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Textiles Surveillance Body

Organe de surveillance des textiles

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification of an amendment to the
agreement between Sweden and Hong Kong¹

Note by the Chairman

The attached notification received from the Swedish delegation transmits the text of an amendment to the agreement concluded between Sweden and Hong Kong covering certain textile products.

¹For details see COM.TEX/SB/211.

ARRANGEMENT CONCERNANT LE COMMERCE INTERNATIONAL DES TEXTILES

Notification d'une modification apportée à l'accord
entre la Suède et Hong-kong¹

Note du Président

La délégation de la Suède a fait parvenir au secrétariat la notification ci-jointe transmettant le texte d'une modification apportée à l'accord conclu entre la Suède et Hong-kong, qui porte sur certains produits textiles.

¹Pour le détail de l'accord, voir le document COM.TEX/SB/211.

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SWEDISH DELEGATION

Geneva, 16th September 1977

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Dear Mr Ambassador,

I have the honour to enclose copy of an agreement between Sweden and Hong Kong regarding exports of certain textiles products from Hong Kong to Sweden. The agreement was concluded by exchange of letters dated 15 August 1977.

Yours sincerely,

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This Memorandum of Understanding sets out the arrangements that have been agreed between the Government of Sweden and the Government of Hong Kong in the course of consultations held in Stockholm on August 2-3, 1977 pursuant to the provisions of the Arrangement Regarding International Trade in Textiles.

- (a) The Annex to the Memorandum of Understanding signed by the Government of Sweden and the Government of Hong Kong on September 24, 1976, governing exports of certain textiles from Hong Kong to Sweden in the period July 1, 1976 to December 31, 1977, shall be amended by adding the following:

<u>Group</u>	<u>Swedish Statistical Number</u>	<u>Hong Kong Statistical Classifica- tion Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Level in pieces</u>	<u>Conversion Factor Square yards equivalent per dozen</u>
XVII	ex 60.05.304 ex 306	ex 841.462 ex 841.465 ex 841.486 ex 841.863 ex 841.866 ex 841.887	Sweaters, pullovers, slipovers, jumpers and cardigans, knitted or crocheted, of wool or of discon- tinuous syn- thetic fibres	820,000 (for the period 8.8.77 to 31.12.77)	36

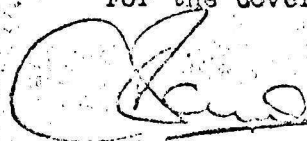
- (b) The Annex to the Memorandum of Understanding on a system of Export Authorizations signed by the Government of Sweden and the Government of Hong Kong on September 24, 1976 shall be amended by deleting item No. 5.
- (c) The Government of Sweden will admit imports of goods falling within paragraph (b) above, covered by valid Export Authorizations issued on or before June 29, 1977, in accordance with paragraph 8 of the Memorandum of Understanding on a system of Export Authorizations signed by the Government of Sweden and the Government of Hong Kong on September 24, 1976. Such imports should not be counted against the level in paragraph (a) above.

For the Government of Sweden,



Dag Bergman
Consul General

For the Government of Hong Kong



W. Norward
Acting Director of Commerce and Industry

Signed at Hong Kong
August 15, 1977.