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COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 3061/79

of 20 December 1979

on common rules for imports of certain textile products originating in the People's Republic of China

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the Community has negotiated an Agreement with the People's Republic of China (hereinafter referred to as 'China') on trade in textile products;

Whereas the Community and China decided that the provisions of that Agreement will be fully implemented as from 1 January 1980 until 31 December 1983;

Whereas it is necessary, with a view to implementing the Agreement and to take account of its particularities, to establish specific common rules for imports of certain textile products originating in China;

Whereas, in order to apply quantitative limits in conformity with the Agreement negotiated with China, it is necessary to establish a special management procedure; whereas it is desirable that such common management system be decentralized by allocating the quantitative limits among the Member States, and that the import authorizations be issued by the Member States' authorities in accordance with the double-checking system defined in the Agreement;

Whereas, in order to ensure the best possible utilization of the quantitative limits, they should be allocated in accordance with the requirements of the Member States and with the quantitative objectives established by the Council; whereas, however, the extent of the disparities existing in the conditions for imports of these products into the Member States and

the particularly sensitive position of the Community textiles industry mean that the said conditions can be standardized only gradually; whereas for these reasons allocation of supplies cannot immediately be effected on the basis of requirements alone;

Whereas it is also necessary to introduce efficient and rapid procedures for altering quantitative limits and their allocation to take account of the development of trade flows, needs for additional imports and the Community's obligations under the Agreement with China;

Whereas, in the case of products not subject to quantitative limitation, the Agreement provides for a consultation procedure whereby, under certain conditions, agreement can be sought with China on the introduction of quantitative limits; whereas it is necessary to provide a procedure whereby the Community may introduce quantitative limits pending the conclusion of such consultation or as a result of such consultations or where such consultations do not lead to agreement;

Whereas it is therefore necessary to lay down a rapid and efficient procedure for introducing such quantitative limits and concluding arrangements with China;

Whereas, for practical reasons, it is convenient to make use, for the purposes enumerated above, of the management committee already set up by Council Regulation (EEC) No 3059/78 of 21 December 1978 on common rules for imports of certain textile products originating in third countries ⁽¹⁾,

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 365, 27. 12. 1978, p. 1.

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. This Regulation shall apply to imports into the Community of the textile products listed in Annex I and originating in China.

2. The description and identification of the products listed in Annex I shall be those used in the nomenclature of the Common Customs Tariff and in the nomenclature of goods for the external trade statistics of the Community and the statistics of trade between Member States (NIMEXE), without prejudice to Article 3 (4).

3. Subject to provisions of this Regulation the import into the Community of the textile products referred to in paragraph 1 shall not be subject to quantitative restrictions or measures having equivalent effect to such restrictions.

Article 2

1. The origin of the products referred to in Article 1 (1) shall be determined in accordance with the rules in force in the Community.

2. The procedures for control of the origin of the products referred to in Article 1 (1) are laid down in Annexes III and VI.

Article 3

1. The import into the Community of the textile products listed in Annex IV, originating in China and shipped between 1 January 1980 and 31 December 1983, shall be subject to the annual quantitative limits laid down in that Annex.

2. The release for free circulation in the Community of imports subject to the quantitative limits referred to in paragraph 1 shall be subject to the presentation of an import authorization or equivalent document issued by the Member States authorities in accordance with Article 10.

3. The authorized imports shall be charged against the quantitative limits laid down for the year in which the products are shipped in China.

4. The definition of quantitative limits laid down in Annex IV and the categories of products to which they apply shall be adapted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 14 where this proves

necessary to ensure that any subsequent amendment to the nomenclature of the Common Customs Tariff or the nomenclature of goods for the external trade statistics of the Community and the statistics of trade between Member States (NIMEXE) does not result in a reduction of such quantitative limits.

5. Exports of all textile products originating in China, including handloom and folklore products covered by the categories referred to in Article 1, shall be subject to a double-checking system, as described hereinafter.

6. Where imports into the Community of textile products listed in Annex I and originating in China are effected at abnormally low prices, the provisions of Annex IX shall apply.

7. In the case of products subject to quantitative limits established in the Agreement or fixed subsequently pursuant to Article 11 of this Regulation, the provisions of Annex V shall apply, subject to the provisions of paragraph 6 and of Article 5 (3) and (4).

8. Imports of products not subject to such quantitative limits shall be conditional upon the presentation of an import document issued in the manner set out in Annex V for the issue of import licences, subject to the provisions of paragraph 6 and of Article 11, in particular paragraph 7 thereof. The import document shall be granted on presentation of a shipment certificate issued by the competent Chinese authorities and corresponding to the specimen set out in Annex VII.

9. An importer's declaration or application submitted for the purpose of obtaining an import authorization or import document shall be accompanied by the corresponding export licence or shipment certificate and, where a Member State so requests, by a copy of the contract of purchase, or equivalent proof of price.

Article 4

1. Imports of products not subject to quantitative limitation before 1 January 1980 which were in the course of shipment to the Community before that date shall not be subject to the quantitative limits referred to in Article 3 provided they were shipped from China before 1 January 1980 and were released for free circulation in the Community before 1 April 1980.

2. The release for free circulation of products the import of which was subject to quantitative limitation before 1 January 1980 and which were shipped before the said date shall continue from that date to be subject to the presentation of the same import documents, and to the same import conditions, as before 1 January 1980.

Article 5

1. The quantitative limits referred to in Article 3 shall not apply to products admitted into the customs territory of the Community under the arrangements for inward processing or other suspensive arrangements, provided that they are declared to be for re-export under such a system outside the said territory in the same state or after processing.

The subsequent release for free circulation of the products referred to in the first subparagraph shall be subject to the quantitative limits referred to in Article 3 and to the presentation of an import authorization or equivalent document issued in accordance with Article 3 (2) and the products so released shall be charged against the quantitative limit established for the year for which the export licence was issued.

2. Where the authorities in the Member States establish that imports of textile products have been charged against a quantitative limit fixed pursuant to Article 3 and that these products have subsequently been re-exported outside the Community, they shall inform the Commission thereof and issue additional import authorizations for the same products and the same quantities in accordance with Article 3 (2).

Imports effected under cover of such authorizations shall not be charged against the quantitative limit for the current year or the following year.

3. Any quantitative limit, except for categories 2 and 3, established in Annex IV or any level resulting from the application of the rates specified in Article 11 (2) and (3), may be exceeded by 10 % as long as the imports causing this excess are imports of cottage industry and folklore products as defined in Annex VIII, originating in China.

4. The provisions of the above paragraph shall apply only to products accompanied by a certificate drawn up by the Chinese authorities in conformity with the specimen set out in the appendix to Annex VIII and which fulfil the conditions laid down in Annex VIII.

Article 6

In order that the Community textile and clothing industry may benefit from the utilization of all the quantitative limits established in Annex IV, and in particular those established for categories 2, 3 and 37, and in order to contribute to the improvement of supplies to these industries of raw silk, silk waste, angora and cashmere, the Commission shall, at the request of one or more Member States, submit to the Chinese authorities before 1 December of each Agreement year a list of interested manufacturing and processing companies, and, where appropriate, the quantities of products requested by the companies concerned.

Article 7

1. The quantitative limits introduced pursuant to Article 11 shall be allocated in such a way as to ensure the improved utilization of these quantitative limits and to attain progressively a more balanced penetration of the markets by means of improved burden-sharing between the Member States.

2. The allocation of the quantitative limits referred to in paragraph 1 shall be adapted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 14 and according to the criteria defined in paragraph 1 where this proves necessary, particularly in view of trends in patterns of trade, in order to ensure their improved utilization.

Article 8

1. China may, after notifying the Commission in advance, utilize the shares allocated to Member States in the following ways:

(a) Advance utilization during any given year of a portion of a share established for the following year shall be authorized for each category of products up to 5 % of the share for the year of actual utilization.

Such advance imports shall be deducted from the corresponding shares established for the following year.

(b) Carry-over of amounts not utilized during any given year to the corresponding share for the following year shall be authorized up to 5 % of the share for the year of actual utilization.

However, for each of the categories of products subject to quantitative limitations, carry-over of quantities unused in 1979 shall be authorized up to 10 % of the quantitative limits for 1980.

For categories to which the arrangement described in the above subparagraph is applied, no advance use shall be authorized during 1980.

(c) Transfers of quantities in Group I categories shall be made only as follows:

- transfers from category 1 to categories 2 and 3 shall be authorized up to 5 % of the share established for the category to which the listed transfer is made,
- transfers between categories 2 and 3 are governed by the provisions of the appendix to Annex IV,
- transfers between categories 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 shall be authorized up to 5 % of the share established for the category to which the transfer is made.

Transfers of quantities into the different categories in Groups II, III, IV and V may be made from any category in Groups I, II, III, IV and V subject to a maximum of 5 % of the share established for the category to which the transfer is made.

The table of equivalence applicable to the above-mentioned transfers is given in Annex I.

2. In the event of recourse by China to the provisions of paragraph 1, the Commission shall notify the authorities of the Member State concerned which shall authorize the imports in question in accordance with the double-checking system defined in Annexes V and VI.

3. Where a Member State's share has been increased by the application of paragraph 1, or of Article 9, or where further possibilities for imports into that Member State have been created under Article 9, such increases or further import possibilities shall not be taken into account for the purposes of applying paragraph 1 in the current year or subsequent years.

Article 9

1. Member States which find that they require additional imports for their internal consumption or which consider that their share may not be fully utilized shall notify the Commission accordingly.

2. The quantitative limits laid down in Article 3 may be increased in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 14 where it appears that additional imports are required.

