

法規名稱：(終)EXCHANGE OF LETTERS CONSTITUTING AN AMENDMENT TO THE TEXTILE AGREEMENT
BETWEEN THE COORDINATION COUNCIL FOR NORTH AMERICAN AFFAIRS AND THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE IN TAIWAN (AD.1990.9.28)

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I Note from Mr. Natale H. Bellocchi, Chairman of the Board and
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August 21, 1990

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Dear Mr. Ding:

I refer to the Agreement between AIT and CCNAA relating to trade in cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber textile products dated November 18, 1982, extended by exchange of letters dated July 19, 1986 and subsequently amended, and further amended and extended by exchange of letters of October 26, 1988. I also refer to discussions between AIT and CCNAA, most recently from November 27 through December 1, 1989. As a result of those discussions I propose, on behalf of AIT, the following Agreement relating to trade in cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber textile products.

1 This Agreement modifies the Textile Agreement between CCNAA and AIT dated July 19, 1986. For the sake of clarity it has been decided to write a new Agreement to incorporate all modifi-

cations and extensions which have been agreed. This Agreement represents the outcome of that effort and, accordingly, shall be the bilateral instrument which governs textile trade between Taiwan and the United States of America.

Term

2. (a) The term of this Agreement shall be from January 1, 1990, through December 31, 1995, except as provided in paragraph 16.
- (b) An "agreement year" shall be a calendar year commencing on January 1 and ending December 31.

Coverage and Structure

- 3 Textiles and textile products covered by this Agreement are as follows. The determination of whether a textile or textile product is of cotton, wool, man-made fiber, or silk blend or other non-cotton vegetable fiber shall be made in accordance with the terms of paragraph 9. The categories referred to below are those described in Annex B hereto.
- (a) Group I -being products other than apparel (including yarn, fabric, and other made-up and miscellaneous products) of cotton, wool, and/or man-made fibers; and luggage of silk blend and / or other non-cotton vegetable fibers (categories 200, 201, 218, 219, 220, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 300, 301, 313, 314, 315, 317, 326, 360, 361, 362, 363, 369, 400, 410, 414, 464, 465, 469, 600, 603, 604, 606, 607, 611, 613, 614, 615, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 665, 666, 669, 670, 870).
- (b) Group II-being apparel of cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blend and/or other non-cotton vegetable fibers except for category 845 (categories 237, 239, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 345, 347, 348, 349, 350,



351, 352, 353, 354, 359, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 438, 439, 440, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 459, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 659, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 838, 839, 840, 842, &43, 844, 846, 847, 850, 851, 852, 858, 859,).

(c) Group III-being sweaters of other non-cotton vegetable fibers (category 845).

(d) Products of silk blend and/or other non-cotton vegetable fibers not covered by (a), (b) or (c) of this paragraph including yarn, fabrics and other made-ups and miscellaneous products of silk blend and/ or other non-cotton vegetable fibers (categories 800, 810, 863, 871 and 899).

Limits

4. (a) During the term of this Agreement, CCNAA shall limit annual exports from Taiwan of cotton, wool, man-made fiber, and silk blend or other non-cotton vegetable fiber textiles and textile products of Taiwan origin to the United States of American to the group limits, specific limits and sub-limits set forth in Annex A hereto, as such limits may be adjusted in accordance with paragraphs 5 and 6. The limits set out in Annex A are without such adjustments. All textile and textile products in categories not subject to specific limits may be exported from Taiwan to the United States of America only in accordance with paragraph 7.

(b) All textile and apparel products shipped under this Agreement for the personal use of the importer, regardless of value, and properly marked commercial sample shipments valued at U.S. Dollars 250 or less, shall not be subject to the limits in annex A or the procedures of paragraph 7



of the Agreement, nor shall they require a visa for entry into the United States. The products listed in Annex C shall not be subject to the limits in Annex A.

Swing

5. (a) During any agreement year, the group limits set out in Annex A (or pursuant to an amendment thereto) as they may be adjusted under paragraph 6, may be exceeded by not more than the following percentages:

for Group I--three percent

for Group II--one percent

Provide that the total of the group limit of groups I and II is not exceeded.

- (b) During any agreement year, and within the applicable group limit for such an agreement year as it may be adjusted under paragraphs 5 (a) and 6, the specific limits and sub-limits set out in Annex A (or pursuant to an amendment thereto) may be exceeded by not more than the percentages set out below:

(i) One percent for categories and sub-limits 633 / 4 / 5, 633 / 4, and 635.

