed that Indonesia will limit its exports of category 35 products to the Community's region of Spain to the following level:

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3. The annual restriction level for 1991 is to be applied pro rata from 24 April 1991 as set out below:

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4. It was further agreed to add to the quantity set out in paragraph 3 for the year 1991 an exceptional quantity as follows:

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<td>Spain</td>
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5. It is likewise agreed that all the provisions of the Agreement which concern exports of products subject to quantitative limits established in Annex II of the Agreement shall apply to the exports of category 35 products referred to above from 24 April 1991.

Brussels, 4 June 1991

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Republic of Indonesia

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