COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 759/81

of 24 March 1981

re-establishing the levying of customs duties on handkerchiefs, products of category 89 (code 0890), originating in Thailand, to which the preferential tariff arrangements set out in Council Regulation (EEC) No 3320/80 apply

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3320/80 of 16 December 1980 opening, allocating and providing for the administration of Community tariff preferences for textile products originating in developing countries and territories [1], and in particular Article 4 thereof,

Whereas Article 2 (1) of that Regulation provides that customs duties may, for each category of products, be suspended up to a Community ceiling which is indicated in column 6 of Annex B, for each of the beneficiaries indicated in column 5 of the same Annex;

Whereas Article 3 (1) of that Regulation provides that the levying of customs duties may be re-established at any time in respect of imports of the products in question originating in any of the said countries and territories, once the relevant Community ceiling has been reached;

Whereas, in respect of handkerchiefs, products of category 89, the ceiling should be 60 180 pieces; whereas on 14 March 1981 the amount of imports into the Community of handkerchiefs, products of category 89, originating in Thailand, a country covered by preferential tariff arrangements, reached that ceiling; whereas, bearing in mind the objectives of Regulation (EEC) No 3320/80 which provides that the ceiling should not be exceeded, customs duties should be re-established in respect of the products in question in relation to Thailand,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

As from 29 March 1981, the levying of customs duties, suspended in pursuance of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3320/80, shall be re-established in respect of the following products, imported into the Community and originating in Thailand:

Code	Category	CCT heading No	NIMEXE code (1981)	Description
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
0890	89	61.05 A	61.05-20	Handkerchiefs: A. Of woven cotton fabric of a value of more than 15 EUA/kg net weight

Article 2

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

[1] OJ No L 354, 29. 12. 1980, p. 1.

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

Done at Brussels, 24 March 1981.

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