(ii) Two and one-half percent for partcategories 670-H.

(iii) Four percent for category 640 and sub-limit for category 640-Y.

(iv) Five percent for categories, sub-limits and part-categories 239, 331, 340, 341, 359-H/659-H, 369-L/670-L/870, 433, 434, 436, 438, 440, 442, 443, 444, 445/6, 447/8, 638/9, 641, 641-Y, and 647 / 8.

(v) Six percent for categories and sub-limits 333 / 4 / 5,



335, 338 / 9, 347 / 8, 435, and 604.

- (vi) Six and one-half percent for category 313.
 - (vii) No swing for categories 645/6 and 845.
 - (viii) Seven percent for all other specific limits.
- (c) Swing shall be calculated on the base limit as specified in Annex A.

Special Shift

- (d) In addition to the adjustments pursuant to sub-paragraph 5 (b), the following adjustments to the specific limits set out in Annex A are available during any agreement year:
- (i) Category 331 may be increased by up to five percent provided that an equivalent quantity is deducted from category 631 in the same agreement year, and vice versa.
 - (ii) Category 336 may be increased by up to twenty percent provided that an equivalent quantity is deducted from category 636 in the same agreement year, and vice versa.
 - (iii) Category 338/9 may be increased by up to ten percent provided that an equivalent quantity in dozens is deducted from category 638/9 in the same agreement year.
 - (iv) Category 338/9 may be increased by an additional ten percent provided that four times the 2nd 10 percent, added to category 338/9 in dozens is deducted from category 638 / 9 in the same agreement year.



- (v) Category 340 may be increased by up to ten percent provided that an equivalent quantity is deducted from category 640 in the same agreement year.
- (vi) Category 341 may be increased by up to ten percent provided that an equivalent quantity is deducted from category 641 in the same agreement year, and vice versa.
- (vii) Category 342 may be increased by up to twenty percent provided that an equivalent quantity is deducted from category 642 in the same agreement year, and vice versa.
- (viii) Category 347/8 may be increased by up to fifteen percent provided that an equivalent quantity is deducted from category 647/8 in the same agreement year.
- (ix) Category 351 may be increased by up to twenty five percent provided that an equivalent quantity is deducted from category 651 in the same agreement year, and vice versa.
- (x) The specific limit on the categories in the left-hand column below may be increased by the quantities in the center column for the 1990 agreement year provided that an equivalent quantity is deducted from the corresponding upper- and lower-garment categories listed in the right-hand column in the same agreement year. For the following agreement years (1991-1995), the categories in the left hand column below may be increased by the quantities in the column for the respective agreement year provided that an equivalent quantity is deducted from the corresponding upper and lower garment categories listed in the right hand column:



1990

Category	Quantity (NOS)	Component Garment Categories
443	9,987	433 and 447/8
444	129,090	435 and 442 or 447/8
643	104,426	633 and 647/8
644	1,562,740	635 and 642 or 647/8

Quantity (NOS)

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
443	10,087	10,188	10,290	10,393	10,497
444	130,381	131,685	133,002	134,332	135,675
643	105,470	106,525	107,590	108,666	109,753
644	1,601,809	1,641,854	1,682,900	1,724,973	1,768,097

Carryforward and Carryover

6. (a) Any group limit, specific limit or sub-limit set out in Annex A may be exceeded in any agreement year by carryforward and/or carryover as provided below:

- i) In the case of any group limit, to a maximum of three percent, of which carryover shall not represent more than one percent.
- (ii) In the case of any specific limit or sub-limit except as provided in 6 (a) (iii), to a maximum of two percent, of which carryover shall not represent more than one percent.
- (iii) In the case of categories and sub-categories 340, 633/4/5, 633/4 and 635, carryforward of 7.15 percent.
- (iv) No carryforward shall be available for application in the final agreement year.

(b) For purposes of this Agreement, a shortfall occurs when exports of textiles and textile products from Taiwan to the United States of America, in any agreement year, are below any applicable group limit, specific limit or sub-



limit as set out in Annex A.

- (c) Carryover and carryforward shall be calculated on the base limit of the receiving category in the receiving year as specified in Annex A.
- (d) Adjustments made under this paragraph are in addition to those permitted under paragraph 5.

