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(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1591/2000**of 10 July 2000****amending Annexes II, III, V, VII, VIII and IX to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93 on common rules for imports of certain textile products from third countries**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93 of 12 October 1993 on common rules for imports of certain textile products from third countries⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1072/99⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 19 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) The Council has decided, by its Decision of 21 December 1999⁽³⁾, to apply on a provisional basis the Agreements in the form of Exchanges of Letters between the European Community and certain third States (Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Moldova, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan) on trade in textile products.
- (2) The Council has decided, by its Decision of 21 December 1999⁽⁴⁾, to apply on a provisional basis the Agreement in the form of an Exchange of Letters between the European Community and the Republic of Belarus amending the Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Belarus on trade in textile products.
- (3) The Council has decided, by its Decision of 21 December 1999⁽⁵⁾, to apply on a provisional basis the Agreement in the form of an Exchange of Letters between the European Community and the Ukraine amending the Agreement between the European Community and Ukraine on trade in textile products.

(4) The Council has decided, by its Decision of 21 December 1999⁽⁶⁾, to apply on a provisional basis the Agreement in the form of an Exchange of Letters amending the Agreements between the European Community and the People's Republic of China on trade in textile products.

(5) The Council has decided, by its Decision of 21 December 1999⁽⁷⁾, to apply on a provisional basis the Agreement between the European Community and the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia on trade in textile products.

(6) The Council has decided, by its Decision of 21 December 1999⁽⁸⁾, to apply on a provisional basis the Memorandum of Understanding between the European Community and the Arab Republic of Egypt on trade in textile products.

(7) The Council has decided, by its Decision of 13 September 1999⁽⁹⁾, to apply on a provisional basis the Agreement between the European Community and the Kingdom of Nepal on trade in textile products.

(8) The Council has decided, by its Decision of 12 July 1999⁽¹⁰⁾, to apply on a provisional basis the Agreement between the European Community and the Kingdom of Cambodia on trade in textile products.

(9) All the above elements make it necessary to amend the relevant portions of Annexes II, III, V, VII, VIII and IX to Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93 to take into account these modifications, which are applicable to the importation into the Community of certain textile products originating in certain third countries within the meaning of Article 19 of the above mentioned Regulation; whereas certain other amendments in order to take account of agreements, protocols or arrangements in the sense of that article are also appropriate.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 275, 8.11.1993, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 134, 28.5.1999, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 343, 31.12.1999, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 336, 29.12.1999, p. 26.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 337, 30.12.1999, p. 43.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 345, 31.12.1999, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ L 344, 31.12.1999, p. 1.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ L 2, 5.1.2000, p. 68.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ L 32, 7.2.2000, p. 1.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ L 215, 13.8.1999, p. 1.

(10) In order to ensure that the Community complies with its international obligations the measures provided for in this Regulation should apply with effect from 1 January 2000.

(11) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Textile Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 3030/93 is amended as follows:

1. Annex II is replaced by Annex 1 to this Regulation.
2. In Annex III, Article 28 is replaced by the following text:

'Article 28

1. The export licence referred to in Articles 11 and 19 and the certificate of origin may include additional copies duly indicated as such. They shall be made out in English, French or Spanish.

2. If the documents referred to above are completed by hand, entries must be in ink and in block letters.

3. The export licences or equivalent documents and certificates of origin shall measure 210×297 mm⁽ⁱ⁾. The paper shall be white writing paper, sized, not containing mechanical pulp⁽ⁱⁱ⁾ and weighing not less than 25 g/m. Each part shall have a printed guilloche pattern background making any falsification by mechanical or chemical means apparent to the eye⁽ⁱⁱⁱ⁾.

4. Only the original shall be accepted by the competent authorities in the Community as being valid for import purposes in accordance with the provisions of this Regulation.

5. Each export licence or equivalent document and the certificate of origin shall bear a standardised serial number, whether or not printed, by which it can be identified^(iv).

6. This number shall be composed of the following elements^(v):

— two letters identifying the exporting country as follows:

— Argentina	=	AR
— Bangladesh	=	BD
— Belarus	=	BY

— Brazil	=	BR
— Cambodia	=	KH
— China	=	CN
— Egypt	=	EG
— Estonia	=	EE
— Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	=	MK ^(vi)
— Hong Kong	=	HK
— India	=	IN
— Indonesia	=	ID
— Kazakhstan	=	KZ
— Kyrgyzstan	=	KG
— Laos	=	LA
— Latvia	=	LV
— Lithuania	=	LT
— Macao	=	MO
— Malaysia	=	MY
— Moldova	=	MD
— Mongolia	=	MN
— Nepal	=	NP
— Pakistan	=	PK
— Peru	=	PE
— Philippines	=	PH
— Russian Federation	=	RU
— Singapore	=	SG
— South Korea	=	KR
— Sri Lanka	=	LK
— Taiwan	=	TW
— Tajikistan	=	TJ
— Thailand	=	TH
— Turkmenistan	=	TM
— Ukraine	=	UA
— United Arab Emirates	=	AE
— Uzbekistan	=	UZ
— Vietnam	=	VN

— two letters identifying the intended Member State of destination as follows:

— AT	=	Austria
— BL	=	Benelux
— DE	=	Federal Republic of Germany
— DK	=	Denmark
— EL	=	Greece
— ES	=	Spain
— FI	=	Finland
— FR	=	France
— GB	=	United Kingdom
— IE	=	Ireland
— IT	=	Italy
— PT	=	Portugal
— SE	=	Sweden

- a one-digit number identifying the quota year or the year under which exports were recorded, in the case of products listed in Table A of this Annex, corresponding to the last figure in the year in question, e.g. "0" for 2000, etc. In the case of products originating in the People's Republic of China listed in Appendix C to Annex V this number should be "6" for the year 2000,
- a two-digit number identifying the issuing office in the exporting country,
- a five-digit number running consecutively from 00001 to 99999 allocated to the specific Member State of destination.

(ⁱ) This is not obligatory for Thailand.

(ⁱⁱ) This is not obligatory for Hong Kong.

(ⁱⁱⁱ) This is not obligatory for Hong Kong and Egypt.

(^{iv}) In the case of Hong Kong, this is obligatory only for the export licence.

(^v) In the case of Peru and Egypt, this provision will enter into force at a later date.

(^{vi}) Provisional code which does not prejudice in any way the definitive nomenclature for this country, which will be agreed following the conclusion of negotiations currently taking place on this subject at the United Nations.'