3. At the request of a Member State which finds that it requires additional imports, either on the occasion of fairs or where it has issued import authorizations or equivalent documents for up to 80% of its national share, the Commission may, after oral or written consultations with the Member States within the Committee referred to in Article 13, open up additional possibilities for imports into that Member State.

In an emergency, the Commission shall open consultations within the Committee within five working days following receipt of the request from the Member State concerned and shall take a decision within 15 working days calculated from the same date.

Article 10

1. The authorities of the Member States shall issue the import authorizations or equivalent documents provided for in Article 3 (2) up to the amount of their shares, taking into account the measures taken pursuant to Articles 5, 7, 8 and 9.

2. The import authorizations or equivalent documents shall be issued in accordance with Annexes V and VI.

3. The quantities of products covered by the import authorizations or equivalent documents provided for in Article 3 shall be charged against the share of the Member State which issued those authorizations or documents.

Article 11

1. The following provisions shall apply, under the conditions enumerated hereinafter, to the importations into the Community of textile products listed in Annex I, originating in China and not subject to the quantitative limits referred to in Article 3.

2. The Commission — on its own initiative or at the request of a Member State — can request the opening of consultations with China in order to reach agreement on a suitable level of limitation for any category of products when it finds, through the system of double-checking, that the total volume covered by the shipment certificates issued by the Chinese authorities for the category in question in an

Agreement year is about to reach or exceed the level resulting from the application of the following percentages:

- 0.2 % if the category is in Group I,
- 1.5 % if the category is in Group II,
- 5 % if the category is in Groups III, IV and V,

to the preceding calendar year's total imports into the Community of products in the same category, subject to the provisions of paragraph 10.

3. Such consultation with China can also be requested in order to reach agreement on a suitable level of regional limitation for any category of products when it is found that the total volume covered by shipment certificates issued by the Chinese authorities in an Agreement year for any category of product is about to reach or exceed, in relation to the total quantities calculated for the whole Community according to the percentage specified in paragraph 2 above, the relevant percentages set out for the regions of the Community in the table below:

Germany	28.5 %
Benelux	10.5 %
France	18.5 %
Italy	15 %
Denmark	3 %
Ireland	1 %
United Kingdom	23.5 %

4. For products subject to quota under the autonomous import arrangements in effect at the time of initialling of the Agreement, such consultations shall be initiated within eight days of a request by a Member State.

For other products, the decision to hold consultations shall be taken in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 14.

This decision must be taken within 15 working days from such a request. Where the outcome of this decision is that consultations should be opened, this shall happen within eight working days of the decision to do so.

5. Pending the result of the consultations and within five working days from the date on which the request for them was notified to China in accordance with paragraph 8, a quantitative limit shall be established for imports into the Community or, at the request of Member States, into one or more

regions, at a level not lower than that notified in the request for consultations, nor that resulting from the application of the rate referred to in paragraph 2, nor the level of imports in 1978 of products of the same category originating in China.

Such limits will remain in force until replaced by a definitive limit introduced after the consultation has taken place or until it is decided, after the consultation and in accordance with the provisions of this Article, that no definitive limit should be introduced.

6. The introduction of a quantitative limit does not preclude the import of products covered by this quantitative limit but shipped from China before the date on which the request for consultations was notified to China. Notice of this date will be given by a Commission communication published without delay in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

7. In the case of products subject to quota under the autonomous import arrangements in effect at the time of the initialling of the Agreement with China, a Member State may, where the conditions set out in paragraph 3 are fulfilled, suspend the issue of import documents provided that the suspension is brought to the attention of the Commission within seven working days of the date on which such an import document was requested by an importer. The importer must in turn be informed without delay. When the quantitative limit referred to in paragraph 5 is established, the issue of import documents will be resumed within and up to the level of the quantitative limit in question, subject always to the provisions of paragraph 6.

8. Where consultations are opened with China, the Commission may request that China with effect from the date of notification of the request for consultations and pending a mutually satisfactory solution suspend or limit at the level indicated by the Commission its exports of the category of products in question to the Community or to one or more regions thereof.

The consultations with China may lead to the conclusion of an arrangement between China and the Community, which shall stipulate that the quantitative limits applied shall be administered in accordance with the double-checking system.

The consultations shall be conducted in accordance with the following rules:

- the Commission shall notify China of the request for consultations,

- the request for consultations shall be followed within a reasonable period and in any event within 15 days of the notification, by a report setting out the conditions which, in the Commission's opinion, justify the submission of such a request,
- the Commission shall initiate consultations within one month at the latest of notification of the request, with a view to reaching agreement or a mutually acceptable conclusion within one month at the latest.

9. Should the Community and China fail to reach a satisfactory solution within the time limit set out above, imports of the category of products in question may be made subject to definitive quantitative limits at an annual level not lower than that reached by imports of the said products and indicated in the request for consultations.

10. Where, for a particular category of products, the provisions of paragraph 2 are applied, the level which shall be taken into consideration shall be the highest level reached in respect of the category of products in question in either of the last two years preceding the year of application of the measure establishing a quantitative limit.

11. Where the development of total imports into the Community of a product which is subject to a quantitative limit fixed in accordance with paragraphs 5 to 9 renders it necessary, the annual level of that quantitative limit shall be increased, after consultation with China in accordance with the procedure laid down in paragraph 8, to ensure compliance with the conditions set out in paragraphs 2 and 3.

12. Quantitative limits established pursuant to this Article shall be the subject of a Commission Regulation and shall be administered in accordance with Articles 3 to 10.

Article 12

1. In respect of each quantitative limit set out in Annex IV, Member States shall notify the Commission, within the first 10 days of each month, of the total quantities, in the appropriate units and by country of origin and category of products, for which import authorizations have been issued during the preceding month.

2. In respect of the textile products in Annexes I and II, Member States shall notify the Commission monthly, within 30 days following the end of each month, of the total quantities imported during that

month, by NIMEXE code and in the units, including where appropriate supplementary units, of the NIMEXE code.

The imports shall be broken down in accordance with the statistical procedures in force; they shall be expressed in terms of quantity and value in order to permit an assessment of the evolution of the trade balance in textile products with China.

3. Member States shall notify the Commission monthly within 30 days following the end of each month, of the quantities, in the appropriate units and category of products, of products specified in paragraph 1 of Annex VIII.

4. In order to enable market trends in the products covered by this Regulation to be monitored, Member States shall communicate to the Commission, before 31 March each year, statistical data for the preceding year on exports. The statistical data relating to the production and consumption of each product shall be forwarded under arrangements to be determined subsequently pursuant to the procedure laid down in Article 14.

5. Where the nature of the products or particular circumstances so require, the Commission may, at the request of a Member State or on its own initiative, alter the time limits for communicating the abovementioned information under the procedure laid down in Article 14.

6. Member States shall notify the Commission, under conditions set in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 14 of all other particulars deemed under that procedure to be necessary in order to ensure compliance with the obligations agreed between the Community and China.

Article 13

Where reference is made to the procedure defined in Article 14, the Committee referred to in that Article shall, for the purpose and duration of this Regulation, be the 'Textile Committee' set up under Article 14 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3059/78.

Article 14

1. Where reference is made to the procedure defined in this Article, the chairman, on his own initiative or at the request of a Member State, shall refer the matter to the Committee.

2. The Commission representative shall submit draft measures to the Committee. The Committee shall deliver an opinion on the draft measures within

a period which may be fixed by the chairman depending on the degree of urgency of the matters to be examined. The Committee shall decide by a majority of 41 votes, the votes of the Member States being weighted as specified in Article 148 (2) of the Treaty. The chairman shall not vote.

3. (a) The Commission shall adopt the measures proposed where they are in conformity with the Committee's opinion.
- (b) Where the measures proposed are not in conformity with the Committee's opinion, or where no opinion has been given, the Commission shall submit to the Council without delay a proposal for the measures to be taken. The Council shall act by a qualified majority.
- (c) Should the Council fail to take a decision within one month of the date on which the proposal was laid before it, the Commission shall adopt the proposed measures.

Article 15

The chairman may, on his own initiative or at the request of one of the Member States' representatives, consult the Committee about any other matter relating to the operation of this Regulation.

Article 16

The Member States shall inform the Commission forthwith of all measures taken pursuant to this Regulation and of all laws, regulations or administrative provisions concerning arrangements for the import of the products covered by this Regulation.

Article 17

Any amendments or adjustments to the Annexes to this Regulation which may be necessary to take into account any amendment or the expiry of the Agreement with China or the conclusion, amendment or expiry of any further arrangement with China or amendments made to Community rules on statistics, or customs arrangements or common import arrangements, shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 14.

Article 18

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1980.

It shall apply until 31 December 1983.

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

Done at Brussels, 20 December 1979.

For the Council

The President

J. TUNNEY

ANNEX I
referred to in Article 1

Where the expression 'babies' garments' is used, this is meant also to cover girls' garments up to and including commercial size 86.

When the constitutive material of the products of categories 1 to 114 is not specifically mentioned these products are to be taken to be made exclusively of wool or of fine animal hair, of cotton or of synthetic or artificial textile fibres.

