

COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 3157/78

of 29 December 1978

opening, allocating and providing for the administration of Community tariff preferences
for textile products originating in developing countries and territories

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European
Economic Community,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European
Parliament ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and
Social Committee ⁽²⁾,

Whereas, within the context of UNCTAD, the European Economic Community offered to grant tariff preferences on finished and semi-finished products coming from developing countries; whereas the preferential treatment proposed in that offer covers, generally speaking, all finished and semi-finished industrial products covered by Chapters 25 to 99 of the Common Customs Tariff which originate in developing countries; whereas the preference consists in the granting of exemption from customs duties; whereas preferential imports are effected up to the level of ceilings calculated by value in respect of each product on the basis of factors which are uniform for all the products; whereas, in order that the preferences granted to the most competitive developing country or countries should be restricted and that a substantial share should be reserved for the least competitive, preferential imports from any one developing country in respect of a given product should not, as a general rule, exceed 50% of the ceiling fixed for that product;

Whereas, in the offer made by the Community, the annual ceilings should normally be calculated on the basis of the total value for 1968 of cif imports from the

countries benefiting from this scheme excluding those already enjoying various preferential tariff arrangements granted by the Community (basic amount), plus 5% of the value of cif imports from other countries, and from the countries already enjoying such arrangements (additional amount);

Whereas, however, in respect of cotton textile products formerly covered by the long-term arrangement regarding international trade in cotton textiles, the offer in question laid down that the preferences in the form of duty-free ceilings normally calculated according to the formula set out in the preceding recital would be granted to the countries enjoying generalized preferences which are signatories to the long-term arrangement, or possibly to those countries which undertook *vis-à-vis* the Community commitments similar to those existing under that arrangement, and that they would be accorded for the duration of the said arrangement; whereas the arrangement was due to expire on 30 September 1973 and was extended to 31 December 1973; whereas, provisionally for the period 1 January 1974 to 30 June 1978, it was considered that the countries concerned would adopt measures with equivalent aims, for both cotton textile and like products, pending the implementation of the arrangement regarding international trade in textiles ⁽³⁾; whereas the latter expired on 31 December 1977 and whereas the Community has participated in negotiations for its renewal and has accepted its prolongation, subject to the conditions and rules set out in a protocol to which have been attached the conclusions adopted by the Textiles Committee on 14 December 1977; whereas, within the framework of the said arrangement regarding international trade in textiles, bilateral agreements have been negotiated between the Community and certain supplier countries and territories which enjoy generalized preferences covering trade in textiles for the period 1 January 1978 to 31 December 1982; whereas under these agreements these countries and territories have accepted a quantitative limitation of their exports of certain textile products to the Community during the said period; whereas it would therefore be sufficient under this Regulation to limit the benefit of preferences in the textile sector to products originating in the said countries and territories and in those which were to give the Community similar undertakings;

⁽¹⁾ Opinion delivered on 15. 12. 1978 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽²⁾ Opinion delivered on 29. 11. 1978 (not yet published in the Official Journal).

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 118, 30. 4. 1974, p. 1.

Whereas, however, the implementation of a system of tariff preferences for textile products which will take due account of the results of the textile policy pursued under the arrangement regarding international trade in textiles constitutes a fairly complex operation necessitating an intensive study of the specific rules to be put into effect and of their impact on trade in textile products in general and preferential imports in particular; whereas, furthermore, this study cannot be carried out without certain information being known relating to the application of this arrangement, particularly as regards the functioning of the system of surveillance introduced to ensure the proper working of the agreements;

Whereas it was therefore desirable to extend, on exactly the same basis and for a further period of six months beginning 1 July 1978, the arrangements laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2706/77⁽¹⁾, which was applicable during the first half of 1978;

Whereas the arrangements laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 2706/77 should be extended for a further period of six months, with the volumes concerned being increased by 5%,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. From 1 January to 30 June 1979, the Common Customs Tariff duties on the products listed in Annexes A, B and C shall be totally suspended within the framework of Community tariff quotas or within the limits of Community ceilings.

2. This suspension shall be enjoyed solely by products originating in the countries and territories listed in Annex D, subject to the details given in Annexes A, B and C.

However, those imports which already enjoy exemption from customs duties under other preferential tariff arrangements granted by the Community shall not be charged against the tariff quotas or ceilings referred to in paragraph 1. For the purposes of this Regulation, the concept of 'originating products' shall be determined in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 14 of Regulation (EEC) No 802/68.

With regard to carpets, carpeting and rugs of wool or fine animal hair, falling within heading No 58.01 and

mentioned in Annexes A and C, the certificates of origin for these products shall state the number of knots per metre of warp.