3. Table A to Annex III is replaced by Annex 2 to this Regulation.

4. Annex V is replaced by Annex 3 to this Regulation.

5. Annex VII is replaced by Annex 4 to this Regulation.

6. Annex VIII is replaced by Annex 5 to this Regulation.

7. Annex IX is replaced by Annex 6 to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall apply with effect from 1 January 2000.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 10 July 2000.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

ANNEX I

ANNEX II

EXPORTING COUNTRIES REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 1

Argentina	Moldova
Bangladesh	Mongolia
Belarus	Nepal
Brazil	Pakistan
Cambodia	Peru
China	Philippines
Egypt	Russian Federation
Estonia	Singapore
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	South Korea
Hong Kong	Sri Lanka
India	Taiwan
Indonesia	Tajikistan
Kazakhstan	Thailand
Kyrgyzstan	Turkmenistan
Laos	Ukraine
Latvia	United Arab Emirates
Lithuania	Uzbekistan
Macao	Vietnam'
Malaysia	

ANNEX II

ANNEX III

TABLE A

Countries and categories subject to the system of double-checking surveillance

(The complete description of the categories is shown in Annex I)

Third country	Group	Category	Unit
Bangladesh	IB	4 (*)	1 000 pieces
		6 (*)	1 000 pieces
		8 (*)	1 000 pieces
Cambodia	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
	IIB	15	1 000 pieces
		21	1 000 pieces
		28	1 000 pieces
		73	1 000 pieces
Egypt	IA	1	tonnes
		2	tonnes
	IB	4 (*)	1 000 pieces
Estonia	IIA	20 (*)	tonnes
	IA	1	tonnes
		2	tonnes
		3	tonnes
	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
	IIA	9	tonnes
		20	tonnes
		39	tonnes
	IIB	13	1 000 pieces

(*) For these categories the provisions in Article 9 do not apply.

Third country	Group	Category	Unit
Estonia (cont'd)	IV	117	tonnes
		118	tonnes
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	IA	1	tonnes
		2	tonnes
	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
Kazakhstan	IA	2	tonnes
Kyrgyzstan	IA	1	tonnes
		2	tonnes
		3	tonnes
	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
Laos	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
	IIB	21	1 000 pieces
		28	1 000 pieces
		78	tonnes
Latvia	IA	1	tonnes
		2	tonnes
	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
	IIA	9	tonnes
	IIB	12	1 000 pairs
		15	1 000 pieces
		26	1 000 pieces
		27	1 000 pieces
		31	1 000 pieces

Third country	Group	Category	Unit
Lithuania	IA	2	tonnes
	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
	IIA	20	tonnes
		39	tonnes
	IIB	12	1 000 pairs
		13	1 000 pieces
		28	1 000 pieces
	IV	117	tonnes
		118	tonnes
Moldova	IA	2	tonnes
		3	tonnes
	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
	IIA	20	tonnes
		39	tonnes
	IIB	15	1 000 pieces
Mongolia	IB	5	1 000 pieces
		5A	1 000 pieces
Nepal	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
	IIB	26	1 000 pieces

Third country	Group	Category	Unit
Russian Federation	IA	1	tonnes
		2	tonnes
		2A	tonnes
		3	tonnes
	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
	IIA	9	tonnes
		20	tonnes
		22	tonnes
		39	tonnes
	IIB	12	1 000 pairs
		13	1 000 pieces
		15	1 000 pieces
		16	1 000 pieces
		21	1 000 pieces
		24	1 000 pieces
		29	1 000 pieces
		83	tonnes
	IIIA	33	tonnes
		37	tonnes
		50	tonnes
	IIIB	74	1 000 pieces
		90	tonnes
	IV	115	tonnes
		117	tonnes
		118	tonnes
Tajikistan	IA	1	tonnes
		2	tonnes
	IB	6	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
Turkmenistan	IA	1	tonnes

Third country	Group	Category	Unit
Ukraine	IIA	22	tonnes
	IIB	73	1 000 pieces
		83	tonnes
	IIIA	33	tonnes
	IIIB	74	1 000 pieces
United Arab Emirates	IA	2	tonnes
	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
	IIA	9	tonnes
		20	tonnes
	IIB	21	1 000 pieces
		26	1 000 pieces
Uzbekistan	V	157	tonnes
		161	tonnes
	IA	1	tonnes
		3	tonnes
	IB	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
	IIB	26	1 000 pieces
Vietnam	IA	1	tonnes
		2	tonnes
		3	tonnes

Third country	Group	Category	Unit
Vietnam (<i>cont'd</i>)	IIA	22	tonnes
		23	tonnes
		32	tonnes
	IIB	16	1 000 pieces
		17	1 000 pieces
		19	1 000 pieces
		24	1 000 pieces
		27	1 000 pieces
	IIIA	33	tonnes
		36	tonnes
		37	tonnes
	IIIB	90	tonnes
	IV	115	tonnes
		117	tonnes
	V	136	tonnes
		156	tonnes
		157	tonnes
		159	tonnes
		160	tonnes'

ANNEX III

ANNEX V

COMMUNITY QUANTITATIVE LIMITS

applicable for the years 2000 to 2001

(The complete description of the goods is shown in Annex I)

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits		
			2000	2001	
Argentina	GROUP IA				
	1	tonnes	5 230	5 382	
	2	tonnes	7 541	7 727	
	2a	tonnes	6 716	6 882	
Belarus	GROUP IA				
	1	tonnes	1 290	1 335	
	2	tonnes	3 280	3 395	
	3	tonnes	190	197	
	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	900	941	
	5	1 000 pieces	800	836	
	6	1 000 pieces	700	732	
	7	1 000 pieces	700	730	
	8	1 000 pieces	800	836	
	GROUP IIA				
	9	tonnes	290	303	
	20	tonnes	265	275	
	22	tonnes	315	332	
	23	tonnes	199	209	
	39	tonnes	180	189	
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	4 618	4 848	
	13	1 000 pieces	2 250	2 318	
	15	1 000 pieces	800	837	
	16	1 000 pieces	141	149	
	21	1 000 pieces	700	732	
	24	1 000 pieces	600	630	
	26/27	1 000 pieces	850	888	
	29	1 000 pieces	300	312	
	73	1 000 pieces	250	261	
	83	tonnes	150	155	

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits		
			2000	2001	
Belarus (cont'd)	GROUP IIIA				
	33	tonnes	305	319	
	36	tonnes	950	1 002	
	37	tonnes	364	382	
	50	tonnes	114	120	
	GROUP IIIB				
	67	tonnes	265	278	
	74	1 000 pieces	289	302	
	90	tonnes	155	163	
	GROUP IV				
	115	tonnes	69	72	
	117	tonnes	800	840	
	118	tonnes	350	368	
Brazil	GROUP IA				
	1	tonnes	42 150	43 189	
	2	tonnes	24 496	24 851	
	2a	tonnes	5 548	5 685	
	3	tonnes	3 215	3 401	
	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	45 593	48 238	
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	4 742	5 017	
	GROUP IIA				
	9	tonnes	9 889	10 463	
	20	tonnes	5 954	6 299	
	22	tonnes	20 257	22 019	
	39	tonnes	5 477	5 954	
China ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾	GROUP IA				
	1	tonnes	3 943		
	2 ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	28 890		
	of which 2a	tonnes	3 731		
	3	tonnes	5 918		
	of which 3a	tonnes	743		
	GROUP IB				
	4 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	78 476		
	5 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	24 757		
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	26 229		
	7 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	12 479		
	8 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	17 535		

