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MEMORANDUM FOR: DIRECTORS, FIELD OPERATIONS  
ASSISTANT DIRECTORS, TRADE, FIELD OPERATIONS  
OFFICE OF FIELD OPERATIONS

FROM: Executive Director, Trade Policy and Programs  
Office of International Trade

SUBJECT: QBT-08-104: Dominican Republic-Central America-United States  
Free Trade Agreement (CAFTA-DR) – TPL Limits for Mexican  
Inputs (cumulation)

REFERENCE: TBT-08-015

COMMODITIES:

Apparel goods as provided for in chapter 98, subchapter XXII, U.S. note 21

QUOTA PERIOD:

August 15, 2008, through December 31, 2008

OPENING DATE:

Friday, August 15, 2008

RESTRAINT LEVELS:

Overall Limit\* **41,666,666** square meter equivalents (SME)

Sub-limits **18,750,000** SME – Trousers, skirts, and parts thereof, of cotton or man-made fibers, or subject to cotton or man-made fiber restraints (see chapter 98, subchapter XXII, U.S. note 21 for qualifying HTS numbers)

**8,333,333** SME – Cotton blue denim trousers and skirts (see chapter 98, subchapter XXII, U.S. note 21 for qualifying HTS numbers)

**416,667** SME – Apparel goods, not knitted or crocheted, containing 36 percent or more by weight of wool or subject to wool restraints (see chapter 98, subchapter XXII, U.S. note 21 for qualifying HTS numbers)

\*These limits have been reduced proportionately to reflect the August 15 implementation date, since the changes are being made after January 1.

HTS NUMBERS:

**First Tariff Field**

**Second Tariff Field**

9822.05.11

See chapter 98, subchapter XXII, U.S. note 21 for details

REPORTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Use entry type code 02, 06, 07, 12, 23, 32, 38, or 52

Report in units of measure as shown in the HTS

DISTRIBUTION:

Please ensure that this notice is passed to all port directors, assistant port directors (Trade), import specialists, CBP officers, entry specialists and other interested parties such as brokers and importers.

Questions from the importing community regarding this electronic message should be referred to the local CBP port. The port may refer questions via email to HQ Quota or contact Laurie Dempsey at (202) 863-6509.

/s/Janet L. Labuda for  
Brenda B. Smith