GROUP I

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
1	Cotton yarn not put up for retail sale	55.05-13; 19; 21; 25; 27; 29; 33; 35; 37; 41; 45; 46; 48; 52; 58; 61; 65; 67; 69; 72; 78; 92; 98		
2 ⁽¹⁾	Woven fabrics of cotton, other than gauze, terry fabrics, narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics, chenille fabrics, tulle and other net fabrics: a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	55.09-01; 02; 03; 04; 05; 11; 12; 13; 14; 15; 16; 17; 19; 21; 29; 31; 33; 35; 37; 38; 39; 41; 49; 51; 52; 53; 54; 55; 56; 57; 59; 61; 63; 64; 65; 66; 67; 68; 69; 70; 71; 72; 73; 74; 76; 77; 78; 81; 82; 83; 84; 86; 87; 92; 93; 97 55.09-03; 04; 05; 51; 52; 53; 54; 55; 56; 57; 59; 61; 63; 64; 65; 66; 67; 70; 71; 81; 82; 83; 84; 86; 87; 92; 93; 97		
3	Woven fabrics of synthetic fibres (discontinuous or waste) other than narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics (including terry fabrics) and chenille fabrics: a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	56.07-01; 04; 05; 07; 08; 11; 13; 14; 16; 17; 18; 21; 23; 24; 26; 27; 28; 32; 33; 34; 36 56.07-01; 05; 07; 08; 13; 14; 16; 18; 21; 23; 26; 27; 28; 33; 34; 36		

⁽¹⁾ Category 2 includes cotton fabrics (absorbent gauze), not impregnated or coated with pharmaceutical substances, falling within heading No 30.04 of the Common Customs Tariff.

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
4	Shirts, T-shirts, lightweight fine knit roll, polo' or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers, undervests and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, other than babies' garments, of cotton or synthetic textile fibres; T-shirts and lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers, of regenerated textile fibres, other than babies' garments	60.04-19; 20; 22; 23; 24; 26; 41; 50; 58; 71; 79; 89	6.48	154
5	Jerseys, pullovers, slip-overs, waistcoats, twinsets, cardigans, bedjackets and jumpers, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	60.05-01; 27; 28; 29; 30; 33; 36; 37; 38	4.53	221
6	Men's and boys' woven breeches, shorts and trousers (including slacks) Women's, girls' and infants' woven trousers and slacks	61.01-62; 64; 66; 72; 74; 76 61.02-66; 68; 72	1.76	568
7	Blouses and shirt-blouses, knitted or crocheted (not elastic or rubberized), or woven, for women, girls and infants	60.05-22; 23; 24; 25 61.02-78; 82; 84	5.55	180
8	Men's and boys' shirts, woven	61.03-11; 15; 19	4.60	217

GROUP II

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
9	Woven cotton terry fabrics Toilet and kitchen linen of woven cotton terry fabrics	55.08-10; 30; 50; 80 62.02-71		
10	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, impregnated or coated with artificial plastic materials	60.02-40	10·14 pairs	99
11	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, other than those of category 10	60.02-50; 60; 70; 80	24·6 pairs	41
12	Stockings, under stockings, socks, ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, other than women's stockings of synthetic textile fibres	60.03-11; 19; 20; 27; 30; 90	24·3 pairs	41
13	Men's and boys' underpants and briefs, women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') knickers and briefs, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, of cotton or synthetic textile fibres	60.04-48; 56; 75; 85	17	59
14 A	Men's and boys' coats of impregnated, coated, covered or laminated woven fabric	61.01-01	1·0	1 000
14 B	Men's and boys' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, other than those of category 14 A	61.01-41; 42; 44; 46; 47	0·72	1 389
15 A	Women's, girls' and infants' coats of impregnated, coated, covered or laminated woven fabric	61.02-05	1·1	909
15 B	Women's, girls' and infants' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, jackets and blazers, other than garments of category 15 A	61.02-31; 32; 33; 35; 36; 37; 39; 40	0·84	1 190
16	Men's and boys' woven suits (including coordinate suits consisting of two or three pieces, which are ordered, packed, consigned and normally sold together), excluding ski suits	61.01-51; 54; 57	0·80	1 250
17	Men's and boys' woven jackets and blazers (excluding waister jackets)	61.01-34; 36; 37	1·43	700

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
18	Men's and boys' woven under garments other than shirts	61.03-51; 55; 59; 81; 85; 89		
19	Handkerchiefs of woven fabric, of a value of not more than 15 EUA/kg net weight	61.05-30; 99	55.5	18
20	Bed linen, woven	62.02-11; 19		
21	Parkas; anoraks, windcheaters, waister jackets and the like, woven	61.01-29; 31; 32 61.02-25; 26; 28	2.3	435
22	Yarn of discontinuous or waste synthetic fibres, not put up for retail sale a) Of which acrylic	56.05-03; 05; 07; 09; 11; 13; 15; 19; 21; 23; 25; 28; 32; 34; 36; 38; 39; 42; 44; 45; 46; 47 56.05-21; 23; 25; 28; 32; 34; 36		
23	Yarn of discontinuous or waste regenerated fibres, not put up for retail sale	56.05-51; 55; 61; 65; 71; 75; 81; 85; 91; 95; 99		
24	Men's and boys' pyjamas, knitted or crocheted, of cotton or of synthetic textile fibres	60.04-47; 73	2.8	357
25	Women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') knitted or crocheted pyjamas and nightdresses, of cotton or synthetic fibres	60.04-51; 53; 81; 83	4.3	233
26	Women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') woven and knitted or crocheted dresses	60.05-41; 42; 43; 44 61.02-48; 52; 53; 54	3.1	323
27	Women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') woven and knitted or crocheted skirts, including divided skirts	60.05-51; 52; 54; 58 61.02-57; 58; 62	2.6	385
28	Knitted or crocheted trousers (except shorts) other than babies'	60.05-61; 62; 64	1.61	620

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
29	Women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') woven suits, and costumes (including coordinate suits consisting of two or three pieces which are ordered, packed, consigned and normally sold together), excluding ski suits	61.02-42; 43; 44	1.37	730
30 A	Women's, girls' and infants' woven pyjamas and night-dresses	61.04-11; 13; 18	4.0	250
30 B	Women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') woven undergarments, other than pyjamas and nightdresses	61.04-91; 93; 98		
31	Brassières, woven, knitted or crocheted	61.09-50	18.2	55

GROUP III

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
32	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics (other than terry fabrics of cotton and narrow woven fabrics), of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	58.04-07; 11; 15; 18; 41; 43; 45; 61; 63; 67; 69; 71; 75; 77; 78		
33	Woven fabrics of strip or the like of polyethylene or polypropylene, less than 3 m wide; woven sacks of such strip or the like	51.04-06 62.03-96		
34	Woven fabrics of strip or the like of polyethylene or polypropylene, 3 m or more wide	51.04-08		
35	Woven fabrics of synthetic textile fibres (continuous), other than those for tyres and those containing elastomeric yarn a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	51.04-11; 13; 15; 17; 18; 21; 23; 25; 26; 27; 28; 32; 34; 36; 42; 44; 46; 48 51.04-15; 17; 18; 23; 25; 26; 27; 28; 32; 34; 42; 44; 46; 48		
36	Woven fabrics of regenerated textile fibres (continuous), other than those for tyres and those containing elastomeric yarn a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	51.04-56; 58; 62; 64; 66; 72; 74; 76; 82; 84; 86; 88; 89; 93; 94; 95; 96; 97; 98 51.04-58; 62; 64; 72; 74; 76; 82; 84; 86; 88; 89; 94; 95; 96; 97; 98		
37	Woven fabrics of regenerated textile fibres (discontinuous or waste), other than narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics (including terry fabrics) and chenille fabrics a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	56.07-37; 42; 44; 48; 52; 53; 54; 57; 58; 62; 63; 64; 66; 72; 73; 74; 77; 78; 82; 83; 84; 87 56.07-37; 44; 48; 52; 54; 57; 58; 63; 64; 66; 73; 74; 77; 78; 83; 84; 87		
38 A	Knitted or crocheted synthetic curtain fabrics including net curtain fabric	60.01-40		
38 B	Net curtains	62.02-09		

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
39	Woven table linen, toilet and kitchen linen, other than of cotton terry fabric	62.02-41; 43; 47; 65; 73; 77		
40	Woven curtains (other than net curtains) and furnishing articles	62.02-81; 89		
41	Yarn of synthetic textile fibres (continuous), not put up for retail sale, other than non-textured single yarn untwisted or with a twist of not more than 50 turns per metre	51.01-05; 07; 08; 09; 11; 13; 16; 18; 21; 23; 26; 28; 32; 34; 38; 42; 44; 48		
42	Yarn of regenerated textile fibres (continuous), not put up for retail sale, other than single yarn of viscose rayon untwisted or with a twist of not more than 250 turns per metre and single non-textured yarn of any acetate	51.01-50; 61; 64; 66; 71; 76; 80		
43	Yarn of man-made fibres (continuous), put up for retail sale	51.03-10; 20		
44	Woven fabrics of synthetic textile fibres (continuous), containing elastomeric yarn	51.04-05		
45	Woven fabrics of regenerated textile fibres (continuous), containing elastomeric yarn	51.04-54		
46	Carded or combed sheep's or lambs' wool or other fine animal hair	53.05-10; 22; 29; 32; 39		
47	Yarn of carded sheep's or lambs' wool (woollen yarn) or of carded fine animal hair, not put up for retail sale	53.06-21; 25; 31; 35; 51; 55; 71; 75 53.08-11; 15		
48	Yarn of combed sheep's or lambs' wool (worsted yarn) or of combed fine animal hair, not put up for retail sale	53.07-01; 09; 21; 29; 40; 51; 59; 81; 89 53.08-21; 25		
49	Yarn of sheep's or lambs' wool or of fine animal hair, put up for retail sale	53.10-11; 15		
50	Woven fabrics of sheep's or lambs' wool or of fine animal hair	53.11-01; 03; 07; 11; 13; 17; 20; 30; 40; 52; 54; 58; 72; 74; 75; 82; 84; 88; 91; 93; 97		