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits		
			2000	2001	
China (cont'd)	GROUP IIA				
	9	tonnes	5 842		
	20/39	tonnes	9 197		
	22	tonnes	16 230		
	23	tonnes	10 999		
	32	tonnes	4 006		
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	28 965		
	13	1 000 pieces	483 289		
	14	1 000 pieces	11 679		
	15 (1)	1 000 pieces	15 406		
	16	1 000 pieces	15 668		
	17	1 000 pieces	10 699		
	18	tonnes	5 801		
	19	1 000 pieces	99 588		
	21 (1)	1 000 pieces	16 650		
	24 (1)	1 000 pieces	42 508		
	26 (1)	1 000 pieces	5 191		
	28	1 000 pieces	66 953		
	29	1 000 pieces	11 343		
	31	1 000 pieces	69 137		
	68	tonnes	19 584		
	73 (1)	1 000 pieces	5 442		
	76 (1)	tonnes	7 378		
	78	tonnes	27 153		
	83	tonnes	7 976		
	GROUP IIIA				
	33 (1)	tonnes	26 373		
	37	tonnes	13 553		
	of which 37a	tonnes	4 017		
	GROUP IIIB				
	10	1 000 pairs	79 341		
	97	tonnes	2 010		
	GROUP V				
	163	tonnes	4 710		
Hong Kong	GROUP IA				
	2	tonnes	13 931	13 972	
	2a	tonnes	11 957	11 991	
	3	tonnes	11 466	11 499	
	3a	tonnes	7 696	7 719	

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits		
			2000	2001	
Hong Kong (cont'd)	GROUP IB				
	4 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	47 585	48 068	
	5	1 000 pieces	36 925	37 246	
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	64 769	65 238	
	6a	1 000 pieces	54 371	54 765	
	7	1 000 pieces	38 513	38 959	
	8	1 000 pieces	55 566	56 050	
	GROUP IIA				
	32	tonnes	8 564	8 875	
	39	tonnes	1 817	1 870	
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	16 681	17 407	
	13 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	107 365	108 922	
	16	1 000 sets	2 890	2 953	
	18	tonnes	9 234	9 568	
	21 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	21 553	22 022	
	24	1 000 pieces	11 555	11 974	
	26	1 000 pieces	11 323	11 488	
	27	1 000 pieces	12 471	12 833	
	29	1 000 sets	3 538	3 666	
	31	1 000 pieces	28 309	29 540	
	68 ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	3 724	3 913	
	73 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 sets	2 754	2 834	
	78	tonnes	12 228	12 671	
	83	tonnes	612	634	
	GROUP IIIB				
	10	1 000 pairs	105 469	108 527	
India	GROUP IA				
	1	tonnes	40 981	42 170	
	2	tonnes	58 458	59 941	
	2a	tonnes	19 661	21 372	
	3	tonnes	29 357	31 059	
	3a	tonnes	5 888	6 229	
	GROUP IB				
	4 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	70 236	74 819	
	5	1 000 pieces	37 851	40 596	
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	9 584	10 279	
	7	1 000 pieces	65 573	67 950	
	8	1 000 pieces	47 629	49 528	
	GROUP IIA				
	9	tonnes	10 889	11 678	
	20	tonnes	20 225	21 691	
	23	tonnes	20 689	22 489	
	39	tonnes	6 052	6 579	

			Community quantitative limits		
Third country	Category	Unit	2000	2001	
India (cont'd)	GROUP IIB				
	15	1 000 pieces	6 862	7 459	
	24	1 000 pieces	75 678	82 262	
	26	1 000 pieces	18 474	19 546	
	27	1 000 pieces	15 895	16 817	
	29	1 000 pieces	10 455	11 213	
Indonesia	GROUP IA				
	1	tonnes	18 085	18 872	
	2	tonnes	25 874	27 374	
	2a	tonnes	9 620	10 178	
	3	tonnes	21 839	23 422	
	3a	tonnes	11 612	12 454	
	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	45 024	47 635	
	5	1 000 pieces	39 205	42 615	
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	14 220	15 457	
	7	1 000 pieces	10 473	11 385	
	8	1 000 pieces	16 479	17 912	
	GROUP IIA				
	23	tonnes	21 217	23 063	
	GROUP IIB				
	21	1 000 pieces	33 973	35 451	
	GROUP IIIA				
	33	tonnes	17 173	18 418	
	35	tonnes	21 706	23 437	
Macao	GROUP IB				
	4 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	14 003	14 206	
	5	1 000 pieces	13 080	13 270	
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	14 106	14 310	
	7	1 000 pieces	5 496	5 576	
	8	1 000 pieces	7 698	7 810	
	GROUP IIA				
	20	tonnes	199	208	
	39	tonnes	251	261	

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits		
			2000	2001	
Macao (cont'd)	GROUP IIB				
	13	1 000 pieces	8 219	8 457	
	15	1 000 pieces	529	552	
	16	1 000 pieces	457	467	
	18	tonnes	4 456	4 585	
	21 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	774	796	
	24 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	2 123	2 185	
	26	1 000 pieces	1 187	1 213	
	27	1 000 pieces	2 639	2 696	
	31	1 000 pieces	8 787	9 169	
	73 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	1 328	1 367	
	78	tonnes	1 842	1 895	
	83	tonnes	421	439	
Malaysia	GROUP IA				
	2	tonnes	7 185	7 498	
	2a	tonnes	2 738	2 858	
	3 ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	14 803	15 447	
	3a ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	5 952	6 210	
	GROUP IB				
	4 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	15 546	16 674	
	5	1 000 pieces	7 217	7 741	
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	9 144	9 807	
	7	1 000 pieces	35 713	37 267	
	8	1 000 pieces	8 554	8 926	
	GROUP IIA				
	22	tonnes	12 402	13 481	
Pakistan	GROUP IA				
	1 ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	18 657	19 334	
	2	tonnes	36 274	37 589	
	2a	tonnes	10 772	11 709	
	3	tonnes	55 141	58 339	
	GROUP IB				
	4 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	31 008	33 256	
	5	1 000 pieces	8 628	9 379	
	6	1 000 pieces	33 409	35 831	
	7	1 000 pieces	21 142	22 981	
	8	1 000 pieces	5 911	6 168	
	GROUP IIA				
	9	tonnes	8 734	9 493	
	20	tonnes	33 218	36 349	
	39	tonnes	12 480	13 385	

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits		
			2000	2001	
Pakistan (cont'd)	GROUP IIB				
	18	tonnes	20 427	22 204	
	26	1 000 pieces	20 691	22 491	
	28	1 000 pieces	74 777	81 283	
Peru	GROUP IA				
	1 ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	16 916	18 473	
	2	tonnes	11 131	12 566	
Philippines	GROUP IB				
	4 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	24 222	25 802	
	5	1 000 pieces	11 895	12 758	
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	10 627	11 474	
	7	1 000 pieces	6 249	6 611	
	8	1 000 pieces	7 317	7 688	
	GROUP IIB				
	13	1 000 pieces	28 566	31 051	
	15	1 000 pieces	3 502	3 806	
	21 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	9 798	10 650	
	26	1 000 pieces	4 674	5 081	
	31	1 000 pieces	17 706	19 247	
	73 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	16 075	17 241	
	GROUP IIIB				
	10	1 000 pairs	23 862	25 938	
Singapore	GROUP IA				
	2	tonnes	4 807	5 016	
	2a	tonnes	2 320	2 421	
	3	tonnes	1 426	1 529	
	GROUP IB				
	4 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	26 774	28 327	
	5	1 000 pieces	15 210	16 092	
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	15 852	16 886	
	7	1 000 pieces	13 115	13 875	
	8	1 000 pieces	8 434	8 801	
South Korea	GROUP IA				
	1	tonnes	904	905	
	2	tonnes	6 122	6 131	
	2a	tonnes	1 042	1 044	
	3	tonnes	4 949	4 985	
	3a	tonnes	847	860	