Export Certification System

- 7. (a) Each category and part-category not subject to a specific limit will be subject to the consultation procedures as set forth in sub-paragraphs 7 (b) through below.
- (b) (i) CCNAA shall provide weekly reports promptly (i.e., as soon as possible but in no case later than five U.S. working days following the close of the reporting period) to AIT on export certifications (EC), by category and partcategory, issued for export to the United States for each category and part-category not subject to a specific limit.
- (ii) CCNAA will notify AIT immediately whenever EC applications for any category or part category total 15 percent of the previous agreement year's trade within the reporting period, provided that the issuance of such ECs would bring the total cumulative issuances for the year to 80 percent of the previous year's trade or 66,890 square meters equivalent for wool products and 468,231 square meters equivalent for cotton, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non--cotton vegetable fiber products, whichever is higher.
- (iii) CCNAA will wait at least five U.S. working days after notification to AIT before issuing ECs against the applications in question.
- (c) AIT may request consultations with a view to agreement on an appropriate level of restraint for any category, part-category, or product not given a specific limit for any



agreement year whenever, in the view of AIT, conditions in the U.S. market warrant such a limitation on further trade in any such category, part-category, or product in order to eliminate a real risk of market disruption.

- (d) The request for such consultations shall be supported as soon as possible, and in any case within 21 days of the date of the request, by a statement of market conditions in the United States of America which in the opinion of AIT make necessary the request for consultations. The statement shall include data similar to that contemplated in paragraphs 1 and 2 of Annex A of the Arrangement.
- (e) Upon receipt of a request for such consultations, CCNAA, as requested by AIT, shall cease or otherwise limit further issuance of ECs for a period of seven U.S. working days. AIT may request CCNAA to extend that period of seven U.S. working days and may also request Taiwan to limit the issuance of ECs to a level different from that specified in paragraph 7(f)(i) or (ii) below, whichever is applicable. CCNAA shall consider any such request sympathetically and shall respond promptly. Unless agreed otherwise, the CCNAA shall have the right, following the expiration of the period of seven U.S. working days mentioned above or any agreed extension thereof, to resume the issuance of ECs up to the level specified in paragraph 7(f)(i) or (ii) below, whichever is applicable.

ECs thus issued, as well as ECs issued prior to receipt of the request for consultations, may be honored by the issuance of export licenses by the CCNAA.

The two parties, unless otherwise agreed, shall consult as soon as possible within 30 days of the request for such consultations and shall make their best efforts to complete such consultations within 30 days of the commencement.

- (f) (i) In the event that consultations do not result in agreement, AIT shall have the right to request the CCNAA



to limit exports of the relevant products during the agreement year in which the request for consultations is made to a level not less than the highest of:

- (A) The level of trade in the relevant product, category or part-category for the immediately preceding agreement year plus either 15 percent of that level (in the case of cotton, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber products) or 6 percent of that level (in the case of wool products).
- (B) The average of the level of trade for those categories not listed in paragraph 7 (f) (i) (c) which are not affected by conversion to the HCC in the relevant product, category or partcategory for all previous years since January 1, 1981 (January 1, 1987, in the case of silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fibers) plus either 15 percent of that average level (in the case of cotton, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber products), or 6 percent of that average level (in the case of wool products), or
- (C) The average of the level of trade for the 200 category series and other categories affected by conversion to the HCC, in the relevant product, category, or part category for all previous years since January 1, 1986 (January 1, 1987 in the case of silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber), plus either 15 percent of that average level (in the case of cotton, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber products), or 6 percent of that average level (in the case of wool products).
- (D) The limit requested by AIT for the cessation of issuance of ECs in accordance with paragraph 7(e) hereof.

(ii) Except as provided for in sub-paragraph 7(f)(iv) below

, in respect of any product, or category or partcategory where a limit has been established for a single agreement year and where, in the immediately subsequent agreement year, AIT makes another request for consultations under sub-paragraph 7(c) of this Agreement; and , in the event that such consultations do not result in agreement, AIT shall have the right to request CCNAA to limit exports of the relevant products during the agreement year in which the request for consultations is made to a level not less than the higher of:

- (A) The limit established for the immediately preceding year plus either 8 percent of that limit (in the case of cotton, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber products) or 3 percent of that limit (in the case of wool products).
 - (B) The limit requested by AIT for the cessation of issuance of ECs in accordance with subparagraph 7(e) hereof.
- (iii) Where AIT makes a request under paragraph 7(f)(i) or (ii) hereof, CCNAA agrees that it will honor such a request.
- (iv) In respect of any product, category or part-category for which a limit is established in any one agreement year, either party may, prior to the start of the immediately following agreement year, elect to convert that limit into a specific limit effective as such from January 1 of the immediately following agreement year. Where such a conversion is made, the specific limit so created shall, from the date of effect, be accorded growth at 2.5 percent per annum for cotton, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber products, and one percent per annum for wool products. The specific limit so created shall, from the year of effect, be accorded flexibility (as provided for in paragraph 5) at 7 percent; and in su-



