

COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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Brussels, 13 June 1980

Proposal for a

COUNCIL DECISION

altering certain import quotas laid down by Decision 80/158/EEC
for textile products originating in State-trading countries

(submitted to the Council by the Commission)

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

1. During the preparatory work carried out in 1979 on fixing the import quotas to be opened by Member States in respect of state-trading countries in 1980, the Benelux countries, the Federal Republic of Germany, France, Italy and the United Kingdom requested, inter alia, increases in quotas for textile products in categories 1 to 8.

The Commission considered, however, that the proposed increases might cause the internal global ceilings fixed for 1980 under the commercial policy on textiles to be exceeded. With a view to studying more thoroughly the question of these increases, the Commission decided not to include them in the proposal which it presented to the Council on 20 November 1979 (COM(79)662 final) concerning the quotas to be laid down for 1980.

2. The study subsequently carried out by the Commission⁽¹⁾ showed that taking into account the appreciable reductions in some of Italy's initial requests, the economic impact of the total increases requested in relation to the internal global ceilings - both Community and national - was slight. There was also evidence that the introduction of these new import opportunities would have a favourable effect on Community's exports to the non-member countries concerned.

3. For these reasons, the Commission considers it advisable, taking everything into consideration, that the increases requested be granted.

In proposing these measures, the Commission wishes however to underline that in its commercial policy on textiles the Community must ensure consistency in the treatment of the various supplier countries.

4. The Commission proposes therefore that the Council :
- adopt the decision, the draft of which annexed hereto;
- authorize its publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

(1) At the request of certain Member States, this matter was discussed in the Article 113 Committee (Textiles)

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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 Council Decision 75/210/EEC of 27 March 1975 on unilateral
import arrangements in respect of State-trading countries (1) and in particular
Article 8, second paragraph, thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the Benelux countries, the Federal Republic of Germany, France,
Italy and the United Kingdom have requested that the quota arrangements
for imports from State-trading countries in 1980 should include, inter alia,
increases in certain quotas for textile products in categories 1 to 8;

(1) OJ Nr L 99, 21.4.1975, p.7

whereas Council Decision 80/158/EEC of 20 December 1979 (1) amending for 1980 import quotas laid down by Decision 75/210/EEC could not provide for increases in the quotas in question, as they had first to be thoroughly examined within the framework of the Community's commercial policy on textiles so as to ensure consistency in the treatment of the various third country suppliers;

whereas, because of their relatively modest economic impact, the amendments requested do not raise any special problems and whereas they are likely to favour the development of trade with the third countries concerned,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

The import quotas relating to certain textile categories listed in the Annexes to Decision 80/158/EEC are hereby amended as shown in the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels,

For the Council,

The President,



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f) Tekstilvarer - f) Textilwaren - f) Textile products - f) Produits textiles
 f) Prodotti tessili - f) Textielprodukten

ALBANIEN - ALBANIA - ALBANIE - ALBANIË

Kategori Kategorie Category Catégorie Categoria Categorie	Medlemslande Mitgliedstaaten Member States Etats membres Stati membri Lid-Staten	Enhed Einheiten Units Unités Unità Eenheid	Mængde - Menge - Quantity Quantité-Quantità-Hoeveelheid	
			Gammelt - Alt Old - Ancien Vecchio- Oud	Nyt - Neu New - Nouveau Nuovo - Nieuw
1	I	tonnellate	200	290
2	I	tonnellate	250	350
4	I	1.000 pezzi	50	110
6	F	1.000 pièces	210	260
	I	1.000 pezzi	10	110
7	D	1.000 Stück	1,3	2
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6	BNL	1.000 pièces stuks	678	721

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g) Tekstilvarer - g) Textilwaren - g) Textile products - g) Produits textiles

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HONGRIE - HONGARIJE

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6	BNL	1.000 pièces stukks	1.008 1.147	1.172 1.235

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h) Tekstilvarer - h) Textilwaren - h) Textile products - h) Produits textiles

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TSCHECHOSLOWAKEI - CZECHOSLOVAKIA - TCHECOSLOVAQUIE -

TSJECHOSLOWAKIJE

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2	D	Tonnen	2.189	2.254
5	UK	1.000 pieces	37-185	37:5
8	D	1.000 Stück	304	330
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2	BNL	tonnes/ton	-	80

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2	D	Tonnen	1.150	1.173
	I	tonnellate	650	750

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g) Tekstilvarer - g) Textilwaren - g) Textile products - g) Produits textiles
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German Democratic Republic

République Démocratique Allemande - Republica Democratica Tedesca

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3	F	tonnes	-	50
3	I	tonnellate	10	20
5	F	1.000 pièces	10	40
	UK	1.000 pieces	90:450	91
6	F	1.000 pièces	21	30
	I	1.000 pezzi	10	20
8	F	1.000 pièces	2	10
	I	1.000 pezzi	10	20