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits		
			2000	2001	
South Korea (cont'd)	GROUP IB				
	4 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	15 633	15 883	
	5	1 000 pieces	35 002	35 307	
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	6 133	6 245	
	7	1 000 pieces	10 043	10 152	
	8	1 000 pieces	33 143	33 504	
	GROUP IIA				
	9	tonnes	1 451	1 504	
	22	tonnes	18 006	18 919	
	32	tonnes	2 715	2 833	
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	194 591	201 645	
	13	1 000 pieces	15 943	16 290	
	14	1 000 pieces	7 548	7 822	
	15	1 000 pieces	10 370	10 821	
	16	1 000 pieces	1 119	1 152	
	17 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	3 177	3 246	
	18	tonnes	1 793	1 871	
	21 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	17 309	17 811	
	24	1 000 pieces	5 847	6 126	
	26	1 000 pieces	3 020	3 064	
	27	1 000 pieces	1 995	2 053	
	28	1 000 pieces	1 088	1 135	
	29 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	691	721	
	31	1 000 pieces	7 010	7 264	
	68	tonnes	1 777	1 905	
	73	1 000 pieces	1 033	1 063	
	78	tonnes	7 378	7 752	
	83	tonnes	406	421	
	GROUP IIIA				
	33	tonnes	8 186	8 720	
	35	tonnes	8 228	8 825	
	36	tonnes	6 840	7 435	
	37	tonnes	8 971	9 621	
	50	tonnes	1 009	1 079	
	GROUP IIIB				
	10	1 000 pairs	32 810	34 713	
	97	tonnes	1 866	2 028	
	97a ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	597	649	

			Community quantitative limits		
Third country	Category	Unit	2000	2001	
Sri Lanka	GROUP IB				
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	11 694	13 202	
	7	1 000 pieces	18 112	20 447	
	8	1 000 pieces	14 811	16 720	
	GROUP IIB				
	21 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	14 027	16 093	
Taiwan	GROUP IA				
	2	tonnes	5 869	5 869	
	2a	tonnes	500	500	
	3	tonnes	8 378	8 378	
	3a	tonnes	850	850	
	GROUP IB				
	4 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	11 268	11 415	
	5	1 000 pieces	21 382	21 510	
	6 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	5 727	5 799	
	7	1 000 pieces	3 469	3 498	
	8	1 000 pieces	9 239	9 332	
	GROUP IIA				
	20	tonnes	289	296	
	22	tonnes	9 110	9 292	
	23	tonnes	5 661	5 831	
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	39 018	39 798	
	13	1 000 pieces	3 020	3 081	
	14	1 000 pieces	4 289	4 439	
	15	1 000 pieces	2 730	2 811	
	16	1 000 pieces	464	473	
	17	1 000 pieces	920	938	
	18	tonnes	2 025	2 075	
	21 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	6 197	6 290	
	24	1 000 pieces	4 440	4 551	
	26	1 000 pieces	3 268	3 301	
	27	1 000 pieces	1 875	1 913	
	28 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	2 158	2 212	
	68	tonnes	738	767	
	73	1 000 pieces	1 730	1 756	
	77	tonnes	483	512	
	78	tonnes	5 028	5 178	
	83	tonnes	1 123	1 157	

			Community quantitative limits		
Third country	Category	Unit	2000	2001	
Taiwan (cont'd)	GROUP IIIA				
	33	tonnes	1 800	1 890	
	35	tonnes	8 151	8 477	
	37	tonnes	19 854	20 648	
	GROUP IIIB				
	10	1 000 pairs	26 744	27 814	
	67	tonnes	1 826	1 926	
	74	tonnes	338	356	
	91	tonnes	1 530	1 606	
	97	tonnes	1 395	1 465	
	97a ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	635	667	
	110	tonnes	5 658	5 998	
Thailand	GROUP IA				
	1	tonnes	20 490	21 381	
	2	tonnes	15 085	15 741	
	2a	tonnes	3 937	4 108	
	3 ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	27 286	28 473	
	3a ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	7 393	7 715	
	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	39 099	41 934	
	5	1 000 pieces	27 582	29 582	
	6	1 000 pieces	9 941	10 661	
	7	1 000 pieces	9 305	9 980	
	8	1 000 pieces	5 307	5 577	
	GROUP IIA				
	20	tonnes	10 362	11 263	
	22	tonnes	4 924	5 352	
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	32 795	35 649	
	21	1 000 pieces	13 155	14 299	
	24 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces	7 253	7 884	
	26	1 000 pieces	7 644	8 310	
	73	1 000 pieces	4 331	4 708	
	GROUP IIIB				
	10	1 000 pairs	28 949	31 887	
	97	tonnes	2 284	2 482	
	97a ⁽¹⁾	tonnes	1 938	2 106	

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits		
			2000	2001	
Ukraine	GROUP IA				
	1	tonnes	1 873		
	2	tonnes	2 595		
	3	tonnes	879		
	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	2 226		
	5	1 000 pieces	3 080		
	6	1 000 pieces	3 012		
	7	1 000 pieces	1 370		
	8	1 000 pieces	1 187		
	GROUP IIA				
	9	tonnes	560		
	20	tonnes	893		
	23	tonnes	555		
	39	tonnes	451		
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	8 879		
	13	1 000 pieces	3 197		
	15	1 000 pieces	1 094		
	16	1 000 pieces	242		
	21	1 000 pieces	445		
	24	1 000 pieces	1 023		
	26/27	1 000 pieces	1 541		
	29	1 000 pieces	380		
	GROUP IIIA				
	36	tonnes	1 145		
	37	tonnes	1 388		
	50	tonnes	729		
	GROUP IIIB				
	67	tonnes	369		
	90	tonnes	904		
	GROUP IV				
	115	tonnes	334		
	117	tonnes	828		
	118	tonnes	527		

			Community quantitative limits		
Third country	Category	Unit	2000	2001	
Uzbekistan	GROUP IA				
	2	tonnes	8 900	11 500	
	of which 2a	tonnes	890	1 150	
Vietnam ⁽¹⁾	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	7 002		
	5	1 000 pieces	2 711		
	6	1 000 pieces	4 429		
	7	1 000 pieces	2 334		
	8	1 000 pieces	10 185		
	GROUP IIA				
	9	tonnes	890		
	20	tonnes	227		
	39	tonnes	217		
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	2 861		
	13	1 000 pieces	8 222		
	14	1 000 pieces	428		
	15	1 000 pieces	331		
	18	tonnes	859		
	21	1 000 pieces	15 766		
	26	1 000 pieces	796		
	28	1 000 pieces	3 448		
	29	1 000 pieces	265		
	31	1 000 pieces	2 864		
	68	tonnes	321		
	73	1 000 pieces	590		
	76	tonnes	1 036		
	78	tonnes	700		
	83	tonnes	212		
	GROUP IIIA				
	35	tonnes	551		
	41	tonnes	677		
	GROUP IIIB				
	10	1 000 pairs	5 067		
	97	tonnes	107		
	GROUP IV				
	118	tonnes	85		
	GROUP V				
	161	tonnes	219		

⁽¹⁾ See appendix A.⁽²⁾ See appendix B.⁽³⁾ See appendix C.

