GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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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 Mexico

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a notification received from the United States concerning a modification of its agreement with Mexico A new restraint was established on Category 604 part (acrylic spun yarn).

¹The original bilateral agreement and previous modifications are contained in COM.TEX/SB/749 and 796

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The Honorable
Ambassador Marcelo Raffaelli
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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 Category 604 part (acrylic spun yarn) pursuant to the consultation procedures set out in paragraph 6 of the cotton, wool and man-made fiber textiles agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Mexico.

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 product concerned.

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Sincerely,

Robert E. Shepkerd Minister-Counselor

Enclosure As Stated

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 year's imports	Minimum level for the restraint if no agreement reached	Restraint/ level set_/	Growth
Mexico	604 pt LBS	1,000,000 SYE (243,902 LBS)	933,125 (3.83)	534,271 (1981)	759,421	759,421 (1983)	<u>. </u>
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^{1/}The relevant date/period is indicated between brackets

^{2/}Category was called again in December 1983; 1984 limit put into effect pursuant to paragraph 6 of the bilateral agreement