

GENERAL AGREEMENT
ON TARIFFS AND
TRADE

ACCORD GENERAL SUR
LES TARIFS DOUANIERS
ET LE COMMERCE

CONFIDENTIAL

TEX.SB/572

16 September 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 Pakistan

Note by the Chairman

The attached notification received from the United States mission concerns a further amendment to the bilateral agreement¹ between the United States and Pakistan, concluded under Article 4 of the Arrangement.

¹For details of the agreement and previous amendments see COM.TEX/SB/300, 491 and 545.

ARRANGEMENT CONCERNANT LE COMMERCE INTERNATIONAL DES TEXTILES

Notification conformément à l'article 4, paragraphe 4

Modification de l'accord bilatéral entre les
Etats-Unis et le Pakistan

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 bilatéral¹ conclu entre les Etats-Unis et le Pakistan au titre de l'article 4 de l'Arrangement.

¹Pour le détail de l'accord et les modifications précédentes, voir les documents COM.TEX/SB/300, 491 et 545.



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The Honorable Paul Wurth
Ambassador
Chairman, Textiles Surveillance Body
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154, rue de Lausanne
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Dear Mr. Chairman:

Pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 4 of Article 47 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 textile agreements between the Government of the United States of America and the Governments of Malaysia, Mexico, Pakistan, 1/ Romania, 2/ and Singapore.

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The original bilateral agreements and prior amendments have been notified and circulated as follows: for Malaysia, as COM.TEX/SB/358, 401, 490, 529 and 569; for Mexico, as COM.TEX/SB/400; for Pakistan, as COM.TEX/SB/300, 491 and 545; for Romania, as COM.TEX/SB/267, 294, 347, 397 (Part) and 494; and for Singapore, as COM.TEX/SB/399, 400, 464, 495, 528, 567 and 584.

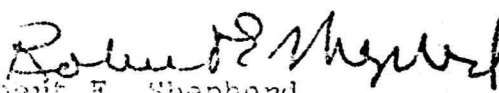
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- 1/ Cotton only.
 - 2/ Wool and man-made fiber only.

Each of the amendments referred to above provides for increases in consultation levels. These increases are as follows:

Country	Category	Previous Level	New Level
Malaysia	446 (wool sweaters, WGI	210,000 sye	235,000 s
	604 (mmf yarn)	3,000,000 sye	3,300,000 s
	613 (spun noncellulosic yarn)	2,000,000 sye	2,660,000 s
Mexico	352 (cotton underwear)	700,000 sye	2,000,000 s
	359 (other cotton apparel)	700,000 sye	3,000,000 s
	604 (TSUSA 310, 5049 - spun yarn)	3,500,000 sye	3,750,000 s
	650 (mmf dressing gowns, etc.)	700,000 sye	1,500,000 s
Pakistan	331 (cotton gloves)	700,000 sye	1,000,000 s
	340 (cotton shirts)	700,000 sye	1,000,000 s
	342 (cotton shirts)	700,000 sye	1,100,000 s
	351 (cotton nightwear)	700,000 sye	1,000,000 s
Romania	635 (mmf coats)	700,000 sye	1,400,000 s
Singapore	317 (twills and satins)	8,000,000 sye	14,627,272 s
	341 (cotton blouses)	55,172 dozen	58,000 dozen

Enclosed hereto are copies the notes giving effect to these amendments.

Sincerely,


Robert E. Shepherd
Minister-Counselor

Enclosure



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20520

June 25, 1980

Supplement

Mr. Ihsan-ul Haq
Economic Minister
Embassy of Pakistan
2315 Massachusetts Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20008

Dear Mr. Haq:

I refer to paragraph 9 (a) of the Agreement between the United States and Pakistan relating to Trade in Cotton Textiles, effected by exchange of notes January 4 and 9, 1978, as amended, ("the Agreement") and to your letter of November 20, 1979 concerning exports from Pakistan to the United States of products classified in textile Category 351.

