

Executive Order 11651 of March 3, 1972, as amended.

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see 67 FR 57411, published on September 10, 2002.

D. Michael Hutchinson,
Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

March 19, 2003.

Commissioner,
Bureau of Customs and Border Protection,
Washington, DC 20229.

Dear Commissioner: This directive amends, but does not cancel, the directive

issued to you on September 3, 2002, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive concerns imports of certain cotton, wool and man-made fiber textile products, produced or manufactured in the Republic of Turkey and exported during the twelve-month period which began on January 1, 2003 and extends through December 31, 2003.

Effective on March 25, 2003, you are directed to adjust the current limits for the following categories, as provided for under the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing:

Category	Adjusted limit ¹
Fabric Group 219, 313–O ² , 314–O ³ , 315–O ⁴ , 317–O ⁵ , 326–O ⁶ , 617, 625/626/627/ 628/629, as a group	262,848,802 square meters of which not more than 63,646,891 square meters shall be in Category 219; not more than 77,790,644 square meters shall be in Category 313–O; not more than 45,260,011 square meters shall be in Category 314–O; not more than 60,818,144 square meters shall be in Category 315–O; not more than 63,646,891 square meters shall be in Category 317–O; not more than 7,071,875 square meters shall be in Category 326–O, and not more than 42,431,264 square meters shall be in Category 617; Sublevel in Fabric Group 625/626/627/628/629: 28,651,713 square meters of which not more than 11,460,683 square meters shall be in Category 625; not more than 11,460,683 square meters shall be in Category 626; not more than 11,460,683 square meters shall be in Category 627; not more than 11,460,683 square meters shall be in Category 628; and not more than 11,460,683 square meters shall be in Category 629..
Limits not in a group 338/339/638/639	9,356,676 dozen of which not more than 8,421,009 dozen shall be in Categories 338–S/339–S/638–S/639–S ⁷ .
347/348	8,054,420 dozen of which not more than 3,014,519 dozen shall be in Categories 347–T/348–T ⁸ .
351/651	1,444,386 dozen.
361	3,037,261 numbers.
448	44,822 dozen.
604	3,630,786 kilograms.

¹The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 2002.

²Category 313–O: all HTS numbers except 5208.52.3035, 5208.52.4035 and 5209.51.6032.

³Category 314–O: all HTS numbers except 5209.51.6015.

⁴Category 315–O: all HTS numbers except 5208.52.4055.

⁵Category 317–O: all HTS numbers except 5208.59.2085.

⁶Category 326–O: all HTS numbers except 5208.59.2015, 5209.59.0015 and 5211.59.0015.

⁷Category 338–S: only HTS numbers 6103.22.0050, 6105.10.0010, 6105.10.0030, 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 HTS numbers 6104.22.0060, 6104.29.2049, 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 639–S: all HTS numbers except 6109.90.1050, 6109.90.1060, 6109.90.1065 and 6109.90.1070.

⁸Category 347–T: only HTS numbers 6103.19.2015, 6103.19.9020, 6103.22.0030, 6103.42.1020, 6103.42.1040, 6103.49.8010, 6112.11.0050, 6113.00.9038, 6203.19.1020, 6203.19.9020, 6203.22.3020, 6203.42.4005, 6203.42.4010, 6203.42.4015, 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, 6104.29.2034, 6104.62.2006, 6104.62.2011, 6104.62.2026, 6104.62.2028, 6104.69.8022, 6112.11.0060, 6113.00.9042, 6117.90.9060, 6204.12.0030, 6204.19.8030, 6204.22.3040, 6204.29.4034, 6204.62.3000, 6204.62.4005, 6204.62.4010, 6204.62.4020, 6204.62.4030, 6204.62.4040, 6204.62.4050, 6204.69.6010, 6204.69.9010, 6210.50.9060, 6211.20.1550, 6211.20.6810, 6211.42.0030 and 6217.90.9050.

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,
D. Michael Hutchinson,
Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.
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**COMMITTEE FOR THE
IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE
AGREEMENTS**

**Adjustment of Import Limits for Certain
Cotton Textile Products Produced or
Manufactured in the United Arab
Emirates**

March 19, 2003.

