

COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Adjustment of Import Limits for Certain Cotton, Man-Made Fiber, Silk Blend and Other Vegetable Fiber Textile Products Produced or Manufactured in Sri Lanka

December 1, 1997.

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

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 8, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Helen L. LeGrande, 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 or call (202) 927-5850. For information on embargoes and quota re-openings, call (202) 482-3715.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority: Executive Order 11651 of March 3, 1972, as amended; section 204 of the Agricultural Act of 1956, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1854); Uruguay Round Agreements Act.

The current limits for certain categories are being adjusted, variously, for swing and carryforward. In a previous notice, Category 369-S was reduced for swing to Categories 352/652. That reduction to Category 369-S is being cancelled and, instead, the limit for Category 840 is being reduced to account for the swing to Categories 352/652. As a result, the 1997 adjusted limit for Categories 352/652 remains unchanged.

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 61 FR 66263, published on December 17, 1996). Also see 61 FR 68246, published on December 27, 1996.

The letter to the Commissioner of Customs and the actions taken pursuant to it are not designed to implement all of the provisions of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act and the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing, but are designed to assist only in the

implementation of certain of their provisions.

Troy H. Cribb,
Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

December 1, 1997.

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 20, 1996, 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 Sri Lanka and exported during the period which began on January 1, 1997 and extends through December 31, 1997.

Effective on December 8, 1997, you are directed to adjust the limits for the following categories, as provided for under the Uruguay Round Agreements Act and the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing:

Category	Adjusted twelve-month limit ¹
314	5,198,149 square meters.
363	10,648,762 numbers.
369-D ²	523,786 kilograms.
369-S ³	889,698 kilograms.
840	148,203 dozen.

¹ The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 1996.

² Category 369-D: only HTS numbers 6302.60.0010, 6302.91.0005 and 6302.91.0045.

³ Category 369-S: only HTS number 6307.10.2005.

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,

Troy H. Cribb,
Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

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COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Denial of Participation in the Special Access Program

December 1, 1997.

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

ACTION: Issuing a directive to the Commissioner of Customs denying the

right to participate in the Special Access Program.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 1, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lori E. Mennitt, International Trade Specialist, Office of Textiles and Apparel, U.S. Department of Commerce, (202) 482-3400.

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 Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements (CITA) has determined that Quitman Manufacturing Company (Quitman) has violated the requirements for participation in the Special Access Program, and has suspended Quitman from participation in the Program for the period December 1, 1997 through February 28, 1998.

Through the letter to the Commissioner of Customs published below, CITA directs the Commissioner to prohibit entry of products under the Special Access Program by or on behalf of Quitman during the period December 1, 1997 through February 28, 1998, and to prohibit entry by or on behalf of Quitman under the Program of products manufactured from fabric exported from the United States during that period.

Requirements for participation in the Special Access Program are available in **Federal Register** notices 51 FR 21208, published on June 11, 1986; 52 FR 26057, published on July 10, 1987; 54 FR 50425, published on December 6, 1989; and 62 FR 49206, published on September 19, 1997.

Troy H. Cribb,
Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

December 1, 1997.

Commissioner of Customs,
Department of the Treasury, Washington, DC 20229.

Dear Commissioner: The purpose of this directive is to notify you that the Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements has suspended the Quitman Manufacturing Company (Quitman) from participation in the Special Access Program for the period December 1, 1997 through February 28, 1998. You are therefore directed to prohibit entry of products under the Special Access Program by or on behalf of Quitman during the period December 1, 1997 through February 28, 1998. You are further directed to prohibit entry of products under the Special Access Program by or on behalf of Quitman manufactured from fabric exported from the United States during the period December 1, 1997 through February 28, 1998.

Sincerely,
Troy H. Cribb,
*Chairman, Committee for the Implementation
of Textile Agreements.*

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, DoD

ACTION: Notice to Add a System of Records.

SUMMARY: The Office of the Secretary proposes to add a system of records notice to its existing inventory of record systems subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended. The system is identified as DHA 08, Health Affairs Survey Data Base.