Subsequent years the flexibility provisions set out in paragraph 6 of the Agreement shall also apply. In the event a silk blend or other vegetable fiber category under paragraph 3 (d) is converted into a specific limit, appropriate arrangements for swing (both into and out of such category) will be made.

(v) Should two requests in respect of the same product, category or partcategory be made under paragraph 7 (c) hereof during the term of this Agreement but in different non-consecutive agreement years, the provisions of paragraph 7(f)(i) shall apply to the second of the two requests.

(vi) The two parties agree that the provisions of paragraph 7 hereof shall not derogate from the rights of the two parties under paragraph 16 of this Agreement.

(g) For the purposes of paragraph 7 hereof, the phrase "level of trade" shall mean the level of trade established by consultations to be held within the first six months after the end of each agreement year or, where such consultations have not been completed, the level of trade by date of export.

(h) CCNAA and AIT shall consult as early as possible with regard to problems that may arise if the provisions of paragraph 7 are invoked near the end of an agreement year to consider the possibility of avoiding undue hardship to the trade.

8 CCNAA shall administer its export control system under this Agreement. AIT may assist CCNAA in implementing the limitation provisions of this Agreement by controlling imports of textiles and textile products covered by this Agreement.

Classification

9. (a) Tops, yarns, piece goods, made-up articles, garments, and other textile manufactured products, all being products



which derive their chief characteristics from their textile components of cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blends, non-cotton vegetable fibers, or blends thereof, in which any or all of those fibers in combination represent the chief weight of the product, are subject to this Agreement.

- (b) For the purposes of this Agreement, textile products covered by sub-paragraph (a) above shall be classified as:
 - (i) man-made fiber textiles, if the product is in chief weight of man-made fibers, unless:
 - (A) the product is knitted or crocheted apparel in which wool equals or exceeds 23 percent by weight of all fibers, in which case the product will be a wool textile; or
 - (B) the product is apparel, not knitted or crocheted, in which wool equals or exceeds 36 percent by weight of all fibers, in which case the product will be a wool textile; or
 - (C) the product is a woven fabric in which wool equals or exceeds 36 percent by weight of all fibers, in which case the product will be a wool textile.
 - (ii) Cotton textiles, if not covered by (i) and if the product is in chief weight of cotton, unless the product is a woven fabric in which wool equals or exceeds 36 percent by weight of all fibers, in which case the product will be a wool textile.
 - (iii) Wool textiles, if neither of the foregoing applies, and the product is in chief weight of wool.
 - (iv) Silk blend or non-cotton vegetable fibers textiles, if none of the foregoing applies and the product is in chief weight of silk or non-cotton vegetable fibers, unless:
 - (A) cotton with wool and/or man-made fibers in the aggregate equal or exceed 50 percent by weight of the component fibers thereof and the cotton component equals



or exceeds the weight of each of the total wool and/or man-made fiber components, in which case the product will be a cotton textile.

(B) if not covered by (iv)(A) and wool exceeds 17 percent by weight of all component fibers, in which case the product will be considered a wool textile.

(C) if not covered by (iv)(A) or (B) and man-made fibers in combination with cotton and/or wool in the aggregate equal or exceed 50 percent by weight of the component fibers thereof and the man-made fiber component exceeds the weight of the total wool and/or cotton component, in which case the product will be considered a man-made fiber textile.

(c) Notwithstanding the above, garments which contain 70 percent or more by weight silk (unless they also contain over 17 percent by weight wool), and products other than garments which contain 85 percent or more by weight silk, are not subject to this Agreement. Silk blend and non-cotton vegetable fiber sweaters, as determined above, shall be divided into "silk blend" sweaters and "non-cotton vegetable fiber" sweaters. For the Purpose of this division sweaters shall be classified as "silk blend" if the silk component exceeds by weight the non-cotton vegetable fiber component (if any). Sweaters not classified as "silk blend" sweaters in accordance with the foregoing shall be classified as "non-cotton vegetable fiber" sweaters. Garments containing 70 percent or more by weight silk and over 17 percent by weight wool shall be classified as wool textiles, under subparagraph (b)(iv)(B).