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Category	Third Country	Remarks
1	Pakistan	The following additional quantities may be added to the relevant annual quantitative limit (tonnes): 2000: 430 2001: 445 These quantities may, subject to notification, be transferred to the relevant quantitative limits for category 2. Part of the quantity so transferred may be used on a pro rata basis for category 2(a).
	Peru	In addition to the quantitative limits shown in Annex V, an additional annual quantity of 900 tonnes of products falling within category 1 is reserved for imports into the Community for processing by the Community industry.
2	China	For fabrics, below 115 cm in width (CN codes: 5208 11 90, 5208 12 11, 5208 12 91, 5208 13 00, 5208 19 00, 5208 21 90, 5208 22 11, 5208 22 91, 5208 23 00, 5208 29 00, 5208 31 00, 5208 32 11, 5208 32 91, 5208 33 00, 5208 39 00, 5208 41 00, 5208 42 00, 5208 43 00, 5208 49 00, 5208 51 00, 5208 52 10, 5208 53 00, 5208 59 00, 5209 11 00, 5209 12 00, 5209 19 00, 5209 21 00, 5209 22 00, 5209 29 00, 5209 31 00, 5209 32 00, 5209 39 00, 5209 41 00, 5209 42 00, 5209 43 00, 5209 49 90, 5209 51 00, 5209 52 00, 5209 59 00, 5210 11 10, 5210 12 00, 5210 19 00, 5210 31 10, 5210 32 00, 5210 39 00, 5210 41 00, 5210 42 00, 5210 49 00, 5211 11 00, 5211 12 00, 5211 19 00, 5211 31 00, 5211 32 00, 5211 39 00, 5211 41 00, 5211 42 00, 5211 43 00, 5211 49 19, 5211 49 90, 5212 11 10, 5212 11 90, 5212 13 90, 5212 14 10, 5212 14 90, 5212 21 10, 5212 21 90, 5212 23 10, 5212 23 90, 5212 24 10, 5212 24 90, ex 5811 00 00 and ex 6308 00 00), the following additional quantities may be exported to the Community by China (tonnes): 2000: 1 395 For fabrics of category 2 for medical gauze (CN codes: 5208 11 10 and 5208 21 10) the following additional quantities may be exported to the Community by China (tonnes): 2000: 1 927 Possibility of transfer to and from category 3 of up to 40% of the category to which the transfer is made.
3	Malaysia Thailand	The quantitative limits shown in Annex V include cotton fabric falling within category 2.
3a	Malaysia Thailand	The quantitative limits shown in Annex V include cotton fabric other than unbleached or bleached falling within category 2(a).

Category	Third Country	Remarks
4	China Hong Kong India Macao Malaysia Pakistan Philippines Singapore South Korea Taiwan	For the purpose of setting off exports against the agreed quantitative limits a conversion rate of five garments (other than babies' garments) of a maximum commercial size of 130 cm for three garments whose commercial size exceeds 130 cm may be applied for up to 5% of the quantitative limits. For Hong Kong, Macao and South Korea, this figure shall be 3%, and for Taiwan 4%. The export licence concerning these products must bear, in box 9, the words "The conversion rate for garments of a commercial size of not more than 130 cm must be applied".
5	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 2000: 641 For products of category 5 (other than anoraks, windcheaters, waister jackets and the like) of fine animal hair falling within CN codes: 6110 10 35, 6110 10 38, 6110 10 95 and 6110 10 98, the following sublimits apply within the quantitative limits established for category 5 (1 000 pieces): 2000: 229
6	China	The figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 2000: 1 149 The following additional quantities of shorts (CN codes 6203 41 90, 6203 42 90, 6203 43 90 and 6203 49 50) may be exported by China to the Community (1 000 pieces): 2000: 1 142
	Brazil Hong Kong India Indonesia Macao Malaysia Philippines Singapore South Korea Sri Lanka Taiwan	For the purpose of setting off exports against the agreed quantitative limits a conversion rate of five garments (other than babies' garments) of a maximum commercial size of 130 cm for three garments whose commercial size exceeds 130 cm may be applied for up to 5% of the quantitative limits. For Macao this figure shall be 3% and for Hong Kong it shall be 1%. Utilisation of the conversion rate for Hong Kong is limited in respect of long trousers to the subceiling shown below. The export licence concerning these products must bear, in box 9, the words "The conversion rate for garments of a commercial size of not more than 130 cm must be applied".

Category	Third Country	Remarks
6 (cont'd)	Hong Kong	Within the quantitative limits laid down in Annex V there are the following subceilings for long trousers falling within CN codes: 6203 41 10, 6203 42 31, 6203 42 33, 6203 42 35, 6203 43 19, 6203 49 19, 6204 61 10, 6204 62 31, 6204 62 33, 6204 62 39, 6204 63 18, 6204 69 18, 6211 32 42, 6211 33 42, 6211 42 42 and 6211 43 42 (1 000 pieces): 2000: 54 371 2001: 54 765 The export licence covering these products should be endorsed "category 6 A".
7	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 2000: 691
8	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 2000: 1 117
13	Hong Kong	The quantitative limits shown in Annex V cover only products of cotton or synthetic fibres falling within CN codes: 6107 11 00, ex 6107 12 00, 6108 21 00, ex 6108 22 00 and ex 6212 10 10. In addition to the quantitative limits shown in Annex V, the following specific quantities were agreed for exports of products (of wool or regenerated fibres) falling within CN codes: ex 6107 12 00, ex 6107 19 00, ex 6108 22 00, ex 6108 29 00 and ex 6212 10 10 (tonnes): 2000: 2 293 2001: 2 426 The export licence covering these products should be endorsed "category 13 S".
15	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 2000: 312
17	South Korea	Additional flexibility of 1,5% transfer in respect of products falling within category 21 is available.

Category	Third Country	Remarks
21	South Korea	Additional flexibility of 1,5 % transfer in respect of products falling within category 17 is available.
	China Hong Kong Macao Philippines South Korea Sri Lanka Taiwan	For the purpose of setting off exports against the agreed quantitative limits a conversion rate of five garments (other than babies' garments) of a maximum commercial size of 130 cm for three garments whose commercial size exceeds 130 cm may be applied for up to 5% of the quantitative limits. For Hong Kong this figure shall be 2%, for South Korea 3% and for Taiwan 4%. The export licence concerning these products must bear, in box 9, the words "The conversion rate for garments of a commercial size of not more than 130 cm must be applied".
	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European Industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 2000: 1 008
24	China Macao	For the purpose of setting off exports against the agreed quantitative limits an conversion rate of five garments (other than babies' garments) of a maximum commercial size of 130 cm for three garments whose commercial size exceeds 130 cm may be applied for up to 5% of the quantitative limits. The export licence concerning these products must bear, in box 9, the words "The conversion rate for garments of a commercial size of not more than 130 cm must be applied".
	Thailand	The quantitative limits do not cover products falling within CN codes: 6107 21 00 and 6107 22 00.
26	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 2000: 339
28	Taiwan	In addition to the quantitative limits laid down in Annex V, specific quantities were agreed for exports of bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts falling within CN codes: 6103 41 90, 6103 42 90, 6103 43 90, 6103 49 91, 6104 61 90, 6104 62 90, 6104 63 90 and 6104 69 91: 2000: 1 089 365 pieces 2001: 1 116 599 pieces

