GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

Textiles Surveillance Body

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Modification of the Bilateral Agreement between the EEC and Korea

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a notification received from the Commission of the European Communities relating to a modification of the bilateral agreement between the EEC and Korea. This modification concerns the introduction of new agreed limits on exports of undergarments (Category 82) into France.

The original agreement is contained in TEX.SB/935.

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In connection with the European Economic Community's Agreement

on trade in textile products with the Republic of Korea initialled on 13 December 1982 and negotiated pursuant to Article 4 of the Arrangement as extended by the 1981 Protocol of Extension, I have the honour to inform you of the following:

During the course of 1983 imports of under garments (category 82) from the Republic of Korea into France exceeded 10 tonnes, being the level at which the Community could ask for consultations with a view to establishing a regional limit under the provisions of Article 7 of the bilateral Agreement. The Community having deemed that there was a real risk of market disruption in this case, the two sides consulted on21 December 1983 in pursuance of Article 14 of the Agreement. As a result of these consultations, and in conformity with the provisions of the Agreement, the Republic of Korea agreed to limit exports to France as follows:

Category	Unit	Member State	1984	1985	1986
82	Tonnes	F	29	30	31

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This new limit contained in the agreed minute annexed to this letter, is herewith communicated under Article 4, Paragraph 4 of the Arrangement, as a modification to the Community's Agreement with the Republic of Korea notified in 1984 and circulated under COM/TEX/SB to the T.S.B.

Yours sincerely,

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. Encl.

- 1. A Delegation of the Republic of Korea and a Delegation of the European Communities met on 20 December 1983 in Brussels for consultations in accordance with Article 7 paras 2 and 6 of the Agreement on trade in textiles initialled on 13 December 1982.
- 2. As a result of these consultations, Korea agreed to limit its exports of products falling into category 82 to France to the following levels:

France	Categor	Category 82		
	1984	29	tonnes	
	1985	30	tonnes	
	1986	31	tonnes	

- 3. It is the understanding of both parties that the provisions of the Agreement which concern exports of products subject to quantitative limit established in Annex II shall apply to exports of products mentioned above from 1 January 1984.
- 4. It is the understanding of both parties that the Republic of Korea may export from 20 December 1983 to 31 December 1983 a quantity of 3 tonnes for the category and country concerned.
- 5. It is also the understanding of both parties that there will be no carryover between 1983 and 1984 for the above category.

Decegation of the Republic

of Korea

Delegation of the European

Communities

Brussels, 24 December 1983.

BASKET EXIT LIHITATION

CATEGORY: 82

UNITS: tonnes

COUNTRIES : REPUBLIC OF KOREA / FRANCE

a)	Date when new limit was agreed	-	21.12.1983	
ы	Basket Exit Level (Group II : 1,2%)	-	10 tonnes	
c)	Provisional limit introduced pending outcome of consultations	-	.8.9.83: 3,5 t for 3 months	(date, pieces/tonnes)
d)	Level of new agreed limit	-	29 tonnes	
e)	First year of application of new limit	-	1984	*
f)	Annual growth	-	4% .	.•1
9)	Date when consultations were requested	-	8.9.83	r
h)	Recorded imports at date of request		17 tonnes	
i)	Period covered by h)	=	January-June 1983	•
j)	Imports during calendar year preceding year during which consultation was requested	-	0	