3. The ceilings shall be administered and the quotas allocated and administered in accordance with the following provisions.

SECTION I

Provisions relating to the administration of the Community tariff ceilings

Article 2

1. Subject to the provisions of Articles 3 and 4, this suspension shall be granted, in respect of each category of products, within the limits of a Community ceiling expressed in tonnes:

— indicated, for each of the products listed in Annex B, under (a) in column 5,

— equal, as regards the products listed in Annex C, to 91.5% of the amount obtained by adding together imports into the Community in 1968, expressed in tonnes, of the products concerned from the independent countries listed in Annex D, excluding those already enjoying various preferential tariff arrangements granted by the Community, and 5% of the tonnage of imports in 1970 from other countries and from countries already enjoying such arrangements.

2. Only the products originating in the countries and territories listed in Annex D, other than those specified under (b) in column 4 of Annex B, in respect of the corresponding products, may be charged against the ceilings fixed under (a) in column 5 of the said Annex B.

3. Subject to the provisions of Articles 3 and 4, within each ceiling thus indicated or calculated, charges of products originating in any one of the countries and territories listed in Annex D must not exceed a Community maximum amount equivalent to 50% of this ceiling with the exception of certain products for which the maximum amount shall be reduced to the percentage shown in Annex C.

Article 3

1. As soon as the ceilings indicated or calculated in accordance with Article 2 (1), which are laid down for Community imports of products originating in all the countries and territories referred to in Article 1 (2) —

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 324, 19. 12. 1977, p. 67.

account being taken of Article 2 (2) — are reached at Community level, the levying of customs duties on imports of the products in question from all the countries and territories concerned may at any time be reintroduced until the end of the period referred to in Article 1 (1).

2. As soon as the maximum amounts calculated in accordance with Article 2 (3) — account being taken of Article 2 (2) — for Community imports of products originating in each of the countries and territories referred to in Article 1 (2) are reached for any one of these countries or territories at Community level, the levying of customs duties on imports of the products in question from the country or territory concerned may at any time be reintroduced until the end of the period referred to in Article 1 (1).

However, the first subparagraph shall not apply to the imports in question originating in the countries listed in Annex E.

Article 4

The Commission shall reintroduce the levying of customs duties in respect of all the countries or territories referred to in Article 1 (2) or in respect of any one of them by means of a Regulation according to the conditions laid down in Article 3 (1) and (2).

SECTION II

Provisions relating to the allocation and administration of the Community tariff quotas

Article 5

1. The total suspension of customs duties within the framework of the Community tariff quotas referred to in Article 1 (1) concerns the products in Annex A and the products in Annex B for each of which the quota amount, expressed in tonnes, is indicated in column 3 of Annex A under (a) in column 4 of Annex B.

2. The amount to be charged in respect of each independent country referred to in Article 1 (2) against each of the tariff quota amounts mentioned above shall be limited to the maximum amount given under (a) in column 4 of Annex A against each category of products.

For the products listed in Annex A, charges of the products originating in each of the countries listed

under (b) in column 4 of the said Annex shall be limited in each Member State to 10 % of its share. Each Member State shall reintroduce the levying of normal customs duties in respect of the country concerned as soon as it records that the said percentage has been reached. The Member State in question shall immediately notify the Commission, which shall inform the other Member States without delay.

This limitation of the amount charged shall not apply to the tariff quotas given under (a) in column 4 of Annex B, such quotas being available only to the countries and territories mentioned opposite, under (b) in column 4 of the said Annex, considered as a group.

Article 6

1. For the products listed in Annexes A and B, the Community tariff quotas referred to in Article 5 (1) shall be allocated in shares which shall be, for each Member State, the amounts corresponding to the tonnages shown in column 5 of Annex A and under (c) in column 4 of Annex B against each category of products.

2. The shares allocated to Denmark for certain products falling within heading Nos and subheadings 51.04, ex 55.05, ex 55.09, 56.05 A, 56.07 A and ex 59.04 shall be increased by an amount determined in a footnote to Annex A.

The first and second subparagraphs of Article 5 (2) shall not apply to such an increase.

Article 7

Member States shall take all measures necessary to ensure that importers of the products concerned established in their territory have free access to the shares allocated to them.

