ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4

Bilateral agreement between
Finland and Singapore

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a notification received from Finland of a bilateral agreement concluded with Singapore regarding one product category for the period 11 January to 31 December 1992.

1The previous agreement between the parties contained in COM.TEX/SB/386 expired on 31 December 1981.

*English only/Anglais seulement/Inglés solamente
Geneva, 15 January 1992

Your Excellency,


The agreement shall apply for the period of 11 January to 31 December 1992 and it covers only one product category, men's and boys' woven shirts of cotton and man-made fibres.

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

Kim Luotonen
Counsellor

Ambassador Marcelo Raffaelli
Chairman
Textiles Surveillance Body
GATT
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF FINLAND
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF SINGAPORE
RELATING TO THE EXPORT FROM SINGAPORE
OF CERTAIN TEXTILE PRODUCTS FOR IMPORT INTO FINLAND

During the consultations held in Singapore on 9-10 January 1992, between a Delegation of the Government of Finland and a Delegation of the Government of Singapore and having regard to the Arrangement Regarding International Trade in Textiles, in particular Article 4 and Paragraph 2 of Annex B, as well as the Protocols extending the said Arrangement dated 31 July 1986 and 31 July 1991, agreement was reached as follows:


2. These arrangements shall apply to Singapore's exports to Finland of the textile products specified in Annex I to this Memorandum to the limit set out in that Annex.

3. Finland will, for the purpose of these arrangements, admit imports of textile products of Singapore origin set out in Annex I to the agreed limit, provided that such imports into Finland are covered by an export authorization in the form of a certificate of origin, as per specimen in Annex II. The export authorization, shall bear an endorsement by the Trade Development Board, Republic of Singapore to the effect that the consignment concerned has been debited to the agreed limit for export into Finland for the relevant period. The 'date' of shipment indicated on the export licence shall be considered to be the date of exportation.

4. The Memorandum of Understanding will cease to have effect from the date of the Uruguay Round transition arrangement for integration of the textile sector into the GATT comes into force.

5. Should the Uruguay Round transition arrangements for integration of the textile sector into the GATT not come into force in Jan 1993, Finland and Singapore agree to consult each other on the need to continue these arrangements.

6. This Agreement does not affect the rights or obligations of either party under such a transition arrangement.

7. Finland and Singapore agree to consult each other on any matters arising from the implementation of these arrangements.
8 Singapore shall endeavour to ensure that exports of the textile products subject to quantitative limit are spaced out as evenly as possible over the year, due account being taken, in particular, of seasonal factors.

9 Singapore will forward to Finland monthly statistics, on a cumulative basis, on the textile products indicated in Annex I to these arrangements, for which export authorization into Finland have been issued, subject to Paragraph 3 above. Finland will forward to Singapore monthly statistics, on a cumulative basis, on the imports of the said products from Singapore.

10 Either party may at any time terminate these arrangements provided that at least one hundred and twenty days' notice is given, in which the arrangements shall come to an end at the expiry of the one hundred and twenty days' period.

11 The Annexes to this Memorandum of Understanding shall form an integral part thereof.

Done in Singapore on 10 January 1992.

For the Government of Finland

Erik Hagfors
Ministry of Foreign Affairs

For the Government of Singapore

Cheong Choy Hoong
Trade Development Board
| Category | Finnish Tariff Classification | Description | Unit of Quantity | Restraint Limit  
|----------|------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1        | 62.05.20.00  
62.05.30.00 | Men's and boys' woven shirts of cotton and man-made fibres | Pieces | 11.1.92 to 31.12.92 |
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**SPECIMEN**

**CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN/PROCESSING**

**REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE**

No.

NO UNAUTHORISED ADDITION/ALTERATION MAY BE MADE TO THIS CERTIFICATE ONCE IT IS ISSUED

8 DECLARATION BY THE EXPORTER

We hereby declare that the details and statements provided in this Certificate are true and correct.

Signature: [Signature]

Name: [Name]

Designation: [Designation]

Stamp: [Stamp]

Date: [Date]

11 Quantity & Unit

12 CERTIFICATION BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY

We hereby certify that evidence has been produced to satisfy us that the goods specified above are the manufacture or produce of the country as shown above. This Certificate is therefore issued and certified to the best of our knowledge and belief to be correct and without any liability on our part.

**EXPORT CERTIFICATE**

This consignment is authorised for export to [Country] and has been debited against Singapore's restraint level for Category [Category] of [Level] for [Quantity]. Please only.

Date [Date]

[Signature]

[Stamp]

[Address]

[Country]

[Date]