Category	Third Country	Remarks
29	South Korea	In addition to the quantitative limits laid down in Annex V, additional quantities are reserved for martial arts (judo, karate, kung fu, taekwondo or the like) clothing (1 000 pieces): 2000: 358 2001: 377
33	China	These quantitative limits apply also to products declared for re-export outside the Community.
68	Hong Kong	The quantitative limits shown in Annex V cover only the garments falling within CN codes: 6111 10 90, 6111 20 90, 6111 30 90, ex 6111 90 00, ex 6209 10 00, ex 6209 20 00, ex 6209 30 00 and ex 6209 90 00. In addition to the quantitative limits shown in Annex V, the following specific quantities were agreed for exports of babies' garments and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted, other than gloves, mittens and mitts; babies' garments other than knitted or crocheted falling within CN codes: 6111 10 90, 6111 20 90, 6111 30 90, ex 6111 90 00, ex 6209 10 00, ex 6209 20 00, ex 6209 30 00 and ex 6209 90 00 (tonnes): 2000: 864 2001: 908 The export licence covering these products should be endorsed "category 68 S".
73	China Hong Kong Macao Philippines	For the purpose of setting off exports against the agreed quantitative limits a conversion rate of five garments (other than babies' garments) of a maximum commercial size of 130 cm for three garments whose commercial size exceeds 130 cm may be applied for up to 5% of the quantitative limits. For Hong Kong this figure shall be 3%. The export licence concerning these products must bear, in box 9, the words "The conversion rate for garments of a commercial size of not more than 130 cm must be applied".
76	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (tonnes): 2000: 211
97a	South Korea Taiwan Thailand	Fine nets (CN codes: 5608 11 19 and 5608 11 99).
All categories subject to quantitative limits	Vietnam	Vietnam shall reserve 30% of its quantitative limits for firms belonging to the Community textile industry for a period of four months beginning on 1 January of each year, on the basis of lists provided by the Community before 30 October of the preceding year.

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			Community quantitative limits			
Third country	Category	Unit	2000			
China	The following quantities made available for the year 2000, may be used exclusively at European fairs:					
	1	tonnes	317			
	2	tonnes	1 338			
	2a	tonnes	159			
	3	tonnes	196			
	3a	tonnes	27			
	4	1 000 pieces	2 061			
	5	1 000 pieces	705			
	6	1 000 pieces	1 689			
	7	1 000 pieces	302			
	8	1 000 pieces	992			
	9	tonnes	294			
	10	1 000 pairs	2 215			
	12	1 000 pairs	843			
	13	1 000 pieces	3 192			
	19	1 000 pieces	5 431			
	20/39	tonnes	372			
	21	1 000 pieces	964			
	22	tonnes	332			
	24	1 000 pieces	1 138			
	32	tonnes	184			
	37	tonnes	567			
	37a	tonnes	158			
	Flexibilities provided for in Article 7 of and Annex VIII to the present Regulation for China are applicable to the above categories and amounts.					

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COMMUNITY QUANTITATIVE LIMITS

(The complete description of the goods is shown in Annex IB)

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits		
			2000		
China	GROUP I ex 20 ⁽¹⁾ ex 39 ⁽¹⁾	tonnes tonnes	43 403		
	GROUP II ex 13 ⁽¹⁾ ex 18 ⁽¹⁾ ex 24 ⁽¹⁾	1 000 pieces tonnes 1 000 pieces	714 946 180		
	GROUP IV 115 117 118 120 122 123	tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes	1 134 539 1 239 488 170 83		
	GROUP V 124 ⁽²⁾ 125A 125B 126 127A 127B 136A 140 145 146A 146B 151B 156 ⁽³⁾ 157 ⁽³⁾ 159 ⁽³⁾ 160 161 ⁽³⁾	tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes tonnes	911 16 39 16 26 15 389 125 26 152 231 2 352 3 073 11 597 4 152 49 14 864		

⁽¹⁾ Categories marked by "ex" cover products other than those of wool or fine animal hairs, cotton or synthetic or artificial textile materials.⁽²⁾ This limit does not apply to fibres of polyvinyl alcohol falling within CN code ex 5503 90 90.⁽³⁾ For these categories, China undertakes to reserve, as a priority 23% of the quantitative limits concerned for users belonging to the textile Community industry during 90 days beginning on 1 January of each year.

ANNEX IV

‘ANNEX VII

REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 5**Outward processing traffic***Article 1*

Reimports into the Community of textile products listed in column 2 of the table attached to this Annex, effected in accordance with the Regulations on economic outward processing in force in the Community, shall not be subject to the quantitative limits referred to in Article 2 of the Regulation where they are subject to specific quantitative limits given in column 4 of the table and have been reimported after processing in the corresponding third country listed in column 1 for each of the quantitative limits specified.

Article 2

Reimports not covered by this Annex may be subject to specific quantitative limits in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17 of the Regulation, provided that the products concerned are subject to the quantitative limits laid down in Article 2 of this Regulation.

Article 3

1. Transfers between categories and advance use or carry-over of portions of specific quantitative limits from one year to another may be carried out in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17 of the Regulation.
2. However, automatic transfers in accordance with paragraph 1 may be carried out within the following limits:
 - transfer between categories for up to 20% of the quantitative limit established for the category to which the transfer is made,
 - carry-over of a specific quantitative limit from one year to another for up to 10,5% of the quantitative limit established for the actual year of utilisation,
 - advance use of a specific quantitative limit for up to 7,5% of the quantitative limit established for the actual year of utilisation.
3. Where there is a need for additional imports the specific quantitative limits may be adjusted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17 of the Regulation.
4. The Commission shall inform the third country or countries concerned of any measures taken pursuant to the preceding paragraphs.

Article 4

1. For the purpose of applying Article 1, the competent authorities of the Member States, before issuing prior authorisations in accordance with the relevant Community Regulations on economic outward processing, shall notify the Commission of the amounts of the requests for authorisations which they have received. The Commission shall notify its confirmation that the requested amount(s) are available for reimportation within the respective Community limits in accordance with the relevant Community Regulations on economic outward processing.
2. The requests included in the notifications to the Commission shall be valid if they establish clearly in each case:
 - (a) the third country in which the goods are to be processed;
 - (b) the category of textiles products concerned;

- (c) the amount to be reimported;
- (d) the Member State in which the reimported products are to be put into free circulation;
- (e) an indication as to whether the requests relate to:
 - (i) a past beneficiary applying for the quantities set aside under Article 3(4) or in accordance with the fifth subparagraph of Article 3(5) of Council Regulation (EC) No 3036/94⁽¹⁾, or to
 - (ii) an applicant under the third subparagraph of Article 3(4) or under Article 3(5) of that Regulation.

3. Normally the notifications referred to in the previous paragraphs of this Article shall be communicated electronically within the integrated network set up for this purpose, unless for imperative technical reasons it is necessary to use other means of communication temporarily.