Article 8

The Commission shall take all necessary measures to ensure that the maximum amount referred to in Article 5 (2) is observed. When the charges, at Community level, of products originating in each of the independent countries listed in Annex D against any one of the Community tariff quotas reach the maximum amount laid down under (a) in column 4 of Annex A, the Commission shall immediately notify the Member States of the date on which, as a result of this fact, the normal tariff is to be reintroduced in respect of the independent country in question. This notification shall be published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

SECTION III

General provisions

Article 9

1. Imports of the products in question shall be actually charged against the Community ceilings, shares and maximum amounts as and when these products are entered for home use and are accompanied by a certificate of origin pursuant to the rules referred to in Article 1 (2).

2. Goods may be charged against a ceiling or maximum amount or admitted under a tariff quota only if the certificate of origin referred to in paragraph 1 is presented before the date on which the levying of duties is reintroduced.

3. The extent to which the ceilings, shares and maximum amounts have been used up shall be determined at Community level on the basis of the imports charged in accordance with paragraphs 1 and 2.

4. Any amendment to Annex D, in particular by the addition of new countries or territories enjoying tariff preferences, may entail a corresponding adjustment to the amounts of the Community ceilings, quotas and maximum amounts referred to in Articles 2 (1) and (3), and 5 (1) and (2).

Article 10

On receipt of a request from the Commission, and in any case at least monthly, Member States shall inform it of imports of the products concerned charged against their shares and the Community ceilings and maximum amounts.

Article 11

Member States and the Commission shall cooperate closely to ensure that the preceding provisions are observed.

Article 12

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1979.

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

Done at Brussels, 29 December 1978.

For the Council

The President

H.-D. GENSCHER

ANNEX A

List of textile products subject to zero-duty Community tariff quotas under the generalized tariff preferences granted to developing countries

Order No	CCT heading No (1)	Description (2)	Quota amount (in tonnes) (3)	Maximum amount per country (in %) (4)		Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (5)
				(a) general	(b) special	
1	51.04	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (continuous), including woven fabrics of monofil or strip of heading No 51.01 or 51.02	201	30	10 for — Colombia — Korea (South)	Germany 54.27 Benelux 20.10 France 38.19 Italy 28.14 Denmark ⁽¹⁾ 14.07 Ireland 2.01 United Kingdom 44.22
2	55.05	Cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale: B. Other: II. Other: Measuring, per single yarn, per kg: — 14 000 m or less	732	30	10 for Brazil	Germany 197.64 Benelux 73.20 France 139.08 Italy 102.48 Denmark 51.24 Ireland 7.32 United Kingdom 161.04

⁽¹⁾ Pursuant to Article 6 (2) this share is increased by 6.73 tonnes.

Order No	CCT heading No (1)	Description (2)	Quota amount (in tonnes) (3)	Maximum amount per country (in %) (4)		Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (5)
				(a) general	(b) special	
3	55.05 (cont'd)	— More than 14 000 m but not more than 40 000 m	3 377	30	10 for — Brazil — Mexico	Germany 911.79 Benelux 337.70 France 641.63 Italy 472.78 Denmark (1) 236.39 Ireland 33.77 United Kingdom 742.94
4		— More than 40 000 m but not more than 80 000 m	1 161	30	10 for — Brazil — Colombia — Mexico	Germany 313.47 Benelux 116.10 France 220.59 Italy 162.54 Denmark (2) 81.27 Ireland 11.61 United Kingdom 255.42
5		— More than 80 000 m but less than 120 000 m	167.50	20		Germany 45.22 Benelux 16.75 France 31.82 Italy 23.45 Denmark 11.73 Ireland 1.68 United Kingdom 36.85

(1) Pursuant to Article 6 (2) this share is increased by 275.21 tonnes.

(2) Pursuant to Article 6 (2) this share is increased by 149.25 tonnes.

Order No	CCT heading No (1)	Description (2)	Quota amount (in tonnes) (3)	Maximum amount per country (in %) (4)		Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (5)
				(a) general	(b) special	
6	55.09	Other woven fabrics of cotton: A. Containing 85% or more by weight of cotton: I. Of a width of less than 85 cm: — Unbleached	488	40		Germany 131.76 Benelux 48.80 France 92.72 Italy 68.32 Denmark 34.16 Ireland 4.88 United Kingdom 107.36
7		— Other	298	40	10 for — Colombia — Mexico	Germany 80.46 Benelux 29.80 France 56.62 Italy 41.72 Denmark 20.86 Ireland 2.98 United Kingdom 65.56
8		II. Other: — Unbleached, of a width of: — 85 cm or more but not more than 115 cm	3 024	30	10 for Brazil	Germany 816.48 Benelux 302.40 France 574.56 Italy 423.36 Denmark 211.68 Ireland 30.24 United Kingdom 665.28

