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The Secretary Trade Development Authority of Pakistan <u>Karachi.</u>

## Subject: Partial Withdrawal of EBA Trade Preferences from Cambodia

I am directed to refer to the subject cited above and to state that Pakistan's Mission in Brussels has informed that European Commission has decided to partially withdraw trade preferences, granted under the EBA scheme, for certain products including low added garments, footwear, travel goods and sugar (list at HS-6 attached) from Cambodia due to non-compliance of treaty obligations. The Regulation will take effect on 12<sup>th</sup> August and affect almost 1 Billion Euro exports of Cambodia to EU.

2. This is an opportunity for Pakistan to enhance its exports to EU. Pakistan has already made inroads in EU of these product sectors, however it will have to face competition from Bangladesh and Vietnam, as they too enjoy preferential trade preference and have considerable exports to EU in the said sectors. A complete list of major products of export to EU by Cambodia at HS-6 code that will be affected by the Regulation is attached as Annex I.

3. TDAP is requested to approach and sensitize relevant Pakistani exporters and traders of the product sectors given in the attached table (Annex I) with the request to enhance their manufacturing capacities and marketing efforts in EU to substitute affected Cambodian exports.

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## ANNEX-B

PRODUCT	2019 (Value : €)				
	CAMBODIA	PAKISTAN	BANGLADESH	VIETNAM	
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6109 T-SHIRTS, SINGLETS AND OTHER VESTS,				218,864,468	
KNITTED OR CROCHETED	357,857,957	162,682,254	3,490,910,218	210,004,400	
540399 FOOTWEAR WITH OUTER SOLES OF					
RUBBER, PLASTICS OR COMPOSITION LEATHER,					
WITH UPPERS OF LEATHER (EXCL. COVERING					
THE ANKLE, INCORPORATING A PROTECTIVE	156,266,235	41,861,850	108,181,032	1,022,010,430	
METAL TOECAP, SPORTS FOOTWEAR,	100,200,200	,,			
ORTHOPAEDIC FOOTWEAR AND TOY	1				
FOOTWEAR)					
4202 TRUNKS, SUITCASES, VANITY CASES,					
EXECUTIVE-CASES, BRIEFCASES, SCHOOL					
SATCHELS, SPECTACLE CASES, BINOCULAR					
CASES, CAMERA CASES, MUSICAL INSTRUMENT CASES, GUN CASES, HOLSTERS AND SIMILAR					
CONTAINERS; TRAVELLING-BAGS, INSULATED					
FOOD OR BEVERAGE BAGS, TOILET BAGS,		-			
RUCKSACKS, HANDBAGS, SHOPPING-BAGS, WALLETS,				933,630,486	
PURSES, MAP-CASES, CIGARETTE-CASES, TOBACCO-	138,234,502	41,834,429	55,422,936		
POUCHES, TOOL BAGS, SPORTS BAGS, BOTTLE-CASES,					
EWELLERY BOXES, POWDER-BOXES, CUTLERY CASES					
COMPOSITION LEATHER, OF SHEETING OF PLASTICS,					
OF TEXTILE MATERIALS, OF VULCANISED FIBRE OR OF	1 de la composición de la comp				
PAPERBOARD, OR WHOLLY OR MAINLY COVERED					
WITH SUCH MATERIALS OR WITH PAPER	1				
6107 MEN'S OR BOYS' UNDERPANTS, BRIEFS,					
NIGHTSHIRTS, PYJAMAS, BATHROBES, DRESSING				27,096,942	
GOWNS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES, KNITTED OR	76,373,148	52,990,757	352,059,288		
CROCHETED (EXCL. VESTS AND SINGLETS)					
6205 MEN'S OR BOYS' SHIRTS (EXCL. KNITTED	1			155 033 331	
OR CROCHETED, NIGHTSHIRTS, SINGLETS AND OTHER VESTS)	81,757,241	9,992,333	880,525,385	155,932,331	
640391 FOOTWEAR WITH OUTER SOLES OF RUBBER, PLASTICS OR COMPOSITION LEATHER,			1		
WITH UPPERS OF LEATHER, COVERING THE					
ANKLE (EXCL. INCORPORATING A PROTECTIVE	~			382,048,872	
METAL TOECAP, SPORTS FOOTWEAR,	84,512,401	22,713,536	127,283,514	502,040,072	
ORTHOPAEDIC FOOTWEAR AND TOY					
FOOTWEAR)					
510343 MEN'S OR BOYS' TROUSERS, BIB AND					
BRACE OVERALLS, BREECHES AND SHORTS OF				27 742 250	
SYNTHETIC FIBRES, KNITTED OR CROCHETED	67,199,677	26,403,059	33,932,811	27,743,350	
EXCL. SWIMWEAR AND UNDERPANTS)					
520343 MEN'S OR BOYS' TROUSERS, BIB AND					
BRACE OVERALLS, BREECHES AND SHORTS OF				210,099,010	
SYNTHETIC FIBRES (EXCL. KNITTED OR	55,033,169	48,059,819	292,965,394	210,035,010	
CROCHETED, UNDERPANTS AND SWIMWEAR)					
6212 BRASSIERES, GIRDLES, CORSETS, BRACES,					
SUSPENDERS, GARTERS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES	25				
AND PARTS THEREOF, OF ALL TYPES OF TEXTILE	\$			171,330,897	
MATERIALS, WHETHER OR NOT ELASTICATED,	60,059,528	868,145	270,331,634		
INCL. KNITTED OR CROCHETED (EXCL. BELTS					
AND CORSELETS MADE ENTIRELY OF RUBBER)					