4. As far as possible, the Commission shall confirm to the authorities the full amount indicated in the requests notified for each category of products and each third country concerned. Notifications presented by Member States for which no confirmation can be given because the amounts requested are no longer available within the Community quantitative limits, will be stored by the Commission in the chronological order in which they have been received and confirmed in the same order as soon as further amounts become available through the application of flexibilities foreseen in Article 3.

5. The competent authorities shall notify the Commission immediately after being informed of any quantity that is not used during the duration of validity of the import authorisation. Such unused quantities shall automatically be recredited to the quantities within the Community quantitative limits not set aside pursuant to the first subparagraph of Article 3(4) or to the fifth subparagraph of Article 3(5) of Council Regulation (EC) No 3036/94.

The quantities for which a renunciation has been made pursuant to the third sub-paragraph of Article 3(4) of Council Regulation (EC) No 3036/94, shall automatically be added to the quantities within the Community quota that are not set aside pursuant to the first sub-paragraph of Article 3(4) or to the fifth sub-paragraph of Article 3(5) of the said Regulation.

All such quantities as outlined in the preceding subparagraphs shall be notified to the Commission in accordance with paragraph 3 above.

Article 5

The certificate of origin shall be issued by the competent governmental authorities in the supplier country concerned, in accordance with the Community legislation in force and the provisions of Annex III for all products covered by this Annex.

Article 6

The competent authorities of the Member States shall supply the Commission with the names and addresses of the authorities competent to issue the prior authorisations referred to in Article 4 together with specimens of the stamp impressions used by them.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 322, 15.2.1994, p. 1.

TABLE

Community quantitative limits for goods reimported under OPT*applicable for the years 2000 to 2001*

(The complete description of the goods is shown in Annex I)

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits		
			2000	2001	
Belarus	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	3 397	3 628	
	5	1 000 pieces	4 740	5 062	
	6	1 000 pieces	5 783	6 176	
	7	1 000 pieces	4 290	4 582	
	8	1 000 pieces	1 428	1 525	
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	3 158	3 395	
	13	1 000 pieces	332	346	
	15	1 000 pieces	2 479	2 647	
	16	1 000 pieces	573	608	
	21	1 000 pieces	1 847	1 972	
	24	1 000 pieces	391	417	
	26/27	1 000 pieces	1 997	2 133	
	29	1 000 pieces	951	1 009	
	73	1 000 pieces	3 596	3 840	
	83	tonnes	500	522	
	GROUP IIIB				
	74	1 000 pieces	636	674	
China	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	295		
	5	1 000 pieces	654		
	6	1 000 pieces	2 310		
	7	1 000 pieces	629		
	8	1 000 pieces	1 442		
	GROUP IIB				
	13	1 000 pieces	534		
	14	1 000 pieces	595		
	15	1 000 pieces	524		
	16	1 000 pieces	966		
	17	1 000 pieces	783		
	18	tonnes	134		
	21	1 000 pieces	2 129		
	24	1 000 pieces	141		
	26	1 000 pieces	1 124		
	29	1 000 pieces	116		
	31	1 000 pieces	6 806		
	73	1 000 pieces	257		

			Community quantitative limits		
Third country	Category	Unit	2000	2001	
China (cont'd)	76	tonnes	1 327		
	78	tonnes	68		
	83	tonnes	68		
	GROUP V				
	159	tonnes	8,1		
	161	tonnes	15,5		
India	GROUP IB				
	7	1 000 pieces	3 552	3 745	
	8	1 000 pieces	2 600	2 755	
	GROUP IIB				
	15	1 000 pieces	176	199	
	26	1 000 pieces	2 094	2 276	
	27	1 000 pieces	1 801	1 958	
Indonesia	GROUP IB				
	6	1 000 pieces	1 139	1 287	
	7	1 000 pieces	757	856	
	8	1 000 pieces	948	1 071	
Macao	GROUP IB				
	6	1 000 pieces	272	281	
	GROUP IIB				
	16	1 000 pieces	720	746	
Malaysia	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	310	344	
	5	1 000 pieces	310	344	
	6	1 000 pieces	310	344	
	7	1 000 pieces	256	272	
	8	1 000 pieces	206	219	
Pakistan	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	4 314	4 783	
	5	1 000 pieces	1 923	2 174	
	6	1 000 pieces	3 853	4 244	
	7	1 000 pieces	1 831	2 017	
	8	1 000 pieces	2 554	2 813	
	GROUP IIB				
	26	1 000 pieces	2 500	2 754	

			Community quantitative limits		
Third country	Category	Unit	2000	2001	
Philippines	GROUP IB				
	6	1 000 pieces	683	738	
	8	1 000 pieces	161	169	
	GROUP IIB				
	21	1 000 pieces	302	328	
Singapore	GROUP IB				
	7	1 000 pieces	756	822	
Sri Lanka	GROUP IB				
	6	1 000 pieces	3 498	3 942	
	7	1 000 pieces	2 639	2 974	
	8	1 000 pieces	2 496	2 812	
	GROUP IIB				
	21	1 000 pieces	2 894	3 314	
Thailand	GROUP IB				
	5	1 000 pieces	209	233	
	6	1 000 pieces	209	233	
	7	1 000 pieces	355	391	
	8	1 000 pieces	209	233	
	GROUP IIB				
	21	1 000 pieces	1 206	1 468	
	26	1 000 pieces	317	354	
Ukraine	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	4 079		
	5	1 000 pieces	5 609		
	6	1 000 pieces	7 139		
	7	1 000 pieces	10 451		
	8	1 000 pieces	2 040		
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	15 840		
	13	1 000 pieces	1 835		
	15	1 000 pieces	6 119		
	16	1 000 pieces	1 230		
	21	1 000 pieces	4 079		
	24	1 000 pieces	1 847		
	26/27	1 000 pieces	12 236		
	29	1 000 pieces	2 708		

			Community quantitative limits		
Third country	Category	Unit	2000	2001	
Vietnam	GROUP IB				
	4	1 000 pieces	794		
	5	1 000 pieces	605		
	6	1 000 pieces	566		
	7	1 000 pieces	1 060		
	8	1 000 pieces	2 457		
	GROUP IIB				
	12	1 000 pairs	2 501		
	13	1 000 pieces	764		
	15	1 000 pieces	247		
	18	tonnes	286		
	21	1 000 pieces	1 669		
	26	1 000 pieces	155		
	31	1 000 pieces	1 397		
	68	tonnes	117		
	76	tonnes	397		
	78	tonnes	276'		

ANNEX V

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Flexibility provisions

The attached table indicates for each of the supplier countries listed in column 1 the maximum amounts which, after advance notification to the Commission, it may transfer between the corresponding quantitative limits indicated in Annex V in accordance with the following provisions:

- advance utilisation of the quantitative limit for the particular category established for the following quota year shall be authorised up to the percentage of the quantitative limit for the current year indicated in column 2; the amounts in question shall be deducted from the corresponding quantitative limits for the following year,
- carry-over of amounts not utilised in a given year to the corresponding quantitative limit for the following year shall be authorised up to the percentage of the quantitative limit for the year of actual utilisation indicated in column 3,
- transfers from categories 1 to categories 2 and 3 shall be authorised up to the percentages of the quantitative limit to which the transfer is made indicated in column 4,
- transfers between categories 2 and 3 shall be authorised up to the percentages of the quantitative limit to which the transfer is made indicated in column 5,
- transfers between categories 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 shall be authorised up to the percentages of the quantitative limit to which the transfer is made indicated in column 6,
- transfers into any of the categories in Groups II or III (and where applicable Group IV) from any of the categories in Groups I, II or III shall be authorised up to the percentages of the quantitative limit to which the transfer is made indicated in column 7.

