REGULATION (EEC) No 2923/73 OF THE COMMISSION

of 26 October 1973

re-establishing Common Customs Tariff duties on men's and boys' under garments, including collars, shirt fronts and cuffs, other than of cotton, of heading No ex 61.03 of the Common Customs Tariff, originating in developing countries, to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2629/73 of 26 September 1973 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community;

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2629/73 [1] of 26 September 1973 establishing preferential tariffs in respect of certain textile products originating in developing countries, and in particular Article 4 (2) thereof;

Whereas Article 1 (3) of that Regulation provides that the Common Customs Tariff duties may, for each category of products, be suspended up to a Community ceiling equal to a quarter of the sum resulting from the addition of the total, in metric tons, of the products in question imported into the Community in 1968 from countries listed in Annex B to that Regulation, but excluding products from countries already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and of the quantity, in metric tons, represented by 5 % of importations in 1970 from other countries as well as from countries already covered by such arrangements;

Whereas, in respect of men's and boys' under garments, including collars, shirt fronts and cuffs, other than of cotton, the ceiling, calculated as indicated above, fixed at 30 metric tons;

Whereas on 18 October 1973 importations into the Community of men's and boys' under garments, including collars, shirt fronts and cuffs, other than of cotton originating in developing countries, covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached the said ceiling; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 2629/73, which provides that ceilings should not be exceeded, Common Customs Tariff duties should be restored in respect of the products in question,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 30 October 1973, Common Customs Tariff duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2629/73 of 26 September 1973 shall be restored in respect of the following products, imported into the Community;

CCT heading No	Description of goods
ex 61.03	Men's and boys' under garments, including collars, shirt fronts and cuffs: — Other than of cotton

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 26 October 1973.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

[1] OJ No L 272, 29. 9. 1973, p. 8.