Order No	CCT heading No (1)	Description (2)	Quota amount (in tonnes) (3)	Maximum amount per country (in %) (4)		Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (5)
				(a) general	(b) special	
9	55.09 (cont'd)	— More than 115 cm but not more than 165 cm	1 837.50	40	10 for — Brazil — Colombia — Korea (South)	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark ⁽¹⁾ Ireland United Kingdom 496.12 183.75 349.12 257.25 128.63 18.38 404.25
10		— More than 165 cm	593	40	10 for — Brazil — Korea (South) — Singapore — Yugoslavia	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom 160.11 59.30 112.67 83.02 41.51 5.93 130.46
11		— Other	287	40	10 for — Brazil — Colombia — Mexico	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark ⁽²⁾ Ireland United Kingdom 77.49 28.70 54.53 40.18 20.09 2.87 63.14
12	B. Other		164.50	40	10 for Yugoslavia	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom 44.42 16.45 31.25 23.03 11.52 1.65 36.18

(1) Pursuant to Article 6 (2) this share is increased by 196.8 tonnes.

(2) Pursuant to Article 6 (2) this share is increased by 294.47 tonnes.

Order No	CCT heading No (1)	Description (2)	Quota amount (in tonnes) (3)	Maximum amount per country (in %) (4)		Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (5)
				(a) general	(b) special	
13	56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), not put up for retail sale: A. Of synthetic textile fibres	333	30	10 for — Korea (South) — Singapore	Germany 89.91 Benelux 33.30 France 63.27 Italy 46.62 Denmark ⁽¹⁾ 23.31 Ireland 3.33 United Kingdom 73.26
14	56.07	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste): A. Of synthetic textile fibres	310	30	10 for Korea (South)	Germany 83.70 Benelux 31.00 France 58.90 Italy 43.40 Denmark ⁽²⁾ 21.70 Ireland 3.10 United Kingdom 68.20
15	58.01	Carpets, carpeting and rugs, knotted (made up or not): ex A. Of wool or of fine animal hair, containing per metre of warp not more than 500 rows of knots	2 839	40		Germany 766.53 Benelux 283.90 France 539.41 Italy 397.46 Denmark 198.73 Ireland 28.39 United Kingdom 624.58

⁽¹⁾ Pursuant to Article 6 (2) this share is increased by 15.41 tonnes.

⁽²⁾ Pursuant to Article 6 (2) this share is increased by 116.03 tonnes.

Order No	CCT heading No (1)	Description (2)	Quota amount (in tonnes) (3)	Maximum amount per country (in %) (4)		Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (5)
				(a) general	(b) special	
16	ex 59.04	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables plaited or not: — Of hemp	1 459	40		Germany 393.93 Benelux 145.90 France 277.21 Italy 204.26 Denmark 102.13 Ireland 14.59 United Kingdom 320.98
17		— Of sisal (Agave sisalana)	365.50	30		Germany 98.68 Benelux 36.55 France 69.45 Italy 51.17 Denmark (1) 25.59 Ireland 3.66 United Kingdom 80.40
18		— Of synthetic textile fibres	351	20		Germany 94.77 Benelux 35.10 France 66.69 Italy 49.14 Denmark 24.57 Ireland 3.51 United Kingdom 77.22
19		— Other, other than of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 57.03 or of coir	274	30		Germany 73.98 Benelux 27.40 France 52.06 Italy 38.36 Denmark 19.18 Ireland 2.74 United Kingdom 60.28

(1) Pursuant to Article 6 (2) this share is increased by 39.5 tonnes.

Order No	CCT heading No (1)	Description (2)	Quota amount (in tonnes) (3)	Maximum amount per country (in %) (4)		Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (5)
				(a) general	(b) special	
20	60.03	Stockings, under stockings, socks, ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized: B. Of synthetic textile fibres	60	30	10 for Korea (South)	Germany 16.20 Benelux 6.00 France 11.40 Italy 8.40 Denmark 4.20 Ireland 0.60 United Kingdom 13.20
21		A. Of wool or of fine animal hair C. Of cotton D. Of other textile materials	210	30	10 for — Korea (South) — Yugoslavia	Germany 56.70 Benelux 21.00 France 39.90 Italy 29.40 Denmark 14.70 Ireland 2.10 United Kingdom 46.20
22	60.04	Under garments, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized	1 288	30	10 for — Korea (South) — Yugoslavia	Germany 347.76 Benelux 128.80 France 244.72 Italy 180.32 Denmark 90.16 Ireland 12.88 United Kingdom 283.36

