

PROTOCOL 1
ON TEXTILE AND CLOTHING PRODUCTS

ARTICLE 1

This Protocol applies to the textile and clothing products (hereinafter "textile products") listed in Section XI (Chapter 50 to 63) of the combined nomenclature of the Community.

ARTICLE 2

1. Textile products falling within Section XI (Chapter 50 to 63) of the combined nomenclature and originating in the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia as defined in Protocol 4 of this Agreement will enter into the Community free of customs duties on the day of entry into force of this Agreement.
2. The duties applied to direct imports into the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia of textile products falling within Section XI (Chapter 50 to 63) of the combined nomenclature and originating in the Community as defined in Protocol 4 of the Agreement, shall be abolished on the date of entry into force of Agreement except for products listed in Annex I to this Protocol for which the rates of duties shall be progressively reduced as provided therein.
3. Subject to this Protocol, the provisions of the Agreement and in particular Articles 19 and 34 of the Agreement shall apply to trade in textile products between the Parties.

ARTICLE 3

The double-checking arrangements and other related issues regarding exports of textile products originating in the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia to the Community and originating in the Community to the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia are stipulated in the Agreement between the European Community and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia on trade in textile products as renewed and applied since 1 January 2000.

ARTICLE 4

From the entry into force of this Agreement, no new quantitative restrictions or measures of equivalent effect shall be imposed except as provided for under the above Agreement and its Protocols.

CUSTOMS DUTIES REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 2(2)

Customs duties on imports into the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia of textile products listed in this Annex and originating in the Community shall be progressively reduced in accordance with the following timetable:

- on 1 January of the first year after the entry into force of the Agreement each duty shall be reduced to 70% of the basic duty;
- on 1 January of the second year after the entry into force of the Agreement each duty shall be reduced to 63% of the basic duty;
- on 1 January of the third year after the entry into force of the Agreement each duty shall be reduced to 56% of the basic duty;
- on 1 January of the fourth year after the entry into force of the Agreement each duty shall be reduced to 49% of the basic duty;
- on 1 January of the fifth year after the entry into force of the Agreement each duty shall be reduced to 42% of the basic duty;
- on 1 January of the sixth year after the entry into force of the Agreement each duty shall be reduced to 35% of the basic duty;

- on 1 January of the seventh year after the entry into force of the Agreement each duty shall be reduced to 28% of the basic duty;
- on 1 January of the eighth year after the entry into force of the Agreement each duty shall be reduced to 21% of the basic duty;
- on 1 January of the ninth year after the entry into force of the Agreement each duty shall be reduced to 14% of the basic duty;
- on 1 January of the tenth year after the entry into force of the Agreement the remaining duties shall be abolished.

List of products for which the rates shall be reduced:

500710	520544	520911	521159	540500
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511290	520644	521031	540210	540783
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	520710	521039	540231	540791
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