2000 and extends through December 31, 2000.

Effective on September 20, 2000, you are directed to adjust the current limits for the following categories, as provided for under the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing:

| Category | Adjusted twelve-month limit ¹ |
|--------------------|--|
| 340/640 347/348 | 1,665,473 dozen. 2,101,601 dozen. |
| 351/651 | 367,359 dozen. |
| 443 | 77,312 numbers. |
| 448 | 51.084 dozen. |

¹The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 1999.

The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements has determined that these actions fall within the foreign affairs exception of the rulemaking provisions of 5 U.S.C. 553(a)(1).

Sincerely,

Richard B. Steinkamp,

Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. [FR Doc. 00–24023 Filed 9–18–00; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–DR-F

COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Adjustment of Import Limits for Certain Cotton, Wool and Man-Made Fiber Textiles and Textile Products and Silk Blend and Other Vegetable Fiber Apparel Produced or Manufactured in Malaysia

September 14, 2000.

AGENCY: Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements (CITA).

ACTION: Issuing a directive to the Commissioner of Customs adjusting limits.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 19, 2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ross Arnold, International Trade Specialist, Office of Textiles and Apparel, U.S. Department of Commerce, (202) 482– 4212. For information on the quota status of these limits, refer to the Quota Status Reports posted on the bulletin boards of each Customs port, call (202) 927–5850, or refer to the U.S. Customs website at http://www.customs.gov. For information on embargoes and quota reopenings, call (202) 482–3715.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority: Section 204 of the Agricultural Act of 1956, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1854); Executive Order 11651 of March 3, 1972, as amended. The current limits for certain categories are being adjusted for swing, special swing, special shift, carryover, carryforward and the recrediting of unused carryforward.

A description of the textile and apparel categories in terms of HTS numbers is available in the CORRELATION: Textile and Apparel Categories with the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (see **Federal Register** notice 64 FR 71982, published on December 22, 1999). Also see 64 FR 62657, published on November 17, 1999.

Richard Steinkamp,

Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

September 14, 2000.

Commissioner of Customs,

Department of the Treasury, Washington, DC 20229.

Dear Commissioner: This directive amends, but does not cancel, the directive issued to you on November 8, 1999, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive concerns imports of certain cotton, wool and man-made fiber textiles and textile products and silk blend and other vegetable fiber apparel, produced or manufactured in Malaysia and exported during the period beginning on January 1, 2000 and extending through December 31, 2000.

Effective on September 19, 2000, you are directed to adjust the limits for the following categories, as provided for under the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing:

| Category | Adjusted twelve-month limit ¹ |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Sublevels within Fabric Group | |
| 619 | 6,978,078 square me- ters. |
| 620 | 8,554,077 square me- ters. |
| Other specific limits | |
| 200 | 374,953 kilograms. |
| 331/631 | 2,845,571 dozen pairs. |
| 336/636 | 636,606 dozen. |
| 338/339 | 1,428,717 dozen. |
| 341/641 | 2,112,120 dozen |
| 347/348 | 611,911 dozen. |
| 350/650 | 152,842 dozen. |
| 351/651 | 401,974 dozen. |
| 445/446 | 34,119 dozen. |
| 604 | 1,806,331 kilograms. |
| 638/639 | 613,797 dozen. |
| 645/646 | 330,399 dozen. |
| 647/648 | 2,357,865 dozen of |
| | which not more than |
| | 1,486,940 dozen |
| | shall be in Category |
| | 647–K ² and not |
| | more than 1,486,940 |

dozen shall be in

Category 648-K³.