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
51	Carded or combed cotton	55.04-00		
52	Cotton yarn put up for retail sale	55.06-10; 90		
53	Cotton gauze	55.07-10; 90		
54	Regenerated textile fibres (discontinuous or waste), carded or combed	56.04-21; 23; 25; 29		
55	Synthetic textile fibres (discontinuous or waste), carded or combed	56.04-11; 13; 15; 16; 17; 18		
56	Yarn of synthetic textile fibres (discontinuous or waste), put up for retail sale	56.06-11; 15		
57	Yarn of regenerated textile fibres (discontinuous or waste), put up for retail sale	56.06-20		
58	Carpets, carpeting and rugs, knotted (made up or not)	58.01-01; 11; 13; 17; 30; 80		
59	Woven, knitted or crocheted carpets, carpeting, rugs, mats and matting, and 'Kelem', 'Schumacks' and 'Karamanie' rugs and the like (made up or not) Floor coverings of felt	58.02-12; 14; 17; 18; 19; 30; 43; 49; 90 59.02-01; 09		
60	Tapestries, hand made	58.03-00		
61	Narrow woven fabrics not exceeding 30 cm in width with selvages (woven, gummed or made otherwise) on both edges, other than woven labels and the like; bolduc	58.05-01; 08; 30; 40; 51; 59; 61; 69; 73; 77; 79; 90		
62	Woven labels, badges and the like, not embroidered, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size Chenille yarn (including flock chenille yarn), gimped yarn (other than metallized yarn and gimped horsehair yarn); braids and ornamental trimmings in the piece; tassels, pompons and the like Tulle and other net fabrics (but not including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics), plain	58.06-10; 90 58.07-31; 39; 50; 80 58.08-11; 15; 19; 21; 29		

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
62 (cont'd)	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 Embroidery, in the piece, in strips or in motifs	58.09-11; 19; 21; 31; 35; 39; 91; 95; 99 58.10-21; 29; 41; 45; 49; 51; 55; 59		
63	Knitted or crocheted fabric, not elastic or rubberized, of synthetic textile fibres, containing elastofibres Knitted or crocheted fabric, elastic or rubberized	60.01-30 60.06-11; 18		
64	Rachel lace and long-pile fabric (imitation fur), knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, of synthetic textile fibres	60.01-51; 55		
65	Knitted or crocheted fabrics, not elastic or rubberized, other than those of categories 38 A, 63 and 64	60.01-01; 10; 62; 64; 65; 68; 72; 74; 75; 78; 81; 89; 92; 94; 96; 97		
66	Travelling rugs and blankets	62.01-10; 20; 81; 85; 93; 95		
67	Clothing accessories and other articles (except garments), knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized Articles (other than bathing costumes) of knitted or crocheted fabric, elastic or rubberized	60.05-94; 95; 96; 97; 98; 99 60.06-92; 96; 98		

GROUP IV

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
68	Babies' under garments of knitted or crocheted fabrics, not elastic or rubberized	60.04-02; 03; 04; 06; 07; 08; 10; 11; 12; 14		
69	Women's, girls' and infants' knitted or crocheted petti-coats and slips, of synthetic textile fibres, other than babies' garments	60.04-54	7·8	128
70	Panty-hose (tights)	60.04-31; 33; 34	30·4	33
71	Babies' knitted outer garments	60.05-06; 07; 08; 09		
72	Knitted swimwear	60.05-11; 13; 15 60.06-91	10	100
73	Track suits of knitted or crocheted fabric, not elastic or rubberized	60.05-16; 17; 19	1·67	600
74	Women's, girls' and infants' (other than babies') suits and costumes (including coordinate suits consisting of two or three pieces which are ordered, packed, consigned and normally sold together), of knitted or crocheted fabric, not elastic or rubberized, excluding ski suits	60.05-71; 72; 73; 74	1·54	650
75	Men's and boys' suits (including coordinate suits consisting of two or three pieces which are ordered, packed, consigned and normally sold together), of knitted or crocheted fabric, not elastic or rubberized, excluding ski suits	60.05-66; 68	0·80	1 250
76	Men's and boys' woven industrial and occupational clothing Women's, girls' and infants' woven aprons, smock-overalls and other industrial and occupational clothing (whether or not also suitable for domestic use)	61.01-13; 15; 17; 19 61.02-12; 14		
77	Women's stockings of synthetic textile fibres	60.03-24; 26	40 pairs	25
78	Men's and boys' woven bath robes, dressing gowns, smoking jackets and similar indoor wear and other outer garments, except garments of categories 6, 14 A, 14 B, 16, 17, 21, 76 and 79	61.01-09; 24; 25; 26; 92; 94; 96		

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
79	Woven swimwear	61.01-22; 23 61.02-16; 18	8.3	120
80	Babies' woven garments	61.02-01; 03 61.04-01; 09		
81	Women's, girls' and infants' woven bath robes, dressing gowns, bed jackets and similar indoor wear and other outer garments, except garments of categories 6, 7, 15 A, 15 B, 21, 26, 27, 29, 76, 79 and 80	61.02-07; 22; 23; 24; 86; 88; 92		
82	Under garments, other than babies', knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, of wool, of fine animal hair or of regenerated textile fibres	60.04-38; 60		
83	Outer garments, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, other than garments of categories 5, 7, 26, 27, 28, 71, 72, 73, 74 and 75	60.05-04; 76; 77; 78; 79; 88; 90; 91; 92		
84	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, other than knitted or crocheted	61.06-30; 40; 50; 60		
85	Ties, bow ties and cravats, other than knitted or crocheted	61.07-30; 40; 90	17.9	56
86	Corsets, corset-belts, suspender-belts, braces, suspenders, garters and the like (including such articles of knitted or crocheted fabric), other than brassières, whether or not elastic	61.09-20; 30; 40; 80	8.8	114
87	Gloves, mittens, mitts, stockings, socks and sockettes, not being knitted or crocheted goods	61.10-00		
88	Made up accessories for articles of apparel (for example, dress shields, shoulder and other pads, belts, muffs, sleeve protectors, pockets), other than knitted or crocheted	61.11-00		
89	Handkerchiefs of woven cotton fabric, of a value of more than 15 EUA/kg net weight	61.05-20	59	17

GROUP V

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
90	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, of synthetic textile fibres, plaited or not	59.04-11; 13; 15; 17; 18		
91	Tents	62.04-23; 73		
92	Woven fabrics of man-made textile fibres and rubberized textile woven fabrics, for tyres	51.04-03; 52 59.11-15		
93	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, of woven fabrics, other than made from polyethylene or polypropylene strip	62.03-93; 95; 97; 98		
94	Wadding and articles of wadding; textile flock and dust and mill neps	59.01-07; 12; 14; 15; 16; 18; 21; 29		
95	Felt and articles of felt, whether or not impregnated or coated, other than floor coverings	59.02-35; 41; 47; 51; 57; 59; 91; 95; 97		
96	Bonded fibre fabrics, similar bonded yarn fabrics, and articles of such fabrics, whether or not impregnated or coated, other than clothing and clothing accessories	59.03-11; 19; 30		
97	Nets and netting made of twine, cordage or rope, and made up fishing nets of yarn, twine, cordage or rope	59.05-11; 21; 29; 91; 99		
98	Other articles made from yarn, twine, cordage, rope or cables, other than textile fabrics, articles made from such fabrics and articles of category 97	59.06-00		
99	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	59.07-10; 90		
100	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with preparations of cellulose derivatives or of other artificial plastic materials	59.08-10; 51; 61; 71; 79		

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
101	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, plaited or not, other than of synthetic textile fibres	59.04-80		
102	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	59.10-10; 31; 39		
103	Rubberized textile fabrics other than rubberized knitted or crocheted goods, excluding fabrics for tyres	59.11-11; 14; 17; 20		
104	Textile fabrics, impregnated or coated, other than those of categories 99, 100, 102 and 103; painted canvas being theatrical scenery, studio backcloths or the like	59.12-00		
105	Elastic fabrics and trimmings (other than knitted or crocheted goods) consisting of textile materials combined with rubber threads	59.13-01; 11; 13; 15; 19; 32; 34; 35; 39		
106	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	59.14-00		
107	Textile hosepiping and similar tubing, with or without lining, armour or accessories of other materials	59.15-10; 90		
108	Transmission, conveyor or elevator belts or belting, of textile material, whether or not strengthened with metal or other material	59.16-00		
109	Woven tarpaulins, sails, awnings and sunblinds	62.04-21; 61; 69		
110	Woven pneumatic mattresses	62.04-25; 75		
111	Camping goods, woven, other than pneumatic mattresses and tents	62.04-29; 79		
112	Other made-up textile articles, woven, excluding those of categories 113 and 114	62.05-10; 30; 93; 98		

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Table of equivalence	
			pieces/kg	g/piece
113	Floor cloths, dish cloths, dusters and the like, other than knitted or crocheted	62.05-20		
114	Textile fabrics and textile articles of a kind commonly used in machinery or plant	59.17-10; 29; 31; 39; 49; 51; 59; 71; 79; 91; 93; 95; 99		

ANNEX II

referred to in Article 12 (2)