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PRODUCT	CAMBODIA	PAKISTAN	BANGLADESH	VIETNAM	
5105 MEN'S OR BOYS' SHIRTS, KNITTED OR	8	-			
CROCHETED (EXCL. NIGHTSHIRTS, T-SHIRTS,	42,666,718	70,048,894	638,047,491	94,457,880	
SINGLETS AND OTHER VESTS)	42,000,710	70,040,004	030,047,431		
521143 WOMEN'S OR GIRLS' TRACKSUITS AND					
OTHER GARMENTS, N.E.S. OF MAN-MADE	15,936,810	11,604,195	38,183,130	27,885,71	
FIBRES (EXCL. KNITTED OR CROCHETED)	13,330,010	11,004,195	30,103,130		
511595 FULL-LENGTH OR KNEE-LENGTH					
STOCKINGS, SOCKS AND OTHER HOSIERY, INCL.		1			
FOOTWEAR WITHOUT APPLIED SOLES, OF					
COTTON, KNITTED OR CROCHETED (EXCL.				18,761,844	
GRADUATED COMPRESSION HOSIERY, PANTYHOSE	9,762,275	126,616,088	6,657,525	10,701,04	
AND TIGHTS, WOMEN'S FULL-LENGTH OR KNEE-					
LENGTH STOCKINGS, MEASURING PER SINGLE YARN <					
57 DECITEX, AND HOSIERY FOR BABIES)					
521133 MEN'S OR BOYS' TRACKSUITS AND					
OTHER GARMENTS, N.E.S. OF MAN-MADE	6,025,783	8,294,180	19,917,847	42,274,872	
FIBRES (EXCL. KNITTED OR CROCHETED)	0,025,785	0,294,100	15,517,047		
5207 MEN'S OR BOYS' SINGLETS AND OTHER					
VESTS, UNDERPANTS, BRIEFS, NIGHTSHIRTS,					
PYJAMAS, BATHROBES, DRESSING GOWNS AND	4 005 333	27 526 652	25 002 702	5,574,664	
SIMILAR ARTICLES (EXCL. KNITTED OR	4,095,232	27,536,653	25,082,702		
CROCHETED)					
620341 MEN'S OR BOYS' TROUSERS, BIB AND				¢.	
BRACE OVERALLS, BREECHES AND SHORTS, OF					
WOOL OR FINE ANIMAL HAIR (EXCL. KNITTED				8,061,483	
OR CROCHETED, UNDERPANTS AND	4,821,201	317,876	3,046,769	0,002,10	
SWIMWEAR)		1			
620349 MEN'S OR BOYS' TROUSERS, BIB AND					
BRACE OVERALLS, BREECHES AND SHORTS OF					
TEXTILE MATERIALS (EXCL. OF WOOL, FINE					
ANIMAL HAIR, COTTON OR SYNTHETIC FIBRES,	6,950,136	10,434,791	53,580,888	6,281,877	
KNITTED OR CROCHETED, UNDERPANTS AND	0,950,150	10,454,791	55,500,000		
SWIMWEAR)					
4203 ARTICLES OF APPAREL AND CLOTHING					
ACCESSORIES, OF LEATHER OR COMPOSITION	r	and the second			
LEATHER (EXCL. FOOTWARE AND HEADGEAR	5,571,875	282,856,455	4,504,106	40,026,549	
AND PARTS THEREOF, AND GOODS OF CHAPTER					
95, E.G. SHIN GUARDS, FENCING MASKS)		-			
420100 SADDLERY AND HARNESS FOR ANY		1			
ANIMAL, INCL. TRACES, LEADS, KNEE PADS,					
MUZZLES, SADDLE CLOTHS, SADDLE BAGS, DOG					
COATS AND THE LIKE, OF ANY MATERIAL (EXCL.	2,237,513	2,492,820	89,457	12,437,380	
HARNESSES FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS,	2,207,313	2,452,020	05,457		
RIDING WHIPS AND OTHER GOODS OF HEADING					
6602)					
6406 PARTS OF FOOTWEAR, INCL. UPPERS			-		
WHETHER OR NOT ATTACHED TO SOLES OTHER					
THAN OUTER SOLES; REMOVABLE IN-SOLES,					
HEEL CUSHIONS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES;	1001000	7740 440	0.000.000	152,797,405	
GAITERS, LEGGINGS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES,	1,991,359 🔍	7,748,410	9,998,680		
AND PARTS THEREOF (EXCL. ARTICLES OF					
ASBESTOS)					
611596 FULL-LENGTH OR KNEE-LENGTH					
STOCKINGS, SOCKS AND OTHER HOSIERY, INCL.				1,220,14	
FOOTWEAR WITHOUT APPLIED SOLES, OF	2,077,061	7,649,109	405,111		