(d) Coverage under this paragraph is intended to be identical with the terms of Article 12 of the Arrangement regarding International Trade in Textiles and in conformance with paragraph 24 of the July 31, 1986, Protocol of Extension. In the event of a question regarding whether a product is covered by this Agreement by virtue of being chief weight



of cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blend or non-cotton vegetable fiber, the chief value of the fibers may be considered. Merged Categories

10. (a) The system of categories and the rates of conversion listed in Annex B hereto shall apply in implementing this Agreement, except as provided for in paragraph 10 hereof

(b) For the purpose of this Agreement and with reference to the Particular circumstances of Taiwan's trade patterns with the United States of America, the categories and partcategories below are merged as indicated and treated as single categories, with limits for categories and sub-categories as set out in Annex A.

Categories Mersged	Designation in the agreement	Sub-categories
225,317,326	225/317/326	None
300,301,607	300/301/607	300;301;607
369-L,670-L,870	369-L/670-L/870	None
613,614,615,617	613/4/5/7	None
619,620	619/20	None
625,626,627,		
628,629	625/6/7/8/9	None
333,334,335	334/4/5	335
338,339	338/9	None
347,348	347/8	None
350,650	350/650	None
352,652	352-652	None
359-C,659-C	359-C/659-C	None
359-H,659-H	359-H/659-H	None
445,446	445-6	None
447,448	447/8	None
633,634,635	633/4/5	633/4;635
638,639	638/9	None
645,646	645/6	None
647,648	647/8	None



(c) For the purpose of this Agreement, the following categories summarized in Annex B are divided into part categories:

Category	Designation in the Agreement	Description
359	359-C	Coveralls
359	359-H	Headwear
359	359-O	Other
369	369-L	Luggage
369	369-S	Shoptowels
369	369-O	Other
659	659-C	Coveralls
659	659-H	Headwear
659	659-S	Swimwear
659	659-O	Other
669	669-P	Polypropylene bags
669	669-T	Tents
669	669-O	Other
670	670-H	Handbags
670	670-L	Luggage
670	670-O	Other

(d) The following sub-limits shall be established:

Category	Designation in the Agreement	Description
640	640-Y	Shirts made of yarn-dyed fabric
641	641-Y	Blouses made of yarn-dyed fabric

(e) For the purpose of computing limits and charges to limits, the rates of conversion for individual categories set out in Annex B shall be applied, except as stated below:

category	Conversion Factor
300/301/607	8.50
333/4/5	33.75
352/652	11.30



359-C/659-C	10.10
359-H/659-H	11.50
369-L/670-L/870	3.80
633/4	33.9
633/4/5	34.1
638/9	12.50

Implementation and Administration

11. (a) Changes in the implementation and interpretation of this Agreement (such as changes in practices, rules, procedures, categorization, etc.) which have the effect of upsetting the balance of rights and obligations between the parties, or which affect the economic content of this Agreement, or which affect the ability of either party to use or benefit fully from this Agreement, or which result in any disruption to trade shall normally be avoided. The party initiating the relevant change shall endeavor to consult prior to the time that such action may affect trade between Taiwan and the United States of America with a view toward making appropriate adjustments to this Agreement. Should consultation prior to implementation not be feasible, both parties agree to consult at the request of either party at the soonest possible date, with a view toward reaching a mutually satisfactory solution within 30 days of the request.
- (b) Mutually satisfactory administrative arrangements or adjustments may be made to resolve minor problems arising in the implementation of this Agreement, including differences in points of procedure or operation.
- (c) Exports from Taiwan in excess of authorized limits in any agreement year may be denied entry into the United States of America. Any such shipments denied entry may be permitted entry into the United States and charged to the applicable limit in the succeeding agreement year.
- (d) Exports from Taiwan in excess of authorized limits in any agreement year will, if allowed entry into the United



States of America during that agreement year, be charged to the applicable limit in the succeeding Agreement year

- (e) AIT will notify CCNAA as soon as possible of the amount of charges involved pursuant to sub-paragraph 11(d).
- (f) Any action taken pursuant to this paragraph will not prejudice the rights of either side regarding consultations.

Visa System

12 The visa and certification system established by letters dated August 16, 1972, September 20, 1972, and March 22, 1973, will remain in force subject to paragraph 11(b).