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Units
115	Flax or ramie yarn, not put up for retail sale	54.03-10; 31; 35; 37; 39; 50; 61; 69	Tonnes
116	Flax or ramie yarn, put up for retail sale	54.04-10; 90	Tonnes
117	Woven fabrics of flax or of ramie	54.05-21; 25; 31; 35; 38; 51; 55; 61; 68	Tonnes
118	Bed linen, of flax or ramie, other than knitted or crocheted	62.02-15	Tonnes
119	Table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen of flax or ramie, other than knitted or crocheted	62.02-61; 75	Tonnes
120	Curtains (including net curtains) and other furnishing articles, of flax or ramie, other than knitted or crocheted	62.02-01; 87	Tonnes
121	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, plaited or not, of flax or ramie	59.04-60	Tonnes
122	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, used, of flax or sisal, other than knitted or crocheted	62.03-91	Tonnes
123	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics, of flax or ramie, other than narrow woven fabrics; shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, of flax or ramie, other than knitted or crocheted	58.04-80 61.06-90	Tonnes
124	Synthetic staple fibre	56.01-11; 13; 15; 16; 17; 18 56.02-11; 13; 15; 19 56.03-11; 13; 15; 19	Tonnes
125	Synthetic filament yarn	51.01-14; 25 51.02-12; 13; 15; 22; 24; 28	Tonnes
126	Regenerated staple fibre	56.01-21; 23; 25; 29 56.02-21; 23; 25; 29 56.03-21; 23; 25; 29	Tonnes

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Units
127	Regenerated filament yarn	51.01-62; 73 51.02-41; 49	Tonnes
128	Coarse hair, carded or combed	53.05-50	Tonnes
129	Coarse hair yarns	53.09-10; 20	Tonnes
130 A	Thrown silk	50.04-10; 90 50.07-10	Tonnes
130 B	Spun silk yarns	50.05-10; 90; 99 50.07-90; 99	Tonnes
131	Sisal yarns	57.07-90	Tonnes
132	Paper yarns	57.07-20	Tonnes
133	Hemp, etc., yarns	57.07-01; 03; 07	Tonnes
134	Metallized yarns	52.01-10; 90	Tonnes
135	Fabrics of coarse hair	53.12-00	Tonnes
136	Silk fabrics	50.09-01; 20; 31; 39; 41; 42; 44; 45; 47; 48; 61; 62; 64; 66; 69; 80 59.17-21	Tonnes
137	Pile fabrics of silk, etc.	58.04-05 58.05-20	Tonnes
138	Fabrics of hemp, etc., and paper	57.11-10; 20; 90	Tonnes
139	Fabrics of metal yarns	52.02-00	Tonnes
140	Knitted fabric of other fibres	60.01-98	Tonnes

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Units
141	Blankets of other fibres	62.01-99	Tonnes
142	Carpets of sisal, hemp, etc.	58.02-20; 60; 80	Tonnes
143 A	Clothing of non-MFA fibres, knitted	60.04-09; 16; 29 60.05-21; 26; 31; 32; 39; 49; 75; 80; 93	Tonnes
143 B	Clothing of non-MFA fibres, woven	61.01-38; 48; 58; 68; 78; 98 61.02-34; 41; 45; 47; 55; 64; 74; 76; 94 61.05-91 61.06-10 61.07-10	Tonnes
144	Felt of coarse hair	59.02-45	Tonnes
145	Cordage of abaca	59.04-20	Tonnes
146 A	Sisal baler and binder twine	59.04-31	Tonnes
146 B	Other sisal twine and cordage	59.04-35; 38	Tonnes
146 C	Jute binder and baler twine	59.04-70	Tonnes
147	Silk waste, carded or combed	50.03-90	Tonnes
148 A	Jute yarns	57.06-11; 15; 30	Tonnes
148 B	Coir yarns	57.07-10	Tonnes
149 A	Jute fabrics, 150 to 230 cm wide, unbleached	57.10-61	Tonnes
149 B	Jute fabrics, over 230 cm wide, unbleached	57.10-65	Tonnes

Category	Description	NIMEXE code (1979)	Units
149 C	Jute fabrics, over 150 cm wide, finished	57.10-70	Tonnes
150 A	Jute fabrics, under 150 cm wide and weighing not more than 310 g, and sacks therefrom	57.10-21; 29 62.03-13	Tonnes
150 B	Jute fabrics, under 150 cm wide and weighing 310 to 500 g, and sacks therefrom	57.10-31; 39 62.03-15	Tonnes
150 C	Jute fabrics, under 150 cm wide and weighing more than 500 g, and sacks therefrom	57.10-50 62.03-17	Tonnes
151 A	Coir carpets	58.02-11	Tonnes
151 B	Jute carpets	58.02-50	Tonnes
152	Jute felt	59.02-31	Tonnes
153	Jute sacks	62.03-11	Tonnes
154	Natural raw fibres	50.01-00 50.02-00 50.03-10 53.01-10; 20; 30; 40 53.02-10; 51; 59; 93; 95; 97 53.03-01; 03; 20; 30; 91; 95 53.04-00 54.01-10; 21; 25; 30; 40; 70 54.02-00 55.01-10; 90 55.02-10; 90 55.03-10; 30; 50; 90 57.01-20; 50 57.02-00 57.03-10; 30; 50 57.04-10; 30; 50	Tonnes

ANNEX III

referred to in Article 2

ORIGIN

Article 1

1. Products listed in Annex I, originating in China, may be imported into the Community in accordance with the arrangements established by this Regulation on production of a certificate of origin conforming to the specimen attached to Annex VI.

2. The certificate of origin shall be issued by the competent governmental authorities of China if the products in question can be considered products originating in that country within the meaning of the relevant rules in force in the Community.

3. However, products listed in Annex I other than those falling within Group I or II may be imported into the Community in accordance with the arrangements established by the Regulation on production of a declaration by the exporter or supplier on the invoice, or, where there is no invoice, on another commercial document relating to the products in question, to the effect that the said products originate in the supplying country where the declaration is made within the meaning of the relevant rules in force within the Community.

4. Where different criteria for determining origin are fixed in respect of products falling within a single category and a single tariff heading, the certificate or declaration must include a description of the goods which is sufficiently detailed to allow assessment of the criterion on the basis of which the certificate was issued or the declaration made.

Article 2

The discovery of slight discrepancies between the entries made in the certificate of origin and those made in the documents produced to the customs office for the purpose of carrying out the formalities for importing the product shall not *ipso facto* cast doubt upon the statements in the certificate.

Article 3

1. Subsequent verification of certificates of origin shall be carried out at random, or whenever the

competent Community authorities have reasonable doubt as to the authenticity of the certificate or as to the accuracy of the information regarding the true origin of the products in question.

In such cases the competent authorities in the Community shall return the certificate of origin or a copy thereof to the competent governmental authority of China giving, where appropriate, the reasons of form or substance for an enquiry. If the invoice has been submitted, such invoice or a copy thereof shall be attached to the certificate or its copy. The authorities shall also forward any information that has been obtained suggesting that the particulars given on the said certificate are inaccurate.

2. The provisions of paragraph 1 above shall also be applicable to subsequent verifications of the declarations of origin referred to in Article 1 (3) of this Annex.

3. The results of the subsequent verifications carried out in accordance with paragraphs 1 and 2 shall be communicated to the competent authorities of the Community within three months at the latest.

4. Should such verifications reveal abuse or major irregularities in the use of declarations of origin, the Member State concerned shall inform the Commission of this fact. The Commission shall pass the information on to the other Member States.

At the request of a Member State or at the initiative of the Commission, the Committee on Origin shall, as soon as possible and in accordance with the procedure specified in Article 13 of Regulation (EEC) No 802/68⁽¹⁾, examine whether it is desirable to require the production of a certificate of origin, in accordance with Article 1 (1) and (2), in respect of the products concerned and China.

The decision shall be taken in accordance with the procedure specified in Article 14 of Regulation (EEC) No 802/68.

5. For the purpose of subsequent verification of certificates of origin, copies of the certificates as well

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 148, 26. 6. 1968, p. 1.

as any export documents referring to them shall be kept for at least two years by the competent governmental authority of China.

6. Random recourse to the procedure specified in this Article must not constitute an obstacle to the release for home use of the products in question.

Article 4

1. The movement certificates and Forms EUR.1 and EUR.2 and the certificates of origin Form A and Forms APR presented at the time of importation into the Community in order to obtain a tariff preference shall be accepted in place of the proof of origin stipulated in Article 1.

2. The proof of origin referred to in Article 1 shall not be required where goods are accompanied by a certificate conforming to the specimen and complying with the conditions set out in Regulation (EEC) No 2635/77 ⁽¹⁾ or (EEC) No 2636/77 ⁽²⁾ or in the corresponding provisions which are to replace the said Regulations.

3. Paragraph 2 shall also apply to goods accompanied by a certificate conforming to the specimen and complying with the conditions set out in Annex VII to this Regulation.

4. Non-commercial imports exempt from production of the documents referred to in paragraph 1 in accordance with the provisions of the preferential arrangements concerned shall not be subject to the provisions of this Annex.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 307, 30. 11. 1977, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 307, 30. 11. 1977, p. 42.

ANNEX IV

When the constitutive material of the products of categories 1 to 114 is not specifically mentioned these products are to be taken to be made exclusively of wool or of fine animal hair, of cotton or of synthetic or artificial textile fibres.

The breakdown between Member States of the quantitative limits for 1981, 1982 and 1983 is published for the purposes of information, and its definitive version shall be the subject of a Community Regulation at the beginning of each of those years.

