Additional Protocol* to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and Haiti on Trade in Textile Products consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community

[Initialled on 16 December 1980]
THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES, of the one part, and
THE GOVERNMENT OF HAITI, of the other part,

CONSIDERING the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the European Economic
Community on 1 January 1981,

HAVING REGARD to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and
Haiti signed on 15 January 1980 and hereafter called the "Agreement",

HAVE DECIDED to determine by common accord the adjustments to and
transitional measures of the Agreement consequent on the accession of the
Hellenic Republic to the European Economic Community

and TO CONCLUDE THIS PROTOCOL:
Article 1

The text of the Agreement as hereby amended, and the texts of the Annex and Protocols forming an integral part thereof, shall be drawn up in Greek and that text shall be authentic in the same way as the original texts.

Article 2

The Agreement shall be amended as follows:

1. Protocol C, paragraph 2 shall be replaced by the following:

"Where the Community finds, under the system of administrative control set up, that the level of imports of products in any category listed in the Annex originating in Haiti exceeds the following percentages, in relation to 102 per cent of the preceding year's total imports of products in that category into the territories within which the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community applied at 31 December 1980:

- for categories of products in Group I, 0.2 per cent,
- for categories of products in Group II, 1.5 per cent,
- for categories of products in Group III, IV or V, 4 per cent,

it may request the opening of consultations in accordance with the procedure specified in Article 5 of the Agreement, with a view to defining a satisfactory restraint level for the products of such category."
2. Protocol C, paragraph 6 shall be replaced by the following:

"Quantitative limits may be introduced on a regional basis only where imports of a given product into any region of the Community exceed, in relation to the amounts calculated by applying the fraction 100/102 (one hundred divided by one hundred and two) to the amounts determined in accordance with paragraph 2, the following regional percentages:

- Germany 28.5 per cent
- Benelux 10.5 per cent
- France 18.5 per cent
- Italy 15 per cent
- Denmark 3 per cent
- Ireland 1 per cent
- United Kingdom 23.5 per cent
- Greece 2 per cent"

3. For the purpose of calculating "the preceding year's total imports", mentioned in paragraph 1 above, the figures for imports from the Hellenic Republic, both in 1980 and 1981, shall be those recorded in 1980.

**Article 3**

This Protocol forms an integral part of the Agreement.
Article 4

This Protocol shall be approved by the contracting parties in accordance with their own procedures. It shall enter into force on 1 January 1981, provided that the contracting parties have notified each other before that date that the procedures necessary to this end have been completed. After that date, the Protocol shall enter into force on the first day of the second month following such notification.

Article 5

This Protocol shall be drawn up in two copies, in the Danish, Dutch, English, French, German, Greek and Italian languages, each of these texts being equally authentic.
NOTE VERBALE

The Mission of the Republic of Haiti presents its compliments to the Directorate-General for External Relations of the Commission of the European Communities and has the honour to refer to the Additional Protocol to the Agreement on Trade in Textile Products consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community, initialled this day between the Republic of Haiti and the European Economic Community.

The Mission of the Republic of Haiti wishes to inform the Directorate-General for External Relations that, pending completion of the procedures necessary for the conclusion and entry into force of the Protocol, the Government of the Republic of Haiti is prepared to agree that the provisions of the Agreement should be applied de facto as from 1 January 1981 if the Community is willing to do likewise.

The Mission of the Republic of Haiti considers that this note, together with the Community's reply, constitutes an agreement between the Government of the Republic of Haiti and the Community.

The Mission of the Republic of Haiti avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Directorate-General for External Relations the assurances of its highest consideration.
The Directorate-General for External Relations of the Commission of the European Communities presents its compliments to the Mission of the Republic of Haiti and has the honour to acknowledge receipt of its note of today's date, which reads as follows:

"The Mission of the Republic of Haiti presents its compliments to the Directorate-General for External Relations of the Commission of the European Communities and has the honour to refer to the Additional Protocol to the Agreement on Trade in Textile Products consequent on the accession of the Hellenic Republic to the Community, initialled this day between the Republic of Haiti and the European Economic Community.

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