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TEX.SB/536
23 June 1980

Textiles Surveillance Body

Organe de surveillance des textiles

ARRANGEMENT REGARDING INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TEXTILES

Notification under Article 4:4

Amendment to the Bilateral Agreement between the United States and Korea

Note by the Chairman

The attached notification received from the United States mission concerns a further amendment to the bilateral agreement between the United States and Korea, concluded under Article 4 of the Arrangement.

ARRANGEMENT CONCERNANT LE COMMERCE INTERNATIONAL DES TEXTILES

Notification conformement à l'article, 4, paragraphe 4

Modification de l'accord bilatéral entre les Etats-Unis et la Corée

Note du Président

La Mission des Etats-Unis a fait parvenir au secrétariat la notification ci-jointe relative à une nouvelle modification de l'accord bilatéral conclu entre les Etats-Unis et la Corée au titre de l'article 4 de 1'Arrangement.

For details of the agreement and previous amendments see COM.TEX/SB/329, 341, 414 and 526.

Pour le détail de l'accord et les modifications précédentes, voir les documents COM.TEX/SB/329, 341, 414 et 526.



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The Honorable Paul Wurth Ambassador Chairman, Textiles Surveillance Body 154, rue de Lausanne CH-1211 Geneva 21

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 a technical amendment of the cotton, wool and man-made fiber textile agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Korea.

The original bilateral agreement and prior amendments have been notified and circulated as COM. TEX/SB/329, 341, 414 and 526.

Enclosed hereto are copies of the letters affecting this amendment.

Sincerely,

Robert E. Shepherd Minister-Counselor

Enclosure

April 14, 1980

Excellency:

I have the honor to refer to the Agreement between the United States of America and the Republic of Korea relating to Trade in Cotton, Wool and Man-Made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products effected by exchange of notes December 23, 1977 as amended ("the Agreement").

My Government has discovered two errors in the Agreement. I therefore have the honor to propose that the Agreement be amended as follows:

In Annex C, under Group I, "Category 359 pt.

Shoe Uppers (308.3980, 382.3380)" shall be changed to read, "Category 369 pt. Shoe Uppers (386.0410, 386.5010)

In Annex C, under Group II, "Category 359 pt. Other Apparel (Excluding Shoe Uppers)" shall be changed to read, "Category 359 pt. Other Apparel (Excluding Judo and Taekwondo Suits)".

If the foregoing is acceptable to the Government of the Republic of Korea, this note and your Excellency' note of confirmation on behalf of the Government of the Republic of Korea shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

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

For the Secretary of State:

His Excellency

Yong Shik Kim.

Ambassador of the Republic of Korea.

EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA WASHINGTON, D. C.

May 20, 1980

Excellency:

I have the honor to ac nowledge the receipt of the note of the Secretary of State, dated April 14, 1980 ("the note"), relating to Trade in Cotton, Wool and Man-Made-Fiber Textiles and Textile Products effected by exchange of notes December 23, 1977 as amended ("the Agreement").

I have further the honor to inform your Excellency that the proposals set forth in the note are acceptable to the Government of the Republic of Korea and to confirm on behalf of the Korean Government that the note and this note in reply thereto shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

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

Yong Shik Kim

His Excellency

Edmund S. Muskie

Secretary of the Department of State.

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