Category	CCT heading No	NIMEXE code (1979)	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December			
							1980	1981	1982	1983
1	55.05	55.05-13; 19; 21; 25; 27; 29; 33; 35; 37; 41; 45; 46; 48; 52; 58; 61; 65; 67; 69; 72; 78; 92; 98	Cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	Tonnes	1 226 504 103 137 61 87 50 2 168	1 228 509 104 138 62 89 51 2 181	1 230 513 105 140 63 91 52 2 194	1 232 517 106 142 64 93 53 2 207
2 (*)	55.09	55.09-01; 02; 03; 04; 05; 11; 12; 13; 14; 15; 16; 17; 19; 21; 29; 31; 33; 35; 37; 38; 39; 41; 49; 51; 52; 53; 54; 55; 56; 57; 59; 61; 63; 64; 65; 66; 67; 68; 69; 70; 71; 72; 73; 74; 76; 77; 78; 81; 82; 83; 84; 86; 87; 92; 93; 97	Other woven fabrics of cotton: Woven fabrics of cotton, other than gauze, terry fabrics, narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics, chenille fabrics, tulle and other net fabrics:	China (*)	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	Tonnes	2 705 4 672 1 717 3 155 3 837 492 1 523 18 101	2 725 4 682 1 724 3 177 3 874 495 1 526 18 203	2 745 4 692 1 731 3 199 3 911 498 1 529 18 305	2 765 4 702 1 738 3 221 3 948 501 1 532 18 407

(*) Category 2 includes cotton fabrics (absorbent gauze), not impregnated or coated with pharmaceutical substances, falling within heading No 30.04 of the Common Customs Tariff.

(*) See Appendix.

Category	CCT heading No	NIMEXE code (1979)	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December			
							1980	1981	1982	1983
2 (cont'd)		55.09-03; 04; 05; 51; 52; 53; 54; 55; 56; 57; 59; 61; 63; 64; 65; 66; 67; 70; 71; 81; 82; 83; 84; 86; 87; 92; 93; 97	a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK	Tonnes	271 467 172 (⁽¹⁾) 384 49 152	272 468 172 (⁽¹⁾) 387 50 153	275 469 173 (⁽¹⁾) 391 50 153	277 470 174 (⁽¹⁾) 395 50 153
3	56.07 A	56.07-01; 04; 05; 07; 08; 11; 13; 14; 16; 17; 18; 21; 23; 24; 26; 27; 28; 32; 33; 34; 36	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste): A. Of synthetic textile fibres: Woven fabrics of synthetic fibres (discontinuous or waste) other than narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics (including terry fabrics) and chenille fabrics:	China (⁽¹⁾)	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	Tonnes	278 129 201 2 263 40 51 62 3 024	286 138 203 2 266 40 52 64 3 049	294 147 205 2 269 40 53 66 3 074	302 157 206 2 272 40 54 69 3 100
		56.07-01; 05; 07; 08; 13; 14; 16; 18; 21; 23; 26; 27; 28; 33; 34; 36	a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK	Tonnes	28 13 20 (⁽¹⁾) 4 5 6	29 14 20 (⁽¹⁾) 4 5 6	29 15 20 (⁽¹⁾) 4 5 7	30 16 21 (⁽¹⁾) 4 5 7

⁽¹⁾ See Appendix.

Category	CCT heading No	NIMEXE code (1979)	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December			
							1980	1981	1982	1983
4	60.04 B I a) II b) c) IV b) 1 aa) dd) 2 ee) d) 1 aa) dd) 2 dd)	60.04-19; 20; 22; 23; 24; 26; 41; 50; 58; 71; 79; 89	Under garments, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized; Shirts, T-shirts, lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers, undervests and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, other than babies' garments, of cotton or synthetic textile fibres; T-shirts and lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers, of regenerated textile fibres, other than babies' garments	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	1 000 pieces	1 183 1 351 623 427 511 19 78 4 192	1 215 1 371 657 453 557 21 86 4 360	1 246 1 390 699 478 603 24 94 4 534	1 278 1 410 743 503 652 27 103 4 716
5	60.05 A I II b) 4 bb) 11 aaa) bbb) ccc) ddd) 22 bbb) ccc) ddd) eee)	60.05-01; 27; 28; 29; 30; 33; 36; 37; 38	Outer garments and other articles, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized: A. Outer garments and clothing accessories: Jerseys, pullovers, slip-overs, waist-coats, twinsets, cardigans, bed-jackets and jumpers, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	1 000 pieces	1 465 714 639 394 1 077 ⁽¹⁾ 24 65 4 378 ⁽¹⁾	1 508 745 667 408 1 126 26 74 4 554	1 551 777 700 481 1 175 28 84 4 736	1 596 810 734 435 1 226 30 94 4 925
6	61.01 B V d) 1 2 3 e) 1 2 3 61.02 B II e) 6 aa) bb) cc)	61.01-62; 64; 66; 72; 74; 76 61.02-66; 68; 72	Men's and boys' outer garments: Women's, girls' and infants' outer garments: B. Other: Men's and boys' woven breeches, shorts and trousers (including slacks); women's, girls' and infants' woven trousers and slacks, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	1 000 pieces	2 757 892 491 862 ⁽¹⁾ 209 31 295 5 537	2 815 942 528 884 231 34 297 5 731	2 874 992 563 906 254 38 299 5 932	2 933 1 044 611 929 273 42 301 6 139

⁽¹⁾ See Appendix.

Category	CCT heading No	NIMEXE code (1979)	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January bis 31 December			
							1980	1981	1982	1983
7	60.05 A II b) 4 aa) 22 33 44 55		Outer garments and other articles, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized: A. Outer garments and clothing accessories: II. Other Women's, girl's and infants' outer garments: B. Other: Blouses and shirt blouses, knitted, crocheted (not elastic or rubberized), or woven, for women, girls and infants, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	1 000 pieces	654	658	662	666
							223	226	229	232
	61.02 B II e) 7 bb) cc) dd)	60.05-22; 23; 24; 25 61.02-78; 82; 84					267	274	282	290
							122	124	125	127
							157	162	167	172
							20	20	21	21
							51	52	53	54
							1 494	1 516	1 539	1 562
8	61.03 A	61.03-11; 15; 19	Men's and boy's under garments, including collars, shirt fronts and cuffs: Men's and boy's shirts, woven, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	1 000 pieces	3 327	3 354	3 381	3 408
							580	581	581	582
							553	577	602	628
							480	490	500	510
							773	801	830	859
							37	38	40	41
							396	397	398	399
							6 146	6 238	6 332	6 427
9	55.08 62.02 B III a) 1	55.08-10; 30; 50; 80 62.02-71	Terry-towelling and similar terry fabrics of cotton: Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen; curtains and other furnishing articles: B. Other: Woven cotton terry fabrics; toilet and kitchen linen of woven cotton terry fabrics	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	Tonnes	768	780	796	810
							174	200	228	258
							269	290	305	328
							104	120	137	156
							340	378	421	461
							12	14	16	18
							251	252	253	254
							1 918	2 034	2 156	2 285

Category	CCT heading No	NIMEXE code (1979)	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December			
							1980	1981	1982	1983
10	60.02 A	60.02-40	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized: Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, impregnated or coated with artificial plastic materials	China (*)	D UK	1 000 pairs	1 751 639 ⁽¹⁾	1 804 658	1 858 677	1 913 698
12	60.03 A B I II b) C D	60.03-11; 19; 20; 27; 30; 90	Stockings, under stockings, socks, ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized: Other than women's stockings of synthetic textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	1 000 pairs	841 4 504 307 996 577 18 220	912 4 526 352 1 017 702 23 230	990 4 549 398 1 040 830 25 240	1 077 4 572 446 1 060 962 28 250
14 B	61.01 B V b) 1 2 3	61.01-41; 42; 44; 46; 47	Men's and boys' outer garments: Men's and boys' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, other than those of category 14 A, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D I UK IRL	1 000 pieces	46 19 14 1	47 20 15 1	48 20 15 1	49 21 16 1
15 B	61.02 B II e) 1 aa) bb) cc) 2 aa) bb) cc)	61.02-31; 32; 33; 35; 36; 37; 39; 40	Women's girls' and infants' outer garments: B. Other: Women's, girls' and infants' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes; jackets and blazers, other than garments of category 15 A, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	I IRL	1 000 pieces	23 3	23 3	24 3	25 3

(*) See Appendix.

Category	CCT heading No	NIMEXE code (1979)	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December			
							1980	1981	1982	1983
17	61.01 B V a) 1 2 3	61.01-34; 36; 37	Men's and boy's outer garments: Men's and boys' woven jackets (excluding waister jackets) and blazers, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	I UK	1 000 pieces	21 36.7	21 37.8	22 39.0	23 40.1
18	61.03 B C	61.03-51; 55; 59; 81; 85; 89	Men's and boys' under garments, including collars, shirt fronts and cuffs: Men's and boys' woven under garments other than shirts, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F BNL UK	Tonnes	51 41 12 72	53 42 13 74	55 44 13 76	56 45 14 79
19	61.05 B I III	61.05-30; 99	Handkerchiefs: B. Other: Handkerchiefs of woven fabric, of a value of not more than 15 EUA/kg net weight	China (*)	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	1 000 pieces	13 442 2 558 7 896 11 630 4 552 117 1 635 41 830	13 889 2 910 8 059 11 687 5 156 133 1 668 43 504	14 350 3 305 8 258 11 745 5 730 154 1 702 45 244	14 806 3 737 8 451 11 804 6 347 174 1 735 47 054
23	56.05 B	56.05-51; 55; 61; 65; 71; 75; 81; 85; 91; 95; 99	Yarn of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), not put up for retail sale: B. Of regenerated textile fibres: Yarn of discontinuous or waste regenerated fibres, not put up for retail sale	China	BNL	Tonnes	1 751	1 804	1 858	1 913

(*) See Appendix.

