

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

CONFIDENTIAL

TEX.SB/1096*
4 April 1985

Textiles Surveillance Body

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Modification of the Bilateral Agreement between the United States and Brazil

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a notification received from the United States of a further modification of the bilateral agreement between the United States and Brazil. Consultation levels for Categories 361, 314, 320, 335, 336, 340, 341, 342, 345, 351 and 359 pt have been modified for the 1984-85 agreement period.

¹The original agreement and previous modifications are contained in COM.TEX/SB/777, 1012 and 1013

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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 of an increase in a number of consultation levels and, thereby, the further amendment of the cotton and man-made fiber textile agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Brazil.

Copies of the State Department press releases which outline these increases are attached.

Sincerely,

Robert E. Shepherd
Minister-Counselor

Attachments

For	Action	Comments
OPER. DEPT. A		
Non Far. M. Div.		X
Development Div.		
Tech. Coop. Div.		
Trans. Pol. Div.		
Soc. Prog. Div.	X	
OPER. DEPT. B		
Econ. Plann. Div.		X
Ind. & Agr. Div.		
Tariff Div.		
Tech. Bar. T. Div.		
Ext. Rel. Div.		
PERSONNEL DIV.		
Adm. / Fin. Div.		
Trans. / Doc. Div.		
Training Div.		
Personnel Off.		
Conf. Sec. Div.		



Textiles Division

Public Release

United States Department of State
Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs
Washington, D.C.

February 6, 1985

UNITED STATES AND BRAZIL AMEND BILATERAL TEXTILE AGREEMENT

The United States and Brazil amended their bilateral textile agreement by exchange of letters in Washington dated January 31 and February 5, 1985, respectively. Texts of the letters follow.

UNITED STATES LETTER

Washington
January 31, 1985

Mr. Jose Artur Denot Medeiros
Minister-Counselor
Embassy of Brazil
3006 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20008

Dear Mr. Denot Medeiros:

I refer to your letter of November 20, 1984 concerning Category 361 and to the Agreement between the United States and Brazil Relating to Trade in Cotton and Man-made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products, with Annexes, effected by exchange of notes on March 31, 1982 (the Agreement).

On behalf of my Government, I would like to propose that the consultation level for the current Agreement Year for Category 361 be increased to 2,250,000 square yards equivalent.

For more
information
contact:

EB/TEX:JSpiegel

(202) 632-3000

If this proposal is acceptable to your Government, this letter and your letter of confirmation on behalf of your Government shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Sincerely,



Denis Lamb
Deputy Assistant Secretary
Trade and Commercial Affairs
Bureau of Economic and
Business Affairs

BRAZIL LETTER

Washington
February 5, 1985

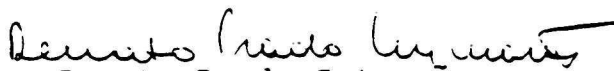
Mr. Denis Lamb
Deputy Assistant Secretary
Trade and Commercial Affairs
Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs
U.S. Department of State
Washington, D.C. 20520

Dear Mr. Lamb:

I refer to your letter of January 31st, 1985, in which you propose an increase to 2,250,000 sye of the consultation level of category 361.

2. I have the honor to inform you, on behalf of my Government, that your Government's proposal is acceptable. This being the case, this letter and your aforementioned letter shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement between Brazil and the United States of America relating to Trade in Cotton and Man-made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products, with annexes, effected by exchange of notes on March 31, 1982.

Sincerely yours,



Renato Prado Guimarães
Minister-Counselor



Textiles Division

Public Release

United States Department of State
Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs
Washington, D.C.

January 18, 1985

UNITED STATES AND BRAZIL AMEND BILATERAL TEXTILE AGREEMENT

The following extracts of letters exchanged in Washington between the Government of the United States and the Government of Brazil constitute an amendment to the textile bilateral agreement.

UNITED STATES LETTER

Washington
December 21, 1984

Mr. Jose Artur Denot Medeiros
Minister-Counselor
Embassy of Brazil

Dear Mr. Denot Medeiros:

I refer to your letter of November 20, 1984 concerning several textile categories and to the Agreement between the United States and Brazil Relating to Trade in Cotton and Man-made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products, with Annexes, effected by exchange of notes on March 31, 1982 (the Agreement).

On behalf of my Government, I would like to propose that the consultation levels for the current Agreement Year for the following categories be increased as noted below:

Category 314	1,900 000 SYD
Category 320	4,400,000 SYD
Category 335	52,000 Doz.
Category 336	30,000 Doz.
Category 340	41 667 Doz.
Category 341	96,000 Doz.
Category 342	73,034 Doz.
Category 345	38,044 Doz.
Category 351	23,077 Doz.
Category 359 (Part)	TSUSA Numbers 379.0822,

For more
information
contact:

EB/TEX:JSpiegel (202) 632-2062

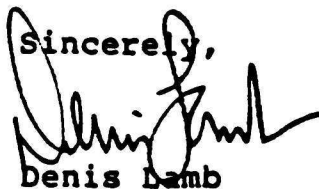
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379.6410, 383.0828, 383.5035 and effective January 1, 1985, number 383.5027; 325,000 lbs and 200,000 lbs. for all other TSUSA numbers in Category 359.

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If this proposal is acceptable to your Government, this letter and your letter of confirmation on behalf of your Government shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Denis Lamb", written over the word "Sincerely,".

Denis Lamb
Deputy Assistant Secretary
Trade and Commercial Affairs
Bureau of Economic and
Business Affairs

BRAZIL LETTER

Washington
January 8, 1985

Mr. Denis Lamb
Deputy Assistant Secretary
Trade and Commercial Affairs
Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs
U.S. Department of State

Dear Mr. Lamb:

Thank you for your letter of December 21, 1984,
in which you propose increases for the consultation levels of
categories 314, 320, 335, 336, 340, 341, 342, 345, 351 and 359.
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I have the honor to inform you, on behalf of my
Government, that your proposal for increases of the consulta-
tion levels of categories 314, 320, 335, 336, 340, 341, 342,
345, 351 and 359 is acceptable and, this being the case, this
letter and the part of your letter referring to these categories
shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement between Brazil
and the United States of America relating to Trade in Cotton and
Man-Made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products, with annexes,
effected by exchange of notes on March 31, 1982.

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Sincerely,


José Artur Denot Medeiros
Minister Counselor