The cumulative application of the flexibility provisions referred to above shall not result in an increase in any Community quantitative limit for a given year above the percentage indicated in column 8.

The table of equivalence applicable to the abovementioned transfers is given in Annex I.

Additional conditions, possibilities for transfers and notes are given in column 9 of the table.

Country	Advance utilisation	Carry-over	Transfers from category 1 to categories 2 and 3	Transfers between categories 2 and 3	Transfers between categories 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8	Transfers from Groups I, II and III to Groups II, III and IV	Maximum increase in any category	Additional conditions
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Argentina	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	Transfers may be made from categories 2 and 3 to category 1 up to 4 %
Bangladesh	5 %	10 %	12 %	12 %	12 %	12 %	n.a.	Note: imports are currently not subject to quantitative limits

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Belarus	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %
Brazil	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	A transfer of 2 % from categories 2 and 3 to category 1 shall also be authorised
China	1 %	3 %	1 %	4 %	4 %	6 %	17 %	Further amounts may be authorised following consultations in accordance with Article 16 up to: Column 2: 5 % Column 3: 7 % With regard to column 7, transfers from Groups I, II, and III may only be made into Groups II and III
Estonia	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	Imports are currently not subject to quantitative limits. With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	5 %	10 %	12 %	12 %	12 %	12 %	17 %	With regard to column 7, transfers from any category in Groups I, II, III to any category only in Groups II and III
Hong Kong	—	—	0 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	n.a.	See appendix to Annex VIII
India	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	Further amounts may be authorised following consultations in accordance with Article 16 up to 8 000 tonnes (2 500 tonnes for any particular textiles category and 3 000 tonnes for any particular clothing category)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Indonesia	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	
Kazakhstan	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	Imports are currently not subject to quantitative limits. With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %
Laos	5 %	10 %	12 %	12 %	12 %	12 %	17 %	Imports are currently not subject to quantitative limits
Lithuania	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	Imports are currently not subject to quantitative limits. With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %
Macao	1 %	2 %	0 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	n.a.	Further amounts may be authorised following consultations in accordance with Article 16 up to: Column 2: 5 % Column 3: 7 %
Malaysia	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	
Moldova	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	Imports are currently not subject to quantitative limits. With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Pakistan	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	With regard to Column 4 transfers may be made between categories 1, 2 and 3. Further amounts may be authorised following consultations in accordance with Article 16 up to 4 000 tonnes (2 000 tonnes for any particular category)
Peru	5 %	9 %	11 %	11 %	11 %	11 %	n.a.	Transfers may be made between categories 1, 2 and 3 up to 11 %
Philippines	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	
Singapore	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	
South Korea	1 %	2 %	0 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	n.a.	Further amounts may be authorised following consultations in accordance with Article 16 up to: Column 2: 5 % Column 3: 7 %
Sri Lanka	5 %	9 %	11 %	11 %	11 %	11 %	n.a.	
Tajikistan	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	Imports are currently not subject to quantitative limits. With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %
Taiwan	5 %	7 %	0 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	12 %	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Thailand	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	
Turkmenistan	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	Imports are currently not subject to quantitative limits. With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %
Ukraine	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %
United Arab Emirates	5 %	6 %	5 %	5 %	5 %	6 %	n.a.	Imports are currently not subject to quantitative limits. With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V
Uzbekistan	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %
Vietnam	5 %	7 %	0 %	0 %	7 %	7 %	17 %	With regard to column 7, transfers can be made from any category in Groups I, II, III, IV and V to Groups II, III, IV and V

n.a. = not applicable.

Flexibility provisions for quantitative restrictions referred to in Appendix C to Annex V

Country	Advance utilisation	Carry-over	Transfers between categories 156, 157, 159 and 161	Transfers between other categories	Maximum increase in any category	Additional conditions
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
China	1 %	3 %	1,5 %	6 %	14 %	Further amounts may be authorised following consultations in accordance with Article 16 up to: Column 2: 5 % Column 3: 7 %

*Appendix to Annex VIII***Flexibility provisions Hong Kong**

1. Country	Group	Category	2. Advance utilisation
Hong Kong	GROUP I	2, 2A	3,25 %
		3, 3A, 4, 7, 8	3,00 %
		5	3,75 %
		6, 6A	2,75 %
	GROUP II	13, 21, 68, 73	3,50 %
		12, 16, 18, 24, 26, 32, 39, 77	4,25 %
		13S, 31, 68S, 83	4,50 %
		27, 29, 78	5,00 %
	GROUP III	all categories	5,00 %

Country	Group	Category	3. Carry-over
Hong Kong	GROUP I	2, 2A, 3, 3A	3,75 %
		4	3,25 %
		5	3,00 %
		6, 6A, 7, 8	2,50 %
	GROUP II	13, 13S, 21, 73	3,00 %
		18, 68, 68S	3,50 %
		12, 31	4,50 %
		24, 26, 27, 32, 39, 78	5,00 %
		16, 29, 77, 83	5,50 %
	GROUP III	all categories	5,50 %

ANNEX VI

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Safeguard clauses; basket exit thresholds

Supplier country	Group I	Group II	Group III	Group IV	Group V
Belarus		1,20 %	4,00 %	4,00 %	4,00 %
Cambodia	2,00 %	8,00 %	15,00 %	15,00 %	15,00 %
China		5,00 %	10,00 %		
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	2,00 %	8,00 %	15,00 %		
Kazakhstan	0,35 %	1,20 %	4,00 %	4,00 %	4,00 %
Laos	2,00 %	8,00 %	15,00 %	15,00 %	15,00 %
Lithuania	0,40 %	2,40 %	8,00 %	8,00 %	8,00 %
Moldova	0,35 %	1,20 %	4,00 %	4,00 %	4,00 %
Nepal	2,00 %	8,00 %	15,00 %	15,00 %	15,00 %
Taiwan	0,40 %	2,00 %	6,00 %		
Tajikistan	0,35 %	1,20 %	4,00 %	4,00 %	4,00 %
Turkmenistan	0,35 %	1,20 %	4,00 %	4,00 %	4,00 %
Ukraine		1,20 %	4,00 %	4,00 %	4,00 %
Uzbekistan	0,35 % ⁽¹⁾	1,20 %	4,00 %	4,00 %	4,00 %

⁽¹⁾ Except for category 1:

2000: 6,00 %,
2001: 7,20 %,
2002: 8,40 %,
2003: 9,60 %,
2004: 10,80 %.

Supplier country	Group I	Group II A	Group II B	Group III	Group IV	Group V
Vietnam	1,0 %	5,0 %	2,5 %	10,0 %	10,0 %	10,0 %

China (for products referred to in Annex I B)	For silk products	For other products
	25,00 %	10,00 %