Category	CCT heading No	NIMEXE code (1979)	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December			
							1980	1981	1982	1983
32	ex 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): Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics (other than terry fabrics of cotton and narrow woven fabrics), of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	Tonnes	569 372 275 114 310 35 101 1 776	588 385 290 128 354 35 102 1 882	614 400 306 146 391 35 103 1 995	640 416 322 167 430 36 104 2 115
37	56.07 B	58.04-07; 11; 15; 18; 41; 43; 45; 61; 63; 67; 69; 71; 75; 77; 78	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste): B. Of regenerated textile fibres: Woven fabrics of regenerated textile fibres (discontinuous or waste) other than narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics (including terry fabrics) and chenille fabrics:	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	Tonnes	1 442 467 556 518 573 36 829 4 421	1 491 523 610 535 744 40 833 4 686	1 538 585 666 555 744 43 837 4 968	1 588 650 725 573 842 47 841 5 266
		56.07-37; 42; 44; 48; 52; 53; 54; 57; 58; 62; 63; 64; 66; 72; 73; 74; 77; 78; 82; 83; 84; 87	a) Of which other than unbleached or bleached	China	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	Tonnes	433 142 167 155 170 11 249 1 327	447 161 183 161 192 12 250 1 406	461 181 199 167 218 13 251 1 490	476 203 218 172 244 14 252 1 579
39	62.02 B II a) c) III a) 2 c)	62.02-41; 43; 47; 65; 73; 77	Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen; curtains and other furnishing articles: B. Other: Woven table linen, toilet and kitchen linen, other than of cotton terry fabric	China (*)	D F I BNL UK IRL DK EEC	Tonnes	900 531(*) 444(*) 420 194 19 70 2 578	943 564 472 433 244 24 78 2 758	992 598 500 445 302 27 87 2 951	1 041 636 529 457 371 30 94 3 158

(*) See Appendix.

Category	CCT heading No	NIMEXE code (1979)	Description	Third countries	Member States	Units	Quantitative limits from 1 January to 31 December			
							1980	1981	1982	1983
59	58.02 ex A B ex 59.02 A	58.02-12; 14; 17; 18; 19; 30; 43; 49; 90 59.02-01; 09	Other carpets, carpeting, rugs, mats and matting, and 'Kelem', 'Schumacks' and 'Karamanie' rugs and the like (made up or not); Felt and articles of felt, whether or not impregnated or coated: A. Felt in the piece or simply cut to rectangular shape: Woven, knitted or crocheted carpets, carpeting, rugs, mats and matting, and 'Kelem', 'Schumacks' and 'Karamanie' rugs and the like (made up or not); floor covering, of felt	China	F	Tonnes	152	160	168	176
76	61.01 B I 61.02 B II a)	61.01-13; 15; 17; 19 61.02-12; 14	Men's and boys' outer garments: Women's, girls' and infants' outer garments: B. Other: Men's and boys' woven industrial and occupational clothing; women's, girls' and infants' woven aprons, smock-overalls and other industrial and occupational clothing (whether or not also suitable for domestic use), of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China	F BNL	Tonnes	84 51	88 54	93 57	97 60
78	61.01 A II B III V f) 1 2 3	61.01-09; 24; 25; 26; 92; 94; 96	Men's and boys' outer garments: Men's and boys' woven bath robes, dressing gowns, smoking jackets and similar indoor wear and other outer garments, except garments of categories 6, 14 A, 14 B, 16, 17, 21, 76 and 79, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres	China (*)	F	Tonnes	200	209	220	231

(*) See Appendix.

Appendix to Annex IV

Category	Supplier country	Provisions															
2	China	Possibility of transfer with category 3 of up to 40 % of the category to which the transfer is made, except Benelux, where the category is merged with category 3.															
2 a)	China	The following levels apply to Benelux for the category combined with category 3 a): (tonnes)															
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202	204	206	208														
3	China	Possibility of transfer with category 2 of up to 40 % of the category to which the transfer is made, except Benelux, where the category is merged with category 2.															
3 a)	China	See category 2 a).															
5	China	The following sub-limits apply within the quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex for the Community and the United Kingdom: Jerseys and pullovers of fine wool and animal hair: (pieces)															
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EEC	41 600	43 300	45 000	46 800													
UK	9 400	9 700	10 000	10 400													
6	China	The following sub-limits apply within the quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex for Benelux: Long trousers: (1 000 pieces)															
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1980	1981	1982	1983														
410	420	430	440														
10	China	The quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex include gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted, not elastic or rubberized, of category 11, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres. The following sub-limits apply within the quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex for the United Kingdom: Knitted gloves, mittens and mitts of category 10 (coated or impregnated): (pairs)															
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1980	1981	1982	1983														
20 600	21 200	21 900	22 500														

Category	Supplier country	Provisions																								
19	China	The quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex include cotton handkerchiefs of category 89.																								
39	China	<p>The quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex include bed linen of category 20.</p> <p>The following sub-limits apply within the quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex for France:</p> <p>Household linen other than embroidered:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; text-align: center;"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="4"><i>(tonnes)</i></th> </tr> <tr> <th>1980</th> <th>1981</th> <th>1982</th> <th>1983</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>129</td> <td>137</td> <td>147</td> <td>157</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>The following sub-limits apply within the quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex for Benelux:</p> <p>Bed linen:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; text-align: center;"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="4"><i>(tonnes)</i></th> </tr> <tr> <th>1980</th> <th>1981</th> <th>1982</th> <th>1983</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>32</td> <td>34</td> <td>37</td> <td>39</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	<i>(tonnes)</i>				1980	1981	1982	1983	129	137	147	157	<i>(tonnes)</i>				1980	1981	1982	1983	32	34	37	39
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129	137	147	157																							
<i>(tonnes)</i>																										
1980	1981	1982	1983																							
32	34	37	39																							
78	China	The quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex include other women's outerwear of category 81.																								

For Germany 26 % of all the quantitative limits prescribed in the Annex are reserved for use at the Berlin Fair.

ANNEX V

referred to in Article 3

DOUBLE CHECKING SYSTEM

Article 1

The competent government authorities of China shall issue an export licence in respect of all consignments of textile products subject to the quantitative limits established in Annex IV, up to the level of the said limits and the corresponding shares.

Article 2

1. The export licence shall conform to the specimen appended to Annex VI and may also contain a translation into another language. It must certify *inter alia* that the quantity of goods in question has been set off against the quantitative limit and the share established for the category of the product concerned.

2. Importers shall not be obliged to import the total quantity covered by an import authorization or document in a single consignment.

Article 3

The validity of import authorizations granted by the authorities of the Member States shall be subject to the validity of and the quantities indicated in the export licences issued by the competent authorities of China on the basis of which the import authorizations were granted.

Article 4

Exports shall be set off against the quantitative limits and shares established for the year for which the export licence has been issued.

Article 5

1. The authorities of the Member State designated on the export licence as the country of destination

shall issue an import licence automatically within a maximum of five working days of the presentation by the importer of the original of the corresponding export licence, subject to the provisions of Article 11 of this Regulation.

2. The import authorizations shall be valid for six months.

3. The import authorizations shall be valid only in the Member State which issued them.

4. The importer's declaration or request shall only mention or contain:

- (a) the identification of the importer and exporter;
- (b) the country of origin and possibly the country of export and purchase;
- (c) a description of the product including:
 - its commercial designation,
 - the category of the product,
 - a description of the goods in accordance with the tariff heading and/or the reference number of the nomenclature of goods for the external trade statistics;
- (d) the quantity in the appropriate unit;
- (e) the value;
- (f) possibly dates of payment and delivery and a copy of the bill of lading and of the purchase contract;
- (g) date and number of the export licence;
- (h) any internal code used for administrative purposes;
- (i) date and signature of importer.

Article 6

Import authorizations or equivalent documents shall be issued without discrimination to any importer in the Community wherever the place of his establishment may be in the Community, without prejudice to compliance with the other conditions required under current rules.

Article 7

1. Should the authorities of a Member State find that the total volume covered by the export licences issued by China for a given category exceeds the share established for that category, the said authorities shall suspend the issue of import authori-

zations or equivalent documents and immediately inform both the authorities of China and the Commission.

2. The Commission shall immediately initiate consultations with the authorities of China.

ANNEX VI

FORM AND RULES FOR COMPLETION OF EXPORT LICENCES, SHIPMENT CERTIFICATES AND CERTIFICATES OF ORIGIN; COMMON PROVISIONS

Article 1

Export licences, shipment certificates and certificates of origin shall be made out in English or French.

If they are completed by hand, entries must be in ink and in printscript.

Export licences, shipment certificates and certificates of origin may comprise additional copies duly indicated as such.

The documents shall measure 210 × 297 mm. The paper used must be white writing paper, sized, not containing mechanical pulp and weighing not less than 25 g/m². Each part shall have a printed guilloché-pattern background making any falsification by mechanical or chemical means apparent to the eye. Each document shall bear a serial number, whether or not printed, by which it can be identified.

Article 2

The export licence shipment certificate and the certificate of origin may be issued after the shipment of the products to which they relate. In such cases they

must bear the endorsement 'délivré à posteriori' or 'issued retrospectively'.

Article 3

In the event of theft, loss or destruction of an export licence, shipment certificate or a certificate of origin, the exporter may apply to the competent governmental authority which issued the document for a duplicate to be made out on the basis of the export documents in his possession. The duplicate licence or certificate issued in this way must bear the endorsement 'duplicata' or 'duplicate'.

The duplicate must bear the date of the original licence or certificate.

