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.

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# COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

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

November 2, 2000.

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

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

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 7, 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, variously for carryforward, carryforward used, carryover, swing and special shift.

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 68336, published on December 7, 1999.

### Richard B. Steinkamp,

Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

# Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

November 2, 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 December 1, 1999, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive concerns imports of certain cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blend and other vegetable fiber textiles and textile products, produced or manufactured in Thailand and exported during the period which began on January 1, 2000 and extends through December 31, 2000.

Effective on November 7, 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
Levels in Group I	5,596,806 kilograms.
363	26,344,301 numbers.
369–D <sup>2</sup>	297,912 kilograms. 12,184,476 square
613/614/615	meters. 55,897,655 square meters of which not more than 32,944,512 square meters shall be in Categories 613/615 and not more than 32,944,512 square meters shall be in
619	Category 614. 9,161,425 square me-
	ters.
620	9,518,343 square me- ters.
669–P <sup>4</sup>	8,764,290 kilograms.
Group II	
237, 331–348, 350–	371,312,509 square
352, 359–H <sup>5</sup> ,	meters equivalent.
359pt. <sup>6</sup> , 431, 433–	
438, 440, 442–	
448, 459pt. <sup>7</sup> , 631,	
633–652, 659–H <sup>8</sup> ,	
659pt. 9, 831, 833–	
838, 840–858 and	
859pt. 10, as a	
group.	
Sublevels in Group II	
331/631	2,268,102 dozen pairs.
334/634	717,945 dozen.
335/635/835	592,348 dozen.
338/339	2,653,046 dozen.
340	389,802 dozen.
341/641	938,731 dozen.
347/348/847	1,077,944 dozen.
351/651	323,226 dozen.
435	64,571 dozen.
438	21,315 dozen.
	24,752 dozen.
442	
638/639	2,564,025 dozen.
640	593,719 dozen.
647/648	1,457,982 dozen.

- <sup>1</sup>The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 1999.
- 31, 1999.

  <sup>2</sup> Category 369–D: only HTS numbers 6302.60.0010, 6302.91.0005 and 6302.91.0045.

<sup>3</sup> Category 611–O: all HTS numbers except 5516.14.0005, 5516.14.0025 and 5516.14.0085.

<sup>4</sup>Category 669–P: only HTS numbers 6305.32.0010, 6305.32.0020, 6305.33.0010, 6305.33.0020 and 6305.39.0000.

<sup>5</sup>Category 359–H: only HTS numbers 6505.90.1540 and 6505.90.2060.

<sup>6</sup> Category 359pt.: all HTS numbers except 6505.90.1540, 6505.90.2060 (Category 359–H); and 6406.99.1550.

<sup>7</sup>Category 459pt.: all HTS numbers except 6405.20.6030, 6405.20.6060, 6405.20.6090, 6406.99.1505 and 6406.99.1560.

<sup>8</sup> Category 659–H: only HTS numbers 6502.00.9030, 6504.00.9015, 6504.00.9060, 6505.90.5090, 6505.90.6090, 6505.90.7090 and 6505.90.8090.

<sup>9</sup> Category 659pt.: all HTS numbers except 6502.00.9030, 6504.00.9015, 6504.00.9060, 6505.90.5090, 6505.90.6090, 6505.90.7090, 6505.90.8090 (Category 659–H); 6406.99.1510 and 6406.99.1540.

<sup>10</sup> 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 these actions fall within the foreign affairs exception to the rulemaking provisions of 5 U.S.C. 553(a)(1).

Sincerely,

Richard B. Steinkamp, Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

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# COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Announcement of Import Restraint Limits for Certain Cotton, Wool and Man-Made Fiber Textile Products Produced or Manufactured in the Republic of Turkey

October 27, 2000.

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

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

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 1, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Roy Unger, 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 import restraint limits for textile products, produced or manufactured in Turkey and exported during the period January 1, 2001 through December 31, 2001 are based on limits notified to the Textiles Monitoring Body pursuant to the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing (ATC).

In the letter published below, the Chairman of CITA directs the Commissioner of Customs to establish the 2001 limits. The limits for certain categories have been reduced for carryforward used.

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). Information regarding the 2001 CORRELATION will be published in the Federal Register at a later date.

#### Richard B. Steinkamp,

Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

# **Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements**

October 27, 2000.