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PRODUCT	2019 (Value : €)				
	CAMBODIA	PAKISTAN	BANGLADESH	VIETNAM	
SYNTHETIC FIBRES, KNITTED OR CROCHETED (EXCL. GRADUATED COMPRESSION HOSIERY, PANTYHOSE AND TIGHTS, WOMEN'S FULL- LENGTH OR KNEE-LENGTH STOCKINGS, MEASURING PER SINGLE YARN < 67 DECITEX, AND HOSIERY FOR BABIES)					
5405 FOOTWEAR WITH OUTER SOLES OF RUBBER OR PLASTICS, WITH UPPERS OTHER THAN RUBBER, PLASTICS, LEATHER OR TEXTILE MATERIALS; FOOTWEAR WITH OUTER SOLES OF LEATHER OR COMPOSITION LEATHER, WITH UPPERS OTHER THAN LEATHER OR TEXTILE MATERIALS; FOOTWEAR WITH OUTER SOLES OF WOOD, CORK, TWINE, PAPERBOARD, FURSKIN, WOVEN FABRICS, FELT, NONWOVENS, LINOLEUM, RAFFIA, STRAW, LOOFAH, ETC AND UPPERS OF ANY TYPE OF MATERIAL, N.E.S.	2,179,390	771,401	1,899,048	34,271,418	
540359 FOOTWEAR WITH OUTER SOLES AND JPPERS OF LEATHER (EXCL. COVERING THE ANKLE, INCORPORATING A PROTECTIVE METAL FOECAP, WITH UPPERS WHICH CONSIST OF LEATHER STRAPS ACROSS THE INSTEP AND AROUND THE BIG TOE, SPORTS FOOTWEAR, DRTHOPAEDIC FOOTWEAR AND TOY FOOTWEAR)	1,150,528	1,130,978	2,588,943	3,414,412	
521142 WOMEN'S OR GIRLS' TRACKSUITS AND OTHER GARMENTS, N.E.S. OF COTTON (EXCL. KNITTED OR CROCHETED)	1,510,573	7,895,731	22,398,847	1,213,434	
540319 SPORTS FOOTWEAR, WITH OUTER SOLES OF RUBBER, PLASTICS, LEATHER OR COMPOSITION LEATHER AND UPPERS OF LEATHER (EXCL. SKI-BOOTS, CROSS-COUNTRY SKI FOOTWEAR, SNOWBOARD BOOTS AND SKATING BOOTS WITH ICE OR ROLLER SKATES ATTACHED)	3,314,827	4,162,733	287,098	23,614,060	
510349 MEN'S OR BOYS' TROUSERS, BIB AND BRACE OVERALLS, BREECHES AND SHORTS OF TEXTILE MATERIALS, KNITTED OR CROCHETED (EXCL. OF WOOL, FINE ANIMAL HAIR, COTTON OR SYNTHETIC FIBRES, WIMWEAR AND UNDERPANTS)	~ 1,716,653	4,805,794	4,129,285	1,311,463	
521132 MEN'S OR BOYS' TRACKSUITS AND DTHER GARMENTS, N.E.S. OF COTTON (EXCL. KNITTED OR CROCHETED)	1,337,917	13,060,437	10,232,819	2,556,313	
511529 PANTYHOSE AND TIGHTS OF TEXTILE MATERIALS, KNITTED OR CROCHETED (EXCL. GRADUATED COMPRESSION HOSIERY, THOSE OF SYNTHETIC FIBRES AND HOSIERY FOR BABIES)	4,706,840	1,528,432	1,147,322	123,227	
540351 FOOTWEAR WITH OUTER SOLES AND JPPERS OF LEATHER, COVERING THE ANKLE (EXCL. NCORPORATING A PROTECTIVE METAL TOECAP, SPORTS COOTWEAR, ORTHOPAEDIC FOOTWEAR AND TOY COOTWEAR)	360,753	688,743	1,549,056	1,032,607	
TOTAL OF ABOVE	1,195,707,302	997,049,902	6,455,358,336	3,626,073,537	

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