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				(a) general	(b) special	
23	60.05	Outer garments and other articles, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized	422	30	10 for — Korea (South) — Yugoslavia	Germany 113.94 Benelux 42.20 France 80.18 Italy 59.08 Denmark 29.54 Ireland 4.22 United Kingdom 92.84
24	61.01	Men's and boys' outer garments	443	30	10 for — Korea (South) — Yugoslavia	Germany 119.61 Benelux 44.30 France 84.17 Italy 62.02 Denmark 31.01 Ireland 4.43 United Kingdom 97.46
25	61.02	Women's, girls' and infants' outer garments	347	30	10 for — Korea (South) — Yugoslavia	Germany 93.69 Benelux 34.70 France 65.93 Italy 48.58 Denmark 24.29 Ireland 3.47 United Kingdom 76.34
26	61.03	Men's and boys' under garments, including collars, shirt fronts and cuffs	391	30	10 for — Korea (South) — Yugoslavia	Germany 105.57 Benelux 39.10 France 74.29 Italy 54.74 Denmark 27.37 Ireland 3.91 United Kingdom 86.02

Order No	CCT heading No (1)	Description (2)	Quota amount (in tonnes) (3)	Maximum amount per country (in %) (4)		Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (5)
				(a) general	(b) special	
27	61.04	Women's, girls' and infants' under garments	155.50	30	10 for — Korea (South) — Yugoslavia	Germany 41.98 Benelux 15.55 France 29.55 Italy 21.77 Denmark 10.89 Ireland 1.55 United Kingdom 34.21
28	61.05	Handkerchiefs	82	30		Germany 22.14 Benelux 8.20 France 15.58 Italy 11.48 Denmark 5.74 Ireland 0.82 United Kingdom 18.04
29	61.09	Corsets, corset-belts, suspender-belts, brassieres, braces, suspenders, garters and the like (including such articles of knitted or crocheted fabric), whether or not elastic	52.50	30		Germany 14.17 Benelux 5.25 France 9.98 Italy 7.35 Denmark 3.68 Ireland 0.52 United Kingdom 11.55
30	62.02	Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen; curtains and other furnishing articles	189	30	10 for Brazil	Germany 51.03 Benelux 18.90 France 35.91 Italy 26.46 Denmark 13.23 Ireland 1.89 United Kingdom 41.58

ANNEX B

List of textile products referred to in Articles 2 and 5 which are subject to zero-duty Community ceilings and tariff quotas under the generalized tariff preferences for developing countries and territories

Order No	CCT heading No (1)	Description (2)	Total preferential amount (in tonnes) (3)	Quota (4)			Ceiling (5)	
				Amount (in tonnes) (a)	Beneficiary countries and territories (b)	Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (c)	Amount (in tonnes) (a)	Maximum amount per country and territory (b) in % (1) in tonnes (2)
1	50.09	Woven fabrics of silk, of noil or other waste silk	102	30.50	Brazil Korea (South)	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom	71.50	50 35.75
2	53.07	Yarn of combed sheep's or lambs' wool (worsted yarn), not put up for retail sale	210.50	63	Brazil Uruguay	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom	147.50	50 73.75
3	54.03	Flax or ramie yarn, not put up for retail sale	128	25.50	Brazil	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom	102.50	50 51.25
4	55.05	Cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale: A. Multiple or cabled, finished in balls or on cards, reels, tubes or similar supports, of a weight (including support) not exceeding 900 g	28	8.50	Brazil Hong Kong	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom	19.50	50 9.75

Order No	CCT heading No (1)	Description (2)	Total preferential amount (in tonnes) (3)	Quota (4)			Ceiling (5)		
				Amount (in tonnes) (a)	Beneficiary countries and territories (b)	Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (c)	Amount (in tonnes) (a)	Maximum amount per country and territory (b)	
								in % (1)	in tonnes (2)
5	55.05 (con'td)	B. Other: I. Measuring, per single yarn, 120 000 m or more per kg	26.50	5.50	Brazil	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom 1.49 0.55 1.05 0.76 0.39 0.05 1.21	21	50	10.50
6	55.08	Terry towelling and similar terry fabrics of cotton	54.50	11	Brazil	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom 2.97 1.10 2.09 1.54 0.77 0.11 2.42	43.50	50	21.75
7	56.07	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste): B. Of regenerated textile fibres	346.50	104	Brazil Yugoslavia	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom 28.08 10.40 19.76 14.56 7.28 1.04 22.88	242.50	50	121.25

