# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

CONFIDENTIAL

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31 October 1985

Textiles Surveillance Body

### ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Amendment of the Bilateral Agreement between the United States and Uruguay

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a notification received from the United States of a further amendment of its bilateral agreement with Uruguay. The parties agreed to specific limits on Categories 433 and 434 (wool coats for men and boys).

The original agreement, an extension and previous amendment are contained in COM.TEX/SB/973 and 1022

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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 the further amendment of the cotton wool and man-made fiber textile agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Uruguay.

The amendment provides for the adddition of mutually agreed specific limits for wool coats for men and boys (categories 433 and 434) which had been the subject of consultations requested by the United States pursuant to Article 3 of the MFA. Copies of the detailed factual statements which accompanied the requests are provided under separate cover.

Enclosed herewith are copies of the notes giving effect to

this amendment.

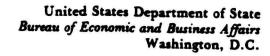
Sincerely,

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Minister-Counselor

Enclosure: (As stated)

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June 21, 1985

UNITED STATES AND URUCUAY AMEND BILATERAL TEXTILE AGREEMENT

The United States and Uruguay exchanged notes in Montevideo to effect amendment of their bilateral textile agreement. Texts of the notes follow.

## UNITED STATES NOTE

Montevideo March 28, 1985

His Excellency Cr. Enrique V. Iglesias Minister of Foreign Affairs Montevideo

#### Excellency

I have the honor to refer to the Arrangement relating to International Trade in Cextilee, with Annexee, done at Geneva on December 20, 1973 and extended by Protocols adopted respectively on December 17, 1977 and December 12, 1981 at Geneva (the Arrangement), to the agreement between the United States of America and the Oriental Republic of Uruguay relating to trade in certain weel categories effected by exchange of notes December 38, 1983 and January 23, 1984 in Montevidee, as amended (the agreement), and to discussions held between

representatives of our Governments in Montevideo

I have the honor to propose, on behalf of my Government, that the agreement be further amended in the following manner:

That Paragraph 1 of the agreement include the followings

- -- 1 (b) (IV) For category 433 the third agreement period is the 12-month period from January 1, 1985 through December 31, 1985. The fourth agreement period is the 12-month period from January 1, 1986 through December 31, 1986. The fifth and last agreement period is from January 1, 1987 through June 38, 1987.
- -- 1 (b) (v) For category 434 the second agreement period is the seven-month period from December 1, 1984 through June 30, 1985. The third agreement period is the 12-month period from July 1, 1985 through June 30, 1986. The fourth and last agreement period is from July 1, 1986 through June 30, 1987.

That Annex A be amended to include the following:

Category Description Factor Measure

- 433 Wool suit-type coats 36 dozen men's and boys'
- 434 Woel other coats 54 desea

That Annez 8 be amended to include the following:

Category Unit First Second Third Fourth Fifth

- 433 dosen M/A M/A 13,500 13,635 6,886
- 434 dozen N/A 11,520 19,865 20,064 H/A

If this proposal is acceptable to the Government of the Oriental Republic of Uruguay, this note and your Excellency's note of confirmation on behalf of your Government shall constitute an agendment to the agreement.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed asserances of my highest consideration.

## URUGUAY NOTE

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs presents its compliments to the Embassy of the United States of America and has the honor to refer to Note Verbale No. 089 dated March 28, 1985.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs wishes to express its conformity with the referred Note Verbale whereby the Agreement relating to trade in certain textile products is amended by including in it new products (Categories 433 and 434).

The Ministry of Poreign Affairs avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the United States of America the assurances of its highest consideration.

Montevideo, April 30, 1985.