

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

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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 Argentina

Note by the Chairman

Attached is a notification received from the EEC of a further modification of its bilateral agreement with Argentina. Inter-regional swing has been increased for the 1992 agreement year.¹

¹The bilateral agreement, previous modifications and extension are contained in COM.TEX/SB/1268, 1650, and 1661.

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DIRECTORATE-GENERAL
EXTERNAL RELATIONS

Brussels, 04.02.92

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Dear Ambassador,

Pursuant to Article 4.4 of the Arrangement, I enclose herewith a copy of the exchange of Notes between the European Economic Community and Argentina amending the bilateral Agreement on trade in textile products. The percentage of inter-regional transfers is now fixed at a higher level than previously i.e. 40% instead of 16%.

Yours sincerely,

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NOTE VERBALE

The Directorate-General for External Relations of the Commission of the European Communities presents its compliments to the Mission of the Republic of Argentina to the European Communities and has the honour to refer to the Agreement between the Republic of Argentina and the Community on trade in textile products, initialled on 30 September 1986 and applied since 1 January 1987, as amended by the Exchange of Letters initialled on 24 September 1991.

With reference to paragraph 3 of the above-mentioned Exchange of Letters, the Directorate-General has the honour to inform the Mission that it is now in a position to propose the following paragraph:

- " The percentage of transfers between regional quota-shares referred to in Article 13 of the Agreement for the year 1992 shall be of 40%.

It is understood that if, as a result of the application of the above percentage, serious difficulties, following significant changes in the pattern of trade, occur in certain regions of the Community, both parties shall hold consultations without delay with a view to reviewing the situation."

The Directorate-General for External-Relations would be grateful if the authorities of the Republic of Argentina would confirm their acceptance of the above adaptation of the Agreement, as agreed at the time of initialling of the said Exchange of Letters.

The Directorate-General for External Relations of the Commission of the European Communities avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Mission of the Republic of Argentina to the European Communities the assurance of its highest consideration.

Brussels, 25.10.91

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Embajada
de la
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ante las
Comunidades Europeas


C.E.E. No.270

La Misión de la República Argentina ante las Comunidades Europeas presenta sus atentos saludos a la Dirección General de Relaciones Exteriores de la Comisión de las Comunidades Europeas y tiene el honor de referirse al Acuerdo Textil entre la CEE y la República Argentina inicialado el 30 de septiembre de 1986 y en particular a la extensión del Acuerdo para el año 1992 inicialado el 24 de septiembre de 1991.

Esta Misión se complace en comunicar la conformidad del Gobierno Argentino en aceptar el texto del párrafo 3 mencionado en su Nota Verbal No.19054 del 25.10.91.

La Misión de la República Argentina ante las Comunidades Europeas hace propicia la oportunidad para reiterar a la Dirección General de Relaciones Exteriores de la Comisión de las Comunidades Europeas las seguridades de su mayor consideración.

Bruselas, 25 de noviembre de 1991


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