

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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Textiles Surveillance Body

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Report on the Status of Restrictive Measures as requested by the TSB in accordance with Article 11¹

TURKEY

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a notification received by the Textiles Surveillance Body from Turkey concerning the present status of its restrictions on trade in textiles and clothing. This report has been submitted in accordance with Article 11 of the Arrangement, and in particular paragraphs 11, 12 and 2 thereof.²

¹ See COM.TEX/SB/1067, paragraph 28

² The previous report by Turkey is contained in COM.TEX/SB/965/Add.21

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PERMANENT MISSION OF TURKEY
GENEVA

Geneva, 23 July 1985

Dear Mr. Chairman,

I have the honour to enclose herewith the information on restrictions imposed on imports of textile and clothing products, received from the competent Turkish authorities in response to your letter of 2 May 1985. You will note that the prohibitions notified in our previous submissions have been lifted under the 1985 import regime. Products affected by these prohibitions have been either completely liberalized or moved to the list of items subject to licences.

Please accept the assurances of my highest consideration.

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Counsellor

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LIST OF TEXTILE PRODUCTS SUBJECT TO PRIOR AUTHORIZATION

<u>CCCN No.</u>	<u>Product Description</u>	<u>Type of measure applied</u>	<u>Levels of imports affected in 1984 (US dollars)</u>	<u>Effective date of entry</u>	<u>Expiry date</u>
ex.51.04	Woven fabrics of man-made continuous fibres, <u>except</u> : fabrics for tyres of synthetic fibres (The need and quantity for which will be approved by the Ministry of Industry and Commerce)	Prior Authorization (See footnote 1)	1.982.279	28.12.1984	1986 (See footnote 2)
53.06	Yarn of carded wool, not put up for retail sale	" "	2.611.365	" "	" "
53.07	Worsted yarn, not put up for retail sale	" "	403.355	" "	" "
55.07	Cotton gauze	" "	-	" "	" "
55.08	Terry towelling and similar terry fabrics, of cotton	" "	-	" "	" "
55.09	Other woven fabrics of cotton	" "	1.127.026	" "	" "
56.07	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (Discontinuous or waste)	" "	173.310	" "	" "
56.10	Embroidery, in the piece etc.	" "	53.798	17.5.1985	" "

59.03	Bonded fibres fabrics, similar bonded yarn fabrics, and articles thereof	Prior Authorization (See footnote 1)	527.954	28.12.1984	1986 (See footnote 2)
59.04	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables	" "	895.807	" "	" "
59.06	Other articles made from yarn etc.	" "	66.132	" "	" "
ex. 59.08	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated etc. (<u>except</u> : Leather imitation)	" "	88.483	" "	" "
59.10	Linoleum and similar, floor coverings applied on a textile base	" "	-	17.5.1985	" "
59.12	Textile fabrics otherwise impregnated or coated; painted canvas	" "	326.730	" "	" "
59.13	Elastic fabrics and trimmings combined with rubber threads	" "	14.662	28.12.1984	" "
59.14	Wicks, of woven, plaited or knitted textile materials etc.	" "	10.582.	" "	" "
ex. 59.16	Transmission, conveyor or elevator belts or belting, of textile material, (<u>except</u> : of cotton, wool, hair, flax, hemp and similar fibres)	" "	112.939	" "	" "
60.05	Outer garments and other articles, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberised	" "	5.189	17.5.1985	" "

				1984	1985
		Prior Authorization (see footnote 1)		28.12.1984	(See footnote 2)
ex. 60.00	Knitted or crocheted fabric and articles thereof elastic or rubberised, (<u>except</u> : stockings for varix treatment and knee-caps.)		7.055		
61.01	Men's and boys' outer garments	" "	57.121	17.5.1985	" "
61.02	Women's, girls' and infants' outer garments	" "	23.239	" "	" "
ex. 61.03	Men's and boys' under garments, (<u>except</u> : Cotton and silk shirts)	" "	113.919	" "	" "
61.04	Women's, girls' and infants' under garments	" "	32.508	" "	" "
61.05	Handkerchiefs	" "	-	" "	" "
ex. 61.07	Fabrics for ties, cut to pattern.	" "	79.122	" "	" "
61.09	Corsets, Corset-belts, suspender- belts etc.	" "	108.046	" "	" "
61.10	Gloves, mittens, mitts, stockings, socks etc.	" "	1.185	" "	" "
62.01	Travelling rugs and blankets	" "	33.985	" "	" "
62.02	Bed linen, table linen etc.	" "	137.743	" "	" "
ex. 62.03	Sacks and bags for the packing of goods, (<u>except</u> : sacks of jute)	" "	2.468.416	28.12.1984	" "

62.05	Other made up textile articles	Prior Authorization (See footnote 1)	14.039	28.12.1984	1986 (See footnote 2)
63.01	Clothing etc. showing signs of wear and imported in bulk	" "	310	17.5.1985	" "

Footnotes :

- (1) Imports are subject to the prior authorization of the Undersecretariat for Treasury and Foreign Trade.
- (2) The system is announced every year in the Import Regime. The list of products subject to prior authorization may be amended or extended without change in 1986 according to the needs of the Turkish economy.