Order No	CCT heading No	Description (2)	Total preferential amount (in tonnes) (3)	Quota (4)			Ceiling (5)	
				Amount (in tonnes) (a)	Beneficiary countries and territories (b)	Volume of shares allocated to Member States (in tonnes) (c)	Amount (in tonnes) (a)	Maximum amount per country and territory (b) in % (1) in tonnes (2)
8	58.04	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics (other than terry towelling or similar terry fabrics of cotton falling within heading No 55.08 and fabrics falling within heading No 58.05)	247.50	74.50	Colombia Korea (South) Hong Kong	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom	173	50 86.50
9	58.05	Narrow woven fabrics, and narrow fabrics (bolduc) consisting of warp without weft assembled by means of an adhesive, other than of jute or other textile bast fibres of heading No 57.03, other than goods falling within heading No 58.06	52.50	10.50	Hong Kong	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom	42	50 21
10	58.10	Embroidery, in the piece, in strips or in motifs	86	17	Korea (South)	Germany Benelux France Italy Denmark Ireland United Kingdom	69	50 34.50

ANNEX C

List of products originating in developing countries and territories to which the generalized tariff preferences for certain textile products will apply (a)

Order No	CCT heading No	Description
	CHAPTER 50	
1	50.04	Silk yarn, other than yarn of noil or other waste silk, not put up for retail sale
2	50.05	Yarn spun from noil or other waste silk, not put up for retail sale
3	50.07	Silk yarn and yarn spun from noil or other waste silk, put up for retail sale; silk-worm gut; imitation catgut of silk
	CHAPTER 51	
4	51.01	Yarn of man-made fibres (continuous), not put up for retail sale ⁽¹⁾
5	51.02	Monofil, strip (artificial straw and the like) and imitation catgut, of man-made fibre materials
6	51.03	Yarn of man-made fibres (continuous), put up for retail sale
7	CHAPTER 52	METALLIZED TEXTILES
	CHAPTER 53	
8	53.06	Yarn of carded sheep's or lambs' wool (wollen yarn), not put up for retail sale
9	53.08	Yarn of fine animal hair (carded or combed), not put up for retail sale
10	53.09	Yarn of horsehair or of other coarse animal hair, not put up for retail sale
11	53.10	Yarn of sheep's or lambs' wool, of horsehair or of other animal hair (fine or coarse), put up for retail sale
12	53.11	Woven fabrics of sheep's or lambs' wool or of fine animal hair ⁽²⁾
13	53.12	Woven fabrics of horsehair or of other coarse animal hair

(a) Products qualifying under the ordinary arrangements for exemption or total temporary suspension of the Common Customs Tariff duty are only token entries.

⁽¹⁾ For products falling within subheading 51.01 A and B II, the maximum Community amount referred to in Article 2 (3) is reduced to 30 %.

⁽²⁾ For products falling within this heading, the maximum Community amount referred to in Article 2 (3) is reduced to 20 %.

Order No	CCT heading No	Description
	CHAPTER 54	
14	54.04	Flax or ramie yarn, put up for retail sale
15	54.05	Woven fabrics of flax or of ramie
	CHAPTER 55	
16	55.06	Cotton yarn, put up for retail sale
17	55.07	Cotton gauze
	CHAPTER 56	
18	56.01	Man-made fibres (discontinuous), not carded, combed or otherwise prepared for spinning ⁽¹⁾
19	56.02	Continuous filament tow for the manufacture of man-made fibres (discontinuous) ⁽¹⁾
20	56.03	Waste (including yarn waste and pulled or garnetted rags) of man-made fibres (continuous or discontinuous), not carded, combed or otherwise prepared for spinning ⁽¹⁾
21	56.04	Man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), carded, combed or otherwise prepared for spinning
22	56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), not put up for retail sale: B. Of regenerated textile fibres
23	56.06	Yarn of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), put up for retail sale
	CHAPTER 57	
24	ex 57.07	Yarn of other vegetable textile fibres, other than coir yarn; paper yarn
25	ex 57.11	Woven fabrics of other vegetable textile fibres, other than those of coir; woven fabrics of paper yarn
	CHAPTER 58	
26	ex 58.01	Carpets, carpeting and rugs, knotted (made up or not), other than of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 57.03 or of coir or wool or fine animal hair, containing per metre of warp not more than 500 rows of knots
27	58.02	Other carpets, carpeting, rugs, mats and matting, and 'Kelem', 'Schumacks' and 'Karamanie' rugs and the like (made up or not):

⁽¹⁾ For products falling within this heading, the maximum Community amount referred to in Article 2 (3) is reduced to 30%.