On behalf of my Government, I have the honor to propose that Annex A be amended to establish a designated consultation level of one million square yards equivalent for Category 351.

If this proposal is acceptable to your Government, this letter and your letter of confirmation shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Sincerely,

Harry Kopp
Deputy Assistant Secretary
for Trade and Commercial Affairs



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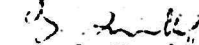
July 1, 1980

Dear Mr. Kopp,

I refer to your letter of June 25, 1980 proposing that Annex A to the Agreement between the United States and Pakistan relating to Trade in Cotton Textiles be amended to establish a designated consultation level of one million square yards equivalent for Category 351.

2. On behalf of my Government I have the honour to accept this proposal. Your letter and my confirmation would constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Yours sincerely,


(Ihsanul Haq)

Mr. Harry Kopp,
Deputy Assistant Secretary
for Trade and Commercial Affairs,
Department of State # 3831,
Washington, D.C.



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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July 3, 1980

Mr. Ihsanul Haq
Economic Minister
Embassy of Pakistan

Dear Mr. Haq:

I refer to paragraph 9 of the Agreement between the United States and Pakistan relating to Trade in Cotton Textiles with annexes, effected by exchange of notes January 4 and 9, 1978 as amended ("the Agreement") and to your letter of May 14, 1980 concerning exports from Pakistan to the United States of products classified in textile category 342.

On behalf of my Government, I have the honor to propose that the consultation level for Category 342 be increased by 400,000 SYE to a level of 1,100,000 SYE for the 1980 agreement year.

If this proposal is acceptable to your Government, this letter and your letter of confirmation shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Sincerely,

Harry Kopp
Deputy Assistant Secretary
Trade and Commercial Affairs



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July 8, 1980

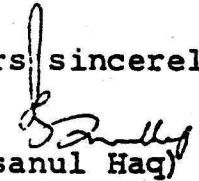
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Dear Mr. Kopp,

I refer to your letter of July 3, 1980 proposing that the consultation level for Category 342 be increased by 400,000 SYE to a level of 1,100,000 SYE for the 1980 agreement year.

2. On behalf of my Government I have the honour to accept this proposal. Your letter and my confirmation would constitute an amendment to the Agreement between the United States and Pakistan relating to Trade in Cotton Textiles.

Yours sincerely,


(Ihsanul Haq)

Mr. Harry Kopp,
Deputy Assistant Secretary
Trade & Commercial Affairs,
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Washington, D.C.

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Mr. Ihsan-ul-Haq
Economic Minister
Embassy of Pakistan
2315 Massachusetts Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20008

Dear Mr. Haq:

I refer to paragraph 9 of the Agreement between the United States and Pakistan relating to Trade in Cotton Textiles, with annexes, effected by exchange of notes January 4 and 9, 1978 as amended ("the Agreement") and to recent conversations between our Governments concerning the export from Pakistan to the United States of products classified in textile Categories 331 and 340.

On behalf of my Government, I have the honor to propose that the consultation levels for Category 331 and Category 340 each be increased to a level of one million square yards equivalent for the 1980 Agreement Year.

If this proposal is acceptable to your Government, this letter and your letter of confirmation shall constitute an amendment to the Agreement.

Sincerely,

/s/ Harry Kopp

Harry Kopp
Deputy Assistant Secretary
Trade and Commercial Affairs



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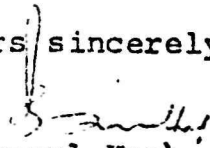
COMMERCE MINISTER
&
SOCIAL ADVISER

Dear Mr. Kopp,

I refer to your letter of June 20, 1980 proposing that the consultation levels for Category 331 and Category 340 each be increased to a level of one million square yards equivalent for the 1980 Agreement Year.

2. On behalf of my Government I have the honour to accept these proposals. Your letter and my confirmation would constitute an amendment to the Pakistan-U.S. Textile Agreement.

Yours sincerely,


(Ihsanul Haq)

Mr. Harry Kopp,
Deputy Assistant Secretary,
Trade & Commercial Affairs,
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