Commissioner of Customs,

Department of the Treasury, Washington, DC
20220

Dear Commissioner: Pursuant to section 204 of the Agricultural Act of 1956, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1854); Executive Order 11651 of March 3, 1972, as amended; and the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing (ATC), you are directed to prohibit, effective on January 1, 2001, entry into the United States for consumption and withdrawal from warehouse for consumption of cotton, wool and man-made fiber textile products in the following categories, produced or manufactured in Turkey and exported during the period January 1, 2001 through December 31, 2001, in excess of the following levels of restraint:

Category	Restraint limit	_
Category  Fabric Group 219, 313–O <sup>1</sup> , 314– O <sup>2</sup> , 315–O <sup>3</sup> , 317– O <sup>4</sup> , 326–O <sup>5</sup> , 617, 625/626/627/628/ 629, as a group.	Restraint limit  225,851,478 square meters of which not more than 51,611,668 square meters shall be in Category 219; not more than 63,080,926 square meters shall be in Category 313–O; not more than 36,701,630 square meters shall be in Category 314–O; not more than 49,317,818 square meters shall be in Category 315–O; not more than 51,611,668 square meters shall be in Category 317–O; not more than 57,734,628 square meters shall be in Category 326–O, and not more than 34,407,781 square meters shall be in Category 617.	- 3 3 3 3 3 4 4 6 6 - 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5
Sublevel in Fabric	be in Calegory 617.	5
Group 625/626/627/628/629	23,233,855 square meters of which not more than 9,293,541 square meters shall be in Category 625; not more than 9,293,541 square meters shall be in Category 626; not more than 9,293,541 square meters shall be in Category 627; not more than 9,293,541 square meters shall be in Category 628; and not more than 9,293,541 square meters shall be in Category 628; and not more than 9,293,541 square meters shall be in Category 628.	55 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 6
Limits not in a group 200	Category 629.  2,177,696 kilograms. 10,017,781 kilograms. 457,807 dozen. 1,078,390 dozen. 6,343,877 dozen of which not more than 5,709,490 dozen shall be in Categories 338–S/339–	6 6 8 7 6
340/640	S/638–S/639–S <sup>6</sup> .  1,857,095 dozen of which not more than 528,181 dozen shall be in Categories 340–Y/640–Y <sup>7</sup> .	
341/641	1,833,968 dozen of	

which not more than 641,889 dozen shall be in Categories 341–Y/641–Y<sup>8</sup>.

Category	Restraint limit
342/642 347/348	1,200,472 dozen. 6,531,380 dozen of which not more than 2,271,897 dozen shall be in Cat- egories 347–T/348– T9.
350	643,270 dozen. 1,028,478 dozen. 3,724,660 dozen. 2,162,686 numbers. 2,245,602 kilograms. 1,152,389 square meters of which not more than 806,673 square meters shall be in Category 410.
448 604 611	39,542 dozen. 2,731,552 kilograms. 68,334,865 square meters.

<sup>1</sup> Category 313–O: all HTS numbers except 5208.52.3035, 5208.52.4035 and 5209.51.6032.

<sup>2</sup> Category 314–O: all HTS numbers except 5209.51.6015.

<sup>3</sup>Category 315–O: all HTS numbers except 5208.52.4055.

<sup>4</sup>Category 317–O: all HTS numbers except 5208.59.2085.

<sup>5</sup> Category 326–O: all HTS numbers except 5208.59.2015, 5209.59.0015 and 5211.59.0015.

338-S: <sup>6</sup> Category only HTS numbers 6103.22.0050, 6105.10.0030, 6105.10.0010, 6105.90.8010, 6109.10.0027, 6110.20.1025 6110.20.2040, 6110.20.2065, 6110.90.9068 6112.11.0030 and 6114.20.0005; Category 339-S: only 6104.29.2049, HTS numbers 6104.22.0060 6106.10.0010, 6106.10.0030, 6106.90.2510, 6106.90.3010, 6109.10.0070, 6110.20.1030, 6110.20.2045, 6110.20.2075 6110.90.9070. 6112.11.0040, 6114.20.0010 and 6117.90.9020; Category 638-S: all HTS numbers except 6109.90.1007, 6109.90.1009, 6109.90.1013 and 6109.90.1025; Category HTS all numbers except 6109.90.1050, 6109.90.1060, 6109.90.1065 and 6109.90.1070.

<sup>7</sup>Category 340–Y: only HTS numbers 6205.20.2015, 6205.20.2020, 6205.20.2046, 6205.20.2050 and 6205.20.2060; Category 640–Y: only HTS numbers 6205.30.2020, 6205.30.2060.

<sup>8</sup>Category 341–Y: only HTS numbers 6204.22.3060, 6206.30.3010, 6206.30.3030 and 6211.42.0054; Category 641–Y: only HTS numbers 6204.23.0050, 6204.29.2030, 6206.40.3010 and 6206.40.3025.

<sup>9</sup> Category 347-T: only HTS numbers 6103.19.2015, 6103.19.9020, 6103.22.0030, 6103.42.1020, 6103.49.8010 6103.42.1040, 6112.11.0050, 6113.00.9038, 6203.19.1020, 6203.19.9020, 6203.22.3020, 6203.42.4005, 6203.42.4015, 6203.42.4010, 6203.42.4025 6203.42.4035, 6203.42.4045, 6203.49.8020, 6210.40.9033 6211.20.1520, 6211.20.3810 and 6211.32.0040; Category 348–T: only HTS numbers 6104.12.0030, 6104.19.8030, 6104.22.0040, 6104.62.2006, 6104.62.2028, 6104.29.2034, 6104.62.2011, 6104.62.2026, 6104.69.8022 6112.11.0060 6113.00.9042 6117.90.9060. 6204.12.0030. 6204.19.8030, 6204.62.3000, 6204.62.4020, 6204.22.3040, 6204.29.4034, 6204.62.4005 6204.62.4010. 6204.62.4040, 6204.62.4050, 6204.62.4030 6204.69.9010. 6204.69.6010, 6210.50.9060 6211.20.6810, 6211.20.1550. 6211.42.0030 and 6217.90.9050.