Order No	CCT heading No	Description
27	58.02 (cont'd)	ex A. Carpets, whether tufted or not other than of jute or other textile bast fibres of heading No 57.03 or coir
28		B. 'Kelem', 'Schumacks' and 'Karamanie' rugs and the like
29	58.03	Tapestries, hand-made, of the type Gobelins, Flanders, Aubusson, Beauvais and the like, and needle-worked tapestries (for example, petit point and cross stitch) made in panels and the like by hand
30	58.06	Woven labels, badges and the like, not embroidered, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size
31	58.07	Chenille yarn (including flock chenille yarn), gimped yarn (other than metallized yarn of heading No 52.01 and gimped horsehair yarn); braids and ornamental trimmings in the piece; tassels, pompons and the like
32	58.08	Tulle and other net fabrics (but not including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics), plain
33	58.09	Tulle and other net fabrics (but not including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics), figured; hand or mechanically made lace, in the piece, in strips or in motifs
	CHAPTER 59	
34	59.01	Wadding and articles of wadding; textile flock and dust and mill neps
35	59.02	Felt and articles of felt, whether or not impregnated or coated
36	59.03	Bonded fibre fabrics, similar bonded yarn fabrics, and articles of such fabrics, whether or not impregnated or coated
37	59.05	Nets and netting made of twine, cordage or rope, and made up fishing nets of yarn, twine, cordage or rope
38	59.06	Other articles made from yarn, twine, cordage, rope or cables other than textile fabrics and articles made from such fabrics
39	59.07	Textile fabrics coated with gum or amylaceous substances of a kind used for the outer covers of books and the like; tracing cloth; prepared painting canvas; buckram and similar fabrics for hat foundations and similar uses
40	59.08	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with preparations of cellulose derivatives or of other artificial plastic materials
41	59.10	Linoleum and materials prepared on a textile base in a similar manner to linoleum, whether or not cut to shape or of a kind used as floor coverings; floor coverings consisting of a coating applied on a textile base, cut to shape or not
42	59.11	Rubberized textile fabrics, other than rubberized knitted or crocheted goods
43	59.12	Textile fabrics otherwise impregnated or coated; painting canvas being theatrical scenery, studio back-cloths or the like

Order No	CCT heading No	Description
44	59.13	Elastic fabrics and trimmings (other than knitted or crocheted goods) consisting of textile materials combined with rubber threads
45	59.14	Wicks, of woven, plaited or knitted textile materials, for lamps, stoves, lighters, candles and the like; tubular knitted gas-mantle fabric and incandescent gas mantles
46	59.15	Textile hosepiping and similar tubing, with or without lining, armour or accessories of other materials
47	59.16	Transmission, conveyor or elevator belts or belting, of textile material, whether or not strengthened with metal or other material
48	59.17	Textile fabrics and textile articles of a kind commonly used in machinery or plant
	CHAPTER 60	
49	60.06	Knitted or crocheted fabric and articles thereof, elastic or rubberized (including elastic knee-caps and elastic stockings)
	CHAPTER 61	
50	61.06	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like
51	61.07	Ties, bow ties and cravats
52	61.10	Gloves, mittens, mitts, stockings, socks and sockettes, not being knitted or crocheted goods
53	61.11	Made up accessories for articles of apparel (for example, dress shields, shoulder and other pads, belts, muffs, sleeve protectors, pockets)
	CHAPTER 62	
54	62.01	Travelling rugs and blankets
55	62.04	Tarpaulins, sails, awnings, sunblinds, tents and camping goods
56	ex 62.05	Other made up textile articles (including dress patterns) other than of jute, other than textile bast fibres of heading No 57.03 or coir
	CHAPTER 63	
57	ex 63.01	Clothing, clothing accessories, travelling rugs and blankets, household linen and furnishing articles (other than articles falling within heading No 58.01, 58.02 or 58.03), of textile materials; footwear and headgear of any material, showing signs of appreciable wear and imported in bulk or in bales, sacks or similar bulk packings other than of jute, other than textile bast fibres of heading No 57.03 or coir

ANNEX D

List of developing countries and territories enjoying generalized tariff preferences ⁽¹⁾

