GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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TEX.SB/1025*
5 October 1984

Textiles Surveillance Body

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

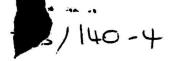
Notification under Article 4:4

Modification of the Bilateral Agreement between the United States and Thailand

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a notification received from the United States concerning a modification of its agreement with Thailand. New restraints were established on spun polyester thread (Category 605 pt) and mmf gloves (Category 631).

¹The original bilateral agreement is contained in COM.TEX/SB/942
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July 24, 1984

The Honorable Ambassador Marcelo Raffaelli Chairman, Textiles Surveillance Body GATT Rue De Lausanne 154 1211 Geneva

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 4 of Article 4 of the Arrangement Regarding International Trade in Textiles, I am instructed by my government to inform the Textiles Surveillance Body that new restraints have been established on two products (spun polyester thread and mmf gloves) pursuant to the consultation procedures set out in paragraph 4 of the cotton, wool and man-made fiber textiles agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Thailand.

These new restraints, which are set out in the attachment to this letter, were sought in order to address a real risk of market disruption with respect to the products concerned.

Sincerely,

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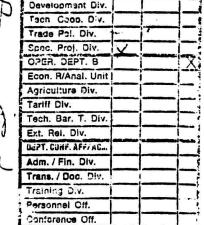
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Exporting country	Product (Category No. and unit)	Level to be reached before consultations may be asked	Level and date at which the call was made	Previous <u>year's imp</u> orts	Minimum level for the restraint if no agreement reached	Restraint/ level set—/	Growth
Thailand	605 pt LBS	NA	331,074 (3.84)	38,021 (1982)	302,851**	302,851** (28.3.84- 31.12.84)	7%
	631 DPR	NA	146,210 (12.83)	15,390 (1982)	175,452	175,452 1.1.83- 31.12.83)	
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^{**}corresponds to National Annual level of 397,289