

TRACTATENBLAD

VAN HET

KONINKRIJK DER NEDERLANDEN

JAARGANG 1970 Nr. 93

A. TITEL

*Overeenkomst tussen de Benelux Economische Unie en Hong Kong
inzake de handel in katoenprodukten, met Bijlage;
Hong Kong, 18 november 1968*

B. TEKST

De tekst van Verdrag en Bijlage is geplaatst in *Trb.* 1969, 22.

G. INWERKINGTREDDING

Zie *Trb.* 1969, 22.

J. GEGEVENS

In overeenstemming met artikel 60, tweede lid, der Grondwet is de Overeenkomst medegedeeld aan de Eerste en de Tweede Kamer der Staten-Generaal bij brieven van 19 mei 1969 (*Bijl. Hand.* II 1968/69 – 10 135, nr. 1).

Op 26 maart 1970 is te Hong Kong ondertekend een Protocol tot verlenging en wijziging van de onderhavige Overeenkomst. De bepalingen van dit Protocol gelden ingevolge het in de eerste alinea gestelde tot 31 december 1970. De tekst van het Protocol luidt als volgt:

**Protocol extending and amending the Agreement between the
Benelux Economic Union and Hong Kong concerning trade in
cotton textiles, excluding yarns, signed in Hong Kong
on 18 November, 1968**

The Agreement, dated 18 November, 1968, shall be extended until 31 December, 1970, subject to the amendments set out in this document.

A) *To Clause 3 of the Agreement the following shall be added:*

a) *Global ceiling*

The total quantity agreed upon for the year 1970 shall be 2450 metric tons.

b) *Ceilings by groups of categories*

The said total quantity shall be apportioned as follows between the two main groups of categories of products:

	Metric tons
Group I. Cotton fabrics, grey or bleached, whether or not mercerised, except pile and chenille fabrics (other than terry fabrics)	430
Group II. Other cotton fabrics, made-up articles and miscellaneous articles of cotton ..	2020

B) *To Clause 4 of the Agreement the following shall be added:*

c) Portions of the ceilings of the two groups not used during the period 1 July, 1968 until 31 December, 1969, may be carried over and added to the ceiling for the same group for the year 1970, up to a maximum of 10% of the ceiling in question calculated on an annual basis.

The unused portions of the specific ceilings by category may be carried over and added to the same specific ceilings for the year 1970 up to a maximum of 10% of the said ceilings calculated on an annual basis if the specific ceilings have not been the subject of a transfer or of a carry-over for some other purpose.

Within the limits of 5% of each of the ceilings agreed upon for the period 1 July, 1968 until 31 December, 1969, calculated on an annual basis, anticipation shall be authorised from the ceilings established for the year 1970.

Amounts delivered in anticipation shall be deducted from the ceilings agreed upon for the year 1970.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned representatives, duly authorised thereto, have signed the present Protocol.

DONE at Hong Kong, this 26th day of March, 1970, in triplicate in the English language.

For the Benelux Economic
Union:

For the Hong Kong Government:
(sd.) T. D. SORBY

For the Government
of the Kingdom of the
Netherlands:

(sd.) J. KNEPPELHOUT

For the Government
of the Kingdom of Belgium:

(sd.) JENEBELLY

For the Government
of the Grand Duchy
of Luxembourg:

(sd.) JENEBELLY

Annex

Amendment to the Annex attached to the Agreement between the Benelux Economic Union and Hong Kong Concerning Trade in Cotton Textiles signed at Hong Kong on 18th November 1968

Additions

Benelux Category Number	Hong Kong Export Classification Number	Hong Kong Description
	ex 654 012	Narrow fabrics, other than of silk and synthetic fibres (other than woven labels, badges and the like)
	ex 654 020	Woven labels, badges and the like, not embroidered, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size
	ex 654 030	Trimmings, tapes and bindings of all fibres (except elastic)
F 2	ex 654 040	Tulle and other net fabrics, plain
F 3	ex 654 051	Other tulle and net fabrics; lace (except cotton lace and lace net)
F 4	654 052	Cotton lace and lace net
	ex 654 060	Embroidery, in the piece, in strips or in motifs (not including embroidered clothing and other embroidered made-up articles)
	ex 655 501	Braided and woven elastics, cotton (excluding knitted or crocheted)
	ex 655 509	Elastic fabrics and trimmings of elastic (excluding knitted or crocheted goods), n.e.s.
	ex 655 810	Wadding and articles of wadding, non-sterile (excluding cellulose wadding)

Uitgegeven de tweeëntwintigste juni 1970.

De Minister van Buitenlandse Zaken a.i.,
DE JONG.