I. INDEPENDENT COUNTRIES

660 Afghanistan ⁽²⁾	488 Guyana	520 Paraguay
208 Algeria	452 Haiti ⁽²⁾	504 Peru
330 Angola	424 Honduras	708 Philippines
528 Argentina	664 India	644 Qatar
453 Bahamas	700 Indonesia	247 Republic of Cape Verde
640 Bahrain	616 Iran	324 Rwanda ⁽²⁾
666 Bangladesh ⁽²⁾	612 Iraq	819 Samoa ⁽²⁾
469 Barbados	272 Ivory Coast	311 Sao Tome and Principe
284 Benin ⁽²⁾	464 Jamaica	632 Saudi Arabia
675 Bhutan ⁽²⁾	338 Jibuti	248 Senegal
516 Bolivia	628 Jordan	355 Seychelles and dependencies
391 Botswana ⁽²⁾	696 Kampuchea (Cambodia)	264 Sierra Leone
508 Brazil	346 Kenya	706 Singapore
676 Burma	636 Kuwait	812 Solomon Islands
328 Burundi ⁽²⁾	684 Laos ⁽²⁾	342 Somalia ⁽²⁾
302 Cameroon	604 Lebanon	728 South Korea
306 Central African Empire ⁽²⁾	395 Lesotho ⁽²⁾	656 South Yemen ⁽²⁾
244 Chad ⁽²⁾	268 Liberia	669 Sri Lanka
512 Chile	216 Libya	224 Sudan ⁽²⁾
480 Colombia	370 Madagascar	492 Surinam
375 Comoros	386 Malawi ⁽²⁾	393 Swaziland
318 Congo	701 Malaysia	608 Syria
436 Costa Rica	667 Maldives ⁽²⁾	352 Tanzania ⁽²⁾
448 Cuba	232 Mali ⁽²⁾	680 Thailand
600 Cyprus	228 Mauritania	280 Togo
456 Dominican Republic	373 Mauritius	817 Tonga
500 Ecuador	412 Mexico	472 Trinidad and Tobago
220 Egypt	204 Morocco	212 Tunisia
428 El Salvador	366 Mozambique	812 Tuvalu
310 Equatorial Guinea	803 Nauru	350 Uganda ⁽²⁾
334 Ethiopia ⁽²⁾	672 Nepal ⁽²⁾	647 United Arab Emirates
815 Fiji	432 Nicaragua	236 Upper Volta ⁽²⁾
314 Gabon	240 Niger ⁽²⁾	524 Uruguay
252 Gambia ⁽²⁾	288 Nigeria	484 Venezuela
276 Ghana	652 North Yemen ⁽²⁾	690 Vietnam
473 Grenada	649 Oman	048 Yugoslavia
416 Guatemala	662 Pakistan	322 Zaire
260 Guinea ⁽²⁾	440 Panama	378 Zambia
257 Guinea Bissau	801 Papua New Guinea	

⁽¹⁾ The code number preceding the name of each beneficiary country or territory is that given in 'Geonomenclature 1979' (Regulation (EEC) No 2843/78 — OJ No L 339, 5. 12. 1978, p. 5).

⁽²⁾ This country is also included in Annex E.

II. COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES

dependent or administered, or for whose external relations Member States of the Community or third countries are wholly or partly responsible

- 808 American Oceania ⁽¹⁾
- 802 Australian Oceania (Christmas Island, Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Heard Island and McDonald Islands, Norfolk Island)
- 421 Belize
- 413 Bermuda
- 357 British Indian Ocean Territory
- 812 British Oceania
- 703 Brunei
- 463 Cayman Islands
- 529 Falkland Islands and dependencies
- 822 French Polynesia
- 044 Gibraltar
- 740 Hong Kong
- 743 Macao
- 377 Mayotte
- 476 Netherlands Antilles
- 809 New Caledonia and dependencies
- 814 New Zealand Oceania (Tokelau and Niue Islands; Cook Islands)
- 890 Polar regions (French Southern and Antarctic Territories, Australian Antarctic Territories, British Antarctic Territories)
- 329 St Helena and dependencies
- 454 Turks and Caicos Islands
- 457 Virgin Islands of the United States
- 811 Wallis and Futuna Islands
- 471 West Indies

Note: The above lists may be amended subsequently to take account of changes in the international status of countries or territories.

⁽¹⁾ American Oceania includes: Guam, American Samoa (including Swain's Island), Midway Islands, Johnston and Sand Islands, Wake Island and the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (the Caroline, Marianas and Marshall Islands).

ANNEX E

List of least developed developing countries to which the first subparagraph of Article 3 (2) does not apply

660 Afghanistan	386 Malawi
666 Bangladesh	667 Maldives
284 Benin	232 Mali
675 Bhutan	672 Nepal
391 Botswana	240 Niger
328 Burundi	652 North Yemen
306 Central African Empire	324 Rwanda
244 Chad	819 Samoa
334 Ethiopia	342 Somalia
252 Gambia	656 South Yemen
260 Guinea	224 Sudan
452 Haiti	352 Tanzania
684 Laos	350 Uganda
395 Lesotho	236 Upper Volta
