Textiles Surveillance Body

DRAFT REPORT OF THE SECOND MEETING (1981)

1. The Textiles Surveillance Body held its second meeting of 1981 on 4-6 February. The following members or alternates replacing members were present: Messrs. Bajwa, Chau, Delgado, Hobson, Kujirai, Safioen, Scheele and Shepherd.

2. The report of the first meeting was adopted and has been circulated as COM.TEX/SB/645.

Pending notifications

EEC/Indonesia

3. The TSB reverted to the notification by the EEC concerning provisional unilateral restrictions on imports of Categories 6, 7 and 8 from Indonesia into the market of the United Kingdom. It received a new notification from the Community concerning the extension of these provisional measures for the four months January-April 1981, and the introduction of a new provisional unilateral restriction on imports of Category 8 into France for the same period.

4. The TSB noted that consultations between the parties were still continuing. While recalling the observations made at its previous meeting, it decided to revert to the matter as soon as it had received a further report from the parties concerned.

New notifications

United States/Singapore

5. The TSB had received from the United States a notification of an administrative arrangement agreed with Singapore, establishing an export visa system for cotton, wool and man-made fibre apparel products exported to the United States. This notification was made under Article 8.4 of the Arrangement. The TSB agreed to transmit this notification to the Textiles Committee (COM.TEX/SB/646).

1/ Hundred and seventeenth meeting overall.

* English only/Anglais seulement.
Sweden/Macao

6. The TSB began its consideration of a notification received from Sweden of a new Article 4 bilateral agreement concluded with Macao. The TSB will continue its review of this agreement at its next meeting.