

Dated: October 20, 1998.

**Ann D. Terbush,**

*Chief, Permits and Documentation Division,  
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**COMMITTEE FOR THE  
IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE  
AGREEMENTS**

**Adjustment of an Import Limit and  
Sublimit for Certain Cotton Textile  
Products Produced or Manufactured in  
the People's Republic of China**

October 19, 1998.

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

**ACTION:** Issuing a directive to the  
Commissioner of Customs increasing a  
limit and sublimit.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** October 23, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
Janet Heinzen, 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:** 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 limit for Categories 338/  
339 and sublimit for Categories 338-S/  
339-S are being increased for swing.

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 62 FR 66057,  
published on December 17, 1997). Also  
see 62 FR 67827, published on  
December 30, 1997.

**D. Michael Hutchinson,**

*Acting Chairman, Committee for the  
Implementation of Textile Agreements.*

**Committee for the Implementation of Textile  
Agreements**

October 19, 1998.

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 22, 1997, 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 China and  
exported during the twelve-month period  
which began on January 1, 1998 and extends  
through December 31, 1998.

Effective on October 23, 1998, you are  
directed to increase the limit and sublimit for  
the following categories, as provided for  
under the terms of the current bilateral textile  
agreement between the Governments of the  
United States and the People's Republic of  
China:

Category	Adjusted twelve-month limit <sup>1</sup>
338/339 .....	2,484,898 dozen of which not more than 1,798,427 dozen shall be in Cat- egories 338-S/339- S <sup>2</sup> .

<sup>1</sup>The limits have not been adjusted to ac-  
count for any imports exported after December  
31, 1997.

<sup>2</sup>Category 338-S: all HTS numbers except  
6109.10.0012, 6109.10.0014, 6109.10.0018,  
and 6109.10.0023; Category 339-S: all HTS  
numbers except 6109.10.0040, 6109.10.0045,  
6109.10.0060 and 6109.10.0065.

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,

D. Michael Hutchinson,

*Acting Chairman, Committee for the  
Implementation of Textile Agreements.*

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**COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING  
COMMISSION**

**Sunshine Act Meeting**

**AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING:**  
Commodity Futures Trading  
Commission.

**TIME AND DATE:** 2:00 p.m., Wednesday,  
October 28, 1998.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., N.W., Washington,  
D.C., 9th Floor Conference Room.

**STATUS:** Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**  
Enforcement Matters.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:**  
Jean A. Webb, 202-418-5100.

**Jean A. Webb,**  
*Secretary of the Commission.*

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**CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY  
COMMISSION**

**Sunshine Act Meeting**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Consumer Product Safety  
Commission, Washington, DC 20207.

**TIME AND DATE:** Wednesday, November  
4, 1998, 3:00 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Room 410 B/C, East West  
Towers, 4330 East West Highway,  
Bethesda, Maryland.

**STATUS:** Closed to the Public.

**MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:**

*Compliance Status Report*

The staff will brief the Commission on  
the status of various compliance  
matters.

For a recorded message containing the  
latest agenda information, call (301)  
504-0709.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR ADDITIONAL**

**INFORMATION:** Sadye E. Dunn, Office of  
the Secretary, 4330 East West Highway,  
Bethesda, MD 20207, (301) 504-0800.

Dated: October 21, 1998.

**Sadye E. Dunn,**

*Secretary.*

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**CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY  
COMMISSION**

**Sunshine Act Meeting**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Consumer Product Safety  
Commission, Washington, DC 20207.

**TIME AND DATE:** Monday, November 2,  
1998, 2:00 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Room 420 East West Towers,  
4330 East West Highway, Bethesda,  
Maryland.

**STATUS:** Open to the Public.

**MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:**

*FY 1999 Operating Plan*

The staff will brief the Commission on  
issues related to the Commission's  
Operating Plan for Fiscal Year 1999.

For a recorded message containing the  
latest agenda information, call (301)  
504-0709.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR ADDITIONAL**

**INFORMATION:** Sadye E. Dunn, Office of  
the Secretary, 4330 East West Highway,  
Bethesda, MD 20207, (301) 504-0800.

Dated: October 21, 1998.

**Sadye E. Dunn,**

*Secretary.*

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