DATES: This proposed action will be effective without further notice on January 5, 1998 unless comments are received which result in a contrary determination.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to OSD Privacy Act Coordinator, Washington Headquarters Services, Correspondence and Directives Directorate, Directives and Records Division, 1155 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-1155.
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. David Bosworth at (703) 695-0970 or DSN 225-0970.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Office of the Secretary systems of records notices subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, have been published in the **Federal Register** and are available from the address above.

The proposed system report, as required by 5 U.S.C. 552a(r) of the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, was submitted on November 21, 1997, to the House Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, the Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs, and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) pursuant to paragraph 4c of Appendix I to OMB Circular No. A-130, 'Federal Agency Responsibilities for Maintaining Records About Individuals,' dated February 8, 1996, (February 20, 1996, 61 FR 6427).

Dated: November 1997.

L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

DHA 08

SYSTEM NAME:

Health Affairs Survey Data Base.

SYSTEM LOCATION:

Primary location: Directorate of Information Management, Fort Detrick, MD 21702-5020.

Secondary locations: Survey distribution and response tracking files are located at the contractor facilities.

Survey result data files are located at the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Health Affairs), the Commanders and Intermediate Commanders of the Services Medical Treatment Facilities, the Surgeons General of the Military Services and Regional Managers of TRICARE facilities. The addresses for the secondary locations may be obtained from the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Health Budgets and Programs), Five Skyline Place, Suite 810, 5111 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA 22041-3206.

CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:

Annual Beneficiary Survey: Individuals eligible for health care under Title 10 (including active duty personnel, reserve personnel and their family members (dependents); retired Armed Forces personnel and their family members; surviving dependents of deceased active duty and retired personnel; and certain others including individuals and their dependents affiliated with the U.S. Coast Guard, U.S. Public Health Service and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

Customer Satisfaction Survey: Active duty members of the Armed Forces, civilian personnel, and contract personnel serving as health care providers for individuals eligible for health care under Title 10 in military medical and dental treatment facilities and other treatment settings.

CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

Annual Beneficiary Survey: Name, rank, age, gender, race, address, sponsor Social Security Number and family member prefix code of individuals who will be surveyed; verification that a survey has been completed and returned by the individual; and response data from the completed surveys.

Customer Satisfaction Survey: Medical and dental care provider name, provider type, specialty and rank; medical treatment facility, and clinic where care was provided; and response data from the completed surveys.

AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:

5 U.S.C. 301, Departmental Regulations; 10 U.S.C. 138, Assistant Secretaries of Defense; 10 U.S.C. 1071 (NOTE); 10 U.S.C. Chapter 55; and E.O. 9397 (SSN).

PURPOSE(S):

Annual Beneficiary Survey: The survey collects information concerning beneficiary attitudes, perceptions, and opinions about their individual health and health care (including access to care, health status, use of care, familiarity with programs and services available, and satisfaction with care received) in order to assess, plan, evaluate, and improve quality, efficiency, convenience and cost effectiveness of health care services. This process includes analyses of information related to special interest health care subjects, including health status, in order to validate current and/or forecast future health care needs or to implement plans in response to new health care requirements. Retaining beneficiary specifics allows for individual follow-up to improve response rates; scientific analysis of the data; and to validate survey responses by comparing responses to independent sources of data.

Customer Satisfaction Survey: The survey collects information concerning beneficiary attitudes, perceptions, and opinions about health care provided during specific visits (including access to care, quality of care, satisfaction with how care was delivered, satisfaction with the specific care provider, and satisfaction with care received) in order to assess, plan, evaluate, and improve quality, efficiency, convenience and cost effectiveness of health care services. This process includes analyses of information related to special interest health care subjects, including health status, in order to validate current and/or forecast future health care needs or to implement plans in response to new health care requirements. Specific care provider information is analyzed in order to alert medical authorities to potential problem areas where additional educational and corrective measures may be required in order to improve customer satisfaction.

ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSE OF SUCH USES:

In addition to those disclosures generally permitted under 5 U.S.C. 552a(b) of the Privacy Act, these records may specifically be disclosed outside the DoD as a routine use pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(b)(3) as follows:

The 'Blanket Routine Uses' set forth at the beginning of OSD's compilation of systems of records notices apply to this system.