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

ACTION: Issuing a directive to the Commissioner, Bureau of Customs and Border Protection adjusting limits.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 25, 2003.

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 Bureau of Customs and Border Protection Web site at <http://www.customs.gov>. For information on embargoes and quota re-openings, refer to the Office of Textiles and Apparel Web site at <http://www.otexa.ita.doc.gov>.

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.

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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 68 FR 1599, published on January 13, 2003). Also see 67 FR 63899, published on October 16, 2002.

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Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

March 19, 2003.

Commissioner,
Bureau of Customs and Border Protection,
Washington, DC 20229.

Dear Commissioner: This directive amends, but does not cancel, the directive issued to you on October 9, 2002, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive concerns imports of certain cotton and man-made fiber textile products, produced or manufactured in the United Arab Emirates and exported during the twelve-month period which began on January 1, 2003 and extends through December 31, 2003.

Effective on March 25, 2003, you are directed to adjust the current limits for the following categories, as provided for under the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing:

Category	Adjusted limit ¹
338/339	1,037,432 dozen of which not more than 654,601 dozen shall be in Categories 338-S/339-S ² .
347/348	770,664 dozen of which not more than 387,826 dozen shall be in Categories 347-T/348-T ³ .

¹ The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 2002.

² Category 338-S: only HTS numbers 6103.22.0050, 6105.10.0010, 6105.10.0030, 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 HTS numbers 6104.22.0060, 6104.29.2049, 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.

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Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

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CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Notice of Availability of Funds for Challenge Grants

AGENCY: Corporation for National and Community Service.

ACTION: Notice of funding availability.

SUMMARY: The Corporation for National and Community Service (hereinafter "the Corporation") announces the availability of approximately \$6,000,000 in fiscal year 2003 funds for eligible nonprofit organizations for challenge grants. The purpose of these challenge grants is to assist nonprofit organizations in securing previously untapped sources of private funds to build sustainable service and volunteer programs. Organizations receiving funds under this notice must either greatly expand services by engaging citizens in meeting community needs or offer new services through expanded citizen engagement. The funds are available for these challenge grants under authority provided of Public Law 108-7, the Omnibus Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2003. The Corporation anticipates

making between 2 and 12 challenge grants under this announcement, with the minimum grant level of \$500,000 and the maximum grant level of \$3,000,000. Applicants must provide at least two dollars in private funding for every Federal dollar. Matching funds must be cash. The Corporation will make awards covering a period not to exceed one year. Eligible nonprofit organizations, including those that have not applied for federal assistance from the Corporation in the past, as well as interested faith-based and community-based organizations, are encouraged to apply. The Corporation requires applicants to apply through its eGrant electronic system.

DATES: The deadline for applications is 11:59 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time on April 10, 2003. However, if for some legitimate reason it is necessary for you to submit a paper application, we must receive it by 5 p.m. on April 10, 2003. We anticipate announcing selections under this Notice no later than June 9, 2003.

ADDRESSES: You may access eGrants, the integrated, secure, Web-based system that we require for applications, through our Web site at <http://www.cns.gov/egrants/index.html>. If you cannot submit an application electronically, then you must obtain the Corporation's approval to submit a paper application. Submit paper application to the following address: Corporation for National and Community Service, 1201 New York Avenue NW., Box C.G., Washington, DC 20525. Due to delays in delivery of regular mail to government offices, there is no guarantee that a paper application sent by regular mail will arrive in time to be considered. We therefore suggest that, if submitting a paper application, you use U.S.P.S. priority mail or a commercial overnight delivery service to make sure that you meet the deadline. We will not accept an application that is submitted via facsimile.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Thea Kachoris at (312) 353-5056 (tkachoris@cns.gov). This Notice, with the complete program application guidelines included, is available on the Corporation's Web site, at: <http://www.cns.gov/whatshot/notices.html>. For a printed copy of any of these materials, please contact Thea Kachoris at (312) 353-5056 (tkachoris@cns.gov). The TDD number is 202-565-2799. Upon request, this information will be made available in alternate formats for people with disabilities.