| Category | Adjusted twelve-month limit ¹ |
|--|--|
| Group II | |
| 201, 222–224, | 49,945,646 square |
| 239pt. 4, 332, 352, | meters equivalent. |
| 359pt. ⁵ , 360–362, | |
| 369pt. ⁶ , 400–431, 433, 434, 436. | |
| 433, 434, 430, 438–O ⁷ , 440, 443, | |
| 444, 447, 448, | |
| 459pt. ⁸ , 464, | |
| 469pt. 9, 600-603, | |
| 606, 607, 618, | |
| 621, 622, 624– | |
| 629, 633, 643, | |
| 644, 649, 652, 659pt. ¹⁰ , 666, | |
| 669pt. ¹¹ , 670, | |
| 831, 833, 834, | |
| 836, 838, 840, | |
| 843-858 and | |
| 859pt. ¹² , as a | |
| group. | |

¹The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 1999.

| 31, 1999. |
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| ² Category 647–K: only HTS numbers 6103.23.0040, 6103.23.0045, 6103.29.1020, 6103.29.1030, 6103.43.1520, 6103.43.1540, 6103.43.1550, 6103.43.1570, 6103.49.1020, 6103.49.1060, 6103.49.8014, 6112.12.0050, 6112.19.1050, 6112.20,.1060 and 6113.00.9044. |
| ³ Category 648–K: only HTS numbers 6104.23.0032, 6104.23.0034, 6104.29.1030, 6104.29.1040, 6104.29.2038, 6104.63.2006, 6104.63.2011, 6104.63.2026, 6104.63.2028, 6104.63.2030, 6104.63.2060, 6104.69.2030, 6104.69.2060, 6104.69.8026, 6112.12.0060, 6112.19.1060, 6112.20.1070, 6113.00.9052 and 6117.90.9070. |
| ⁴ Category 239pt.: only HTS number 6209.20.5040 (diapers). |
| ⁵ Category 359pt.: all HTS numbers except 6406.99.1550. |
| ⁶ Category 369pt.: all HTS numbers except 5601.10.1000, 5601.21.0090, 5701.90.1020, 5701.90.2020, 5702.10.9020, 5702.39.2010, 5702.49.1020, 5702.49.1080, 5702.59.1000, 5702.99.1010, 5702.99.1090, 5705.00.2020 and 6406.10.7700. |
| ⁷ Category 438–O: only HTS numbers 6103.21.0050, 6103.23.0025, 6105.20.1000, 6105.90.1000, 6105.90.8020, 6109.90.1520, 6110.10.2070, 6110.30.1550, 6110.90.9072, 6114.10.0020 and 6117.90.9025. |
| ⁸ Category 459pt.: all HTS numbers except 6405.20.6030, 6405.20.6060, 6405.20.6090, 6405.99.1505 and 6406.99.1560. |
| ⁹ Category 469pt.: all HTS numbers except 5601.29.0020, 5603.94.1010 and 6406.10.9020. |
| ¹⁰ Category 659pt.: all HTS numbers except 6406.99.1510 and 6406.99.1540. ¹¹ Category 669pt.: all HTS numbers except |
| 5601.10.2000, 5601.22.0090, 5607.49.3000, 5607.50.4000 and 6406.10.9040. |
| ¹² Category 859pt.: only HTS numbers 6115.19.8040, 6117.10.6020, 6212.10.5030, 6212.10.9040, 6212.20.0030, 6212.30.0030, 6212.90.0090, 6214.10.2000 and 6214.90.0090. |
| The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements has determined that |

Textile Agreements has determined that these actions fall within the foreign affairs exception of the rulemaking provisions of 5 U.S.C. 553(a)(1).

Sincerely, Richard Steinkamp, Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. [FR Doc. 00-24022 Filed 9-18-00; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510-DR-F

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 00-62]

36(b)(1) Arms Sales Notification

AGENCY: Department of Defense, Defense Security Cooperation Agency. ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense is publishing the unclassified text of a section 36(b)(1) arms sales notification. This is published to fulfill the

requirements of section 155 of P.L. 104-614 dated 21 July 1996.

For further information contact: $\ensuremath{\mathrm{Ms}}.$ J. Hurd, DSCA/COMPT/RM, (703) 604-6575.

The following is a copy of a letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Transmittal 00-62 with attached transmittal and policy justification.

Dated: September 13, 2000.

L. M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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