## **GENERAL AGREEMENT ON** TARIFFS AND TRADE

17 February 1983

Textiles Surveillance Body

## ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Extension of Bilateral Agreements between Sweden and Brazil, India, Philippines and Yugoslavia

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a letter received from Sweden concerning the provisional extension of four Swedish Article 4 bilateral agreements:

- with Brazil<sup>1</sup>, until 30 April 1983 with India<sup>2</sup>, until 30 April 1983 with the Philippines<sup>3</sup>, until 30 June 1983 with Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>, until 30 June 1983

For original agreement see COM.TEX/SB/636

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>For original agreement see COM.TEX/SB/684

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>For original agreement see COM.TEX/SB/683

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>For original agreement see COM.TEX/SB/724

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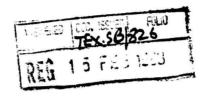
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Dear Mr Ambassador,

This is to inform you that an understanding has been reached between  $\underline{\text{Brazil}}$  and  $\underline{\text{Sweden}}$  on a provisional prolongation of their previous agreement on trade in textiles (see document COM.TEX/SB/636), for an eight months period ending 30 April 1983.

A similar arrangement has been arrived at with the <u>Philippines</u> (see document COM.TEX/SB/683) for a period of eight months ending 30 June 1983.

A further similar arrangement has been arrived at with <a href="India">India</a> (see document COM.TEX/SB/684) for a period of four months ending 30 April 1983.

Finally, a further similar arrangement has been arrived at with <u>Yugoslavia</u> (see document COM.TEX/SB/724) for a period of six months ending 30 June 1983.

The reasons for these prolongations are difficulties to find an early date for consultations or continuation thereof, which would suit both parties.

When definite agreements to supersede these provisional prolongations have been concluded, you will of course be notified accordingly.

Yours sincerely,

Ambassador