REGULATION (EEC) No 2888/74 OF THE COMMISSION

of 19 November 1974

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale, falling within subheading 55.05 B I, originating in developing countries to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 3503/73 of 18 December 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 3503/73 [1] of 18 December 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 customs duties may, for each category of products, be suspended up to a Community ceiling equal to 150% the sum arrived at by adding together the metric tonnage of the products in question, imported into the Community in 1968 and coming from countries listed in Annex B to that Regulation, but not including products coming from countries already covered by various preferential tariff arrangements established by the Community, and 5% of the 1970 metric tonnage of such imports coming from other countries and from countries already covered by such arrangements; whereas Article 2 (1) of that Regulation provides that customs duties may be re-established at any time once the Community ceiling has been reached;

Whereas in respect of cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale falling within subheading 55.05 B I, the ceiling, calculated as indicated above should be 30 metric tons; whereas on 15 November 1974 the amounts of imports into the Community of the products in question, originating in countries covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that ceiling; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 3503/73, which provides that the ceiling should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 23 November 1974, customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3503/73 of 18 December 1973, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community:

CCT heading No	Description of goods
55.05	Cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale: B. Other: I. Measuring, per single yarn, 120 000 or more per kg

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, 19 November 1974.

For the Commission

The President

François-Xavier ORTOLI

[1] OJ No L 358, 28. 12. 1973, p. 69.