<sup>10</sup> Category 369–S: only HTS number 6307.10.2005.

The limits set forth above are subject to adjustment pursuant to the provisions of the ATC and administrative arrangements notified to the Textiles Monitoring Body.

Products in the above categories exported during 2000 shall be charged to the applicable category limits for that year (see directive dated November 9, 1999) to the extent of any unfilled balances. In the event the limits established for that period have been exhausted by previous entries, such products shall be charged to the limits set forth in this directive.

In carrying out the above directions, the Commissioner of Customs should construe entry into the United States for consumption to include entry for consumption into the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico.

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.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

# National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research

**AGENCY:** Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice of Proposed Funding Priorities for Fiscal Years 2001–2002 for a National Center on Accessible Education-Based Information Technology, the Disability and Business Technical Assistance Centers, and a Traumatic Brain Injury Data Collection Center.

**SUMMARY:** We propose funding priorities for a National Center on Accessible Education-Based Information Technology, the Disability and Business Technical Assistance Centers (DBTACs),

and a Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) Data Collection Center under the National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research (NIDRR) for fiscal years (FY) 2001–2002. We take this action to focus research attention on areas of national need. We intend these priorities to improve the rehabilitation services and outcomes for individuals with disabilities. This notice contains proposed priorities under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Technical Assistance Projects and the Disability and Rehabilitation Research Projects and Centers Program.

**DATES:** We must receive your comments on or before December 7, 2000.

ADDRESSES: All comments concerning these proposed priorities should be addressed to Donna Nangle, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., room 3414, Switzer Building, Washington, DC. 20202–2645. Comments may also be sent through the Internet: donna\_nangle@ed.gov

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Donna Nangle. Telephone: (202) 205–5880. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the TDD number at (202) 205–4475.

Individuals with disabilities may obtain this document in an alternate format (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, or computer diskette) on request to the contact person listed in the preceding paragraph.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### **Invitation To Comment**

We invite you to submit comments regarding these proposed priorities.

We invite you to assist us in complying with the specific requirements of Executive Order 12866 and its overall requirement of reducing regulatory burden that might result from these proposed priorities. Please let us know of any further opportunities we should take to reduce potential costs or increase potential benefits while preserving the effective and efficient administration of the program.

During and after the comment period, you may inspect all public comments about these priorities in Room 3414, Switzer Building, 330 C Street SW., Washington, DC, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday of each week except Federal holidays.

## Assistance To Individuals With Disabilities in Reviewing the Rulemaking Record

On request, we will supply an appropriate aid, such as a reader or print magnifier, to an individual with a

disability who needs assistance to review the comments or other documents in the public rulemaking record for these proposed priorities. If you want to schedule an appointment for this type of aid, you may call (202) 205–8113 or (202) 260–9895. If you use a TDD, you may call the Federal Information Relay Service at 1–800–877–8339.

#### Goals 2000: Educate America Act

The Goals 2000: Educate America Act (Goals 2000) focuses the Nation's education reform efforts on the eight National Education Goals and provides a framework for meeting them. Goals 2000 promotes new partnerships to strengthen schools and expands the Department's capacities for helping communities to exchange ideas and obtain information needed to achieve the goals.

These proposed priorities would address the National Education Goal that every adult American will be literate and will possess the knowledge and skills necessary to compete in a global economy and exercise the rights and responsibilities of citizenship.

The authority for the programs to establish research priorities by reserving funds to support particular research activities is contained in sections 202(g) and 204 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. 762(g) and 764). Regulations governing these programs are found in 34 CFR part 350.

We will announce the final priorities in a notice in the Federal Register. We will determine the final priorities after considering responses to this notice and other information available to the Department. This notice does not preclude us from proposing or funding additional priorities, subject to meeting applicable rulemaking requirements.

**Note:** This notice does *not* solicit applications. In any year in which we choose to use these proposed priorities, we invite applications through a notice published in the **Federal Register**. When inviting applications we designate each priority as absolute.

The proposed priorities refer to NIDRR's Long Range Plan (the Plan). The Plan can be accessed on the World Wide Web at: http://www.ed.gov/legislation/FedRegister/other/1999–12/68576.html.

## Priorities on the ADA and Accessible Education-Based Information Technology (IT)

Public Law 101–336, the Americans with Disability Act (ADA), enacted on July 26, 1990, prohibits discrimination against individuals with disabilities in employment, public accommodations,