Article 4

The Commission shall supply the Member States' authorities with the names and addresses of the authorities in China competent to issue certificates of origin and export licences or shipment certificates, together with specimens of stamps used by those authorities.

net weight (kg) and also quantity in the unit prescribed for category where other than net weight - Indiquer le poids net en kilogrammes ainsi que la quantité dans l'unité prévue pour la catégorie si cette unité n'est pas le poids net.
 currency of the sale contract - Dans la monnaie du contrat de vente.

1 Exporter (name, full address, country) Exportateur (nom, adresse complète, pays)	ORIGINAL	2 No
	3 Quota year Année contingentaire	4 Category number Numéro de catégorie
5 Consignee (name, full address, country) Destinataire (nom, adresse complète, pays)	CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN (Textile products) <hr style="width: 20%; margin: auto;"/> CERTIFICAT D'ORIGINE (produits textiles)	
	6 Country of origin Pays d'origine	7 Country of destination Pays de destination
8 Place and date of shipment - Means of transport Lieu et date d'embarquement - Moyen de transport	9 Supplementary details Données supplémentaires	
10 Marks and numbers - Number and kind of packages - Description of goods Marques et numéros - Nombre et nature des colis - Désignation des marchandises	11 Quantity ⁽¹⁾ Quantité ⁽¹⁾	12 FOB Value ⁽²⁾ Valeur fob ⁽²⁾
13 CERTIFICATION BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY - VISA DE L'AUTORITÉ COMPÉTENTE I, the undersigned, certify that the goods described above originated in the country shown in box No 6, in accordance with the provisions in force in the European Economic Community. Je soussigné certifie que les marchandises désignées ci-dessus sont originaires du pays figurant dans la case 6, conformément aux dispositions en vigueur dans la Communauté économique européenne.		
14 Competent authority (name, full address, country) Autorité compétente (nom, adresse complète, pays)	At - À, on - le	

net weight (kg) and also quantity in the unit prescribed for category where other than net weight - Indiquer le poids net en kilogrammes ainsi que la quantité dans l'unité prévue pour la catégorie si cette unité n'est pas le poids net.
 currency of the sale contract - Dans la monnaie du contrat de vente.

1 Exporter (name, full address, country) Exportateur (nom, adresse complète, pays)	ORIGINAL	2 No	
	3 Quota year Année contingentaire	4 Category number Numéro de catégorie	
5 Consignee (name, full address, country) Destinataire (nom, adresse complète, pays)	EXPORT LICENCE (Textile products) <hr style="width: 20%; margin: auto;"/> LICENCE D'EXPORTATION (produits textiles)		
	6 Country of origin Pays d'origine	7 Country of destination Pays de destination	
8 Place and date of shipment - Means of transport Lieu et date d'embarquement - Moyen de transport	9 Supplementary details Données supplémentaires		
10 Marks and numbers - Number and kind of packages - Description of goods Marques et numéros - Nombre et nature des colis - Désignation des marchandises		11 Quantity (1) Quantité (1)	12 FOB Value (2) Valeur fob (2)
13 CERTIFICATION BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY - VISA DE L'AUTORITÉ COMPÉTENTE I, the undersigned, certify that the goods described above have been charged against the quantitative limit established for the year shown in box No 3 in respect of the category shown in box No 4 by the provisions regulating trade in textile products with the European Economic Community. Je soussigné certifie que les marchandises désignées ci-dessus ont été imputées sur la limite quantitative fixée pour l'année indiquée dans la case 3 pour la catégorie désignée dans la case 4 dans le cadre des dispositions régissant les échanges de produits textiles avec la Communauté économique européenne.			
14 Competent authority (name, full address, country) Autorité compétente (nom, adresse complète, pays)		At - À , on - le	

ANNEX VII

1 Exporter (name, full address, country) Exportateur (nom, adresse complète, pays)	ORIGINAL		2 No
	3 Shipment year Année d'embarquement	4 Category number Numéro de catégorie	
5 Consignee (name, full address, country) Destinataire (nom, adresse complète, pays)	SHIPMENT CERTIFICATE (Textile products) <hr/> CERTIFICAT D'EMBARQUEMENT (produits textiles)		
	6 Country of origin Pays d'origine	7 Country of destination Pays de destination	
8 Place and date of shipment – Means of transport Lieu et date d'embarquement – Moyen de transport	9 Supplementary details Données supplémentaires		
10 Marks and numbers – Number and kind of packages – Description of goods Marques et numéros – Nombre et nature des colis – Désignation des marchandises	11 Quantity ⁽¹⁾ Quantité ⁽¹⁾	12 FOB Value ⁽²⁾ Valeur fob ⁽²⁾	
	13 CERTIFICATION BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY – VISA DE L'AUTORITÉ COMPÉTENTE I, the undersigned, certify that the goods described above are intended for export in the framework of the provisions regulating trade in textile products with the European Economic Community. Je soussigné certifie que les marchandises désignées ci-dessus sont destinées à être exportées dans le cadre des dispositions régissant les échanges de produits textiles avec la Communauté économique européenne.		
14 Competent authority (name, full address, country) Autorité compétente (nom, adresse complète, pays)	At – À, on – le		

weight (kg) and also quantity in the unit prescribed for category where other than net weight – Indiquer le poids net en kilogrammes ainsi que la quantité dans l'unité prévue pour la catégorie si cette unité n'est pas le poids net.
quantity of the sale contract – Dans la monnaie du contrat de vente.

*ANNEX VIII***referred to in Article 5 (3)**

1. For the purpose of the Agreement with China, cottage industry and folklore products are defined as follows:
 - (a) garments traditionally made by hand in the cottage industry of China from fabrics and sewn solely by hand without the aid of any machine;
 - (b) other textile articles traditionally made by hand in the cottage industry of China from fabrics woven on hand or foot operated looms; being fabrics of a kind traditionally made in the cottage industry of China, and sewn solely by hand without the aid of any machine;
 - (c) traditional folklore handicraft textile products of China as defined in a list to be agreed between the two Parties.

 2. The provisions of Article 5 (3) apply only in respect of products covered by a certificate conforming to the specimen appended to this Annex and issued by the competent authorities of China.
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Appendix to Annex VIII

<p>1 Exporter (name, full address, country) Exportateur (nom, adresse complète, pays)</p>	<p>ORIGINAL</p>		<p>2 No</p>
<p>3 Consignee (name, full address, country) Destinataire (nom, adresse complète, pays)</p>	<p>CERTIFICATE in regard to TEXTILE HANDICRAFTS and TRADITIONAL TEXTILE PRODUCTS, OF THE COTTAGE INDUSTRY, issued in conformity with and under the conditions regulating trade in textile products with the European Economic Community</p> <hr/> <p>CERTIFICAT relatif aux PRODUITS TEXTILES FAITS À LA MAIN, et aux PRODUITS TEXTILES RELEVANT DU FOLKLORE TRADITIONNEL, DE FABRICATION ARTISANALE, délivré en conformité avec et sous les conditions régissant les échanges de produits textiles avec la Communauté économique européenne</p>		
<p>6 Place and date of shipment – Means of transport Lieu et date d'embarquement – Moyen de transport</p>	<p>4 Country of origin Pays d'origine</p>	<p>5 Country of destination Pays de destination</p>	
<p>8 Marks and numbers – Number and kind of packages – Description of goods Marques et numéros – Nombre et nature des colis – Désignation des marchandises</p>	<p>7 Supplementary details Données supplémentaires</p>		<p>9 Quantity Quantité</p>
		<p>10 FOB Value ⁽¹⁾ Valeur fob ⁽¹⁾</p>	
<p>11 CERTIFICATION BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY – VISA DE L'AUTORITÉ COMPÉTENTE</p> <p>I, the undersigned, certify that the consignment described above includes only the following traditional textile products of the cottage industry of the country shown in box No 4:</p> <p>a) garments obtained manually from fabrics and sewn solely by hand without the aid of any machine ⁽²⁾;</p> <p>b) other textile articles obtained manually from the fabrics woven on hand or foot operated looms and sewn solely by hand without the aid of any machine (handicrafts) ⁽²⁾;</p> <p>c) traditional folklore handicraft textile products as defined in the list agreed between the European Economic Community and the country shown in box No 4.</p> <p>Je soussigné certifie que l'envoi décrit ci-dessus contient exclusivement les produits textiles suivants relevant traditionnellement de la fabrication artisanale du pays figurant dans la case 4:</p> <p>a) vêtements obtenus manuellement à partir de tissus et cousus uniquement à la main sans l'aide d'une machine ⁽²⁾;</p> <p>b) autres articles textiles obtenus manuellement à partir de tissus tissés sur des métiers actionnés à la main ou au pied et cousus uniquement à la main sans l'aide d'une machine (handicrafts) ⁽²⁾;</p> <p>c) produits textiles relevant du folklore traditionnel comme définis dans la liste convenue entre la Communauté économique européenne et le pays indiqué dans la case 4.</p>			
<p>12 Competent authority (name, full address, country) Autorité compétente (nom, adresse complète, pays)</p>	<p>At – À, on – le</p>		

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*ANNEX IX***referred to in Article 3 (6)**

1. At the request of a Member State which considers that a given textile product covered by categories 1 to 114 set out in Annex I is being imported from China at prices lower than those generally charged for like products, sold under normal commercial conditions by other exporting countries on the market of the Member State concerned, the Commission may request that consultations should be initiated with China.
 2. The Member State requesting the application of this provision shall communicate the facts justifying the measure to the Commission.
 3. In critical circumstances, the competent authorities of Member States may suspend the issue of import authorizations or import documents until such time as a mutually acceptable solution is found within the framework of the consultations specified in paragraph 1.
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