Exchange of Information

13. (a) The two parties recognize that the successful implementation of this Agreement depends in large part upon mutual cooperation on statistical questions. AIT shall promptly supply CCNAA with data on monthly imports of cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber textile products from Taiwan. CCNAA shall promptly supply AIT with pertinent data on anticipated exports in categories not subject to specific limits and data on monthly exports of cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber textile products to the United States.
- (b) Each party agrees to supply promptly any other available statistical data necessary to the implementation of this Agreement requested by the other party.
- (c) AIT and CCNAA agree to supply to the other party information within its possession reasonably believed to be necessary to the enforcement of this Agreement.

Spacing

14. CCNAA shall use its best efforts to space exports from Taiwan to the United States of America within each category or subcategory (or combination of categories) evenly throughout each agreement year, taking into consideration normal seasonal factors.

Equity and Extension of the Arrangement

15. (a) If, having regard to the provisions of the Arrangement (and any extension thereof), CCNAA considers that Taiwan is being placed in an inequitable position vis-a-vis a third party (including in relation to any matter concerning coverage under this Agreement), CCNAA may request consultations with AIT with a view to taking appropriate remedial action. AIT shall consult with CCNAA in the event of such a request.
- (b) Either party may request consultations following any extension of the Arrangement, with the objective of revising this Agreement to ensure conformity with the said extension should that, in either party's view, be necessary.
- (c) AIT and CCNAA agree to consult on the provisions of this Agreement in the event that a new international regime for textile trade is agreed after the scheduled expiration of the 1986 protocol of extension to the Multifiber Arrangement on July 31, 1991, to conform this Agreement to the new regime.

Termination

- 16 This Agreement may be terminated either by mutual consent of the two parties at any time, or by either party, effective at the end of an agreement year, upon written notice to the other party to be given at least 180 days prior to the end of s-

uch agreement year.

Rights

17 For the duration of this Agreement, AIT shall not invoke procedures similar to that of Article 3 of the Arrangement to request restraint on the export of cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton, vegetable fiber textile products from Taiwan to the United States of America. AIT and CCNAA reserve their rights to request consultations with respect to textiles and textile products not subject to this Agreement.

Other Consultation Provisions

18 In addition to the consultation provisions elsewhere in this Agreement, CCNAA and ATT agree to consult, at the request of either party, on any question arising in the application of this Agreement.

19 AIT and CCNAA shall, to the extent possible, provide each other any necessary assistance to avoid circumvention of this Agreement.

This letter and your reply confirming the contents thereof on behalf of CCNAA will constitute an Agreement between AIT and CCNAA governing trade in cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blend and other non-cotton vegetable fiber textile products between Taiwan and the United States of America during the period from January 1, 1990, through December 31, 1995.

Sincerely,

[Signed]

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Chairman of the Board

and Managing Director

ANNEX A

CATEGORY	METRIC	1990	1991	1992
	UNIT	LIMIT	LIMIT	LIMIT
GROUP I	SME	531,939,631	537,259,027	542,631,617
200	KG	560,429	574,440	588,801
218	SME	17,344,350	17,777,959	18,222,408
219	SME	12,754,806	13,073,676	13,400,518
225/317/326	SME	30,786,176	31,555,830	32,344,726
226	SME	5,586,708	5,726,376	5,869,535
300/301/607	KGS	1,500,000	1,522,500	1,545,338
(300	KGS	1,250,000	1,268,750	1,287,781)
(301	KGS	1,250,000	1,268,750	1,287,781)
(607	KGS	1,250,000	1,268,750	1,287,781)
313	SME	60,942,149	61,551,570	62,167,086
314	SME	22,719,691	23,287,683	23,869,875
315	SME	17,409,072	17,844,299	28,290,406
361	NOS	1,125,779	1,153,923	1,182,771
363	NOS	11,612,973	11,671,038	11,729,393
369-L/670-L/870	KGS	41,000,000	41,820,000	42,656,400
369-S	KGS	463,876	466,195	468,526
604	KGS	200,167	203,170	206,218
611	SME	2,500,000	2,562,500	2,626,563
613/4/5/7	SME	15,504,754	15,892,373	16,289,682
619/20	SME	8,945,036	9,168,662	9,397,879
625/6/7/8/9	SME	14,829,192	15,199,922	15,579,920
669-P	KGS	269,590	276,330	283,238
669-T	KGS	876,222	898,128	920,581
670-H	KGS	15,700,000	16,014,000	16,334,280