

**TURKEY - RESTRICTIONS ON IMPORTS OF  
TEXTILE AND CLOTHING PRODUCTS**

Notification of an Appeal by Turkey under  
paragraph 4 of Article 16 of the Understanding on Rules  
and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes (DSU)

The following notification, dated 26 July 1999, sent by Turkey to the Dispute Settlement Body (DSB), is circulated to Members. This notification also constitutes the Notice of Appeal, filed on the same day with the Appellate Body, pursuant to the *Working Procedures for Appellate Review*.

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Pursuant to Article 16.4 of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes and Rule 20 of the Working Procedures for Appellate Review, the Government of Turkey hereby notifies its decision to appeal to the Appellate Body certain issues of law covered in the Report of the Panel on Turkey - Restrictions on Imports of Textile and Clothing Products (WT/DS34/R) and certain legal interpretations developed by the Panel.

The Government of Turkey submits that the Panel erred on law in its interpretation of Article XXIV of GATT 1994 which it applied to the Turkey - EC Customs Union.

The Government of Turkey requests that the Appellate Body reverse the findings and conclusions of the Panel.

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