

Coffee

Coffee was placed on the ICL on October 1, 1976 to give effect to Canada's obligations as a member of the International Coffee Agreement. The controls are used to ensure that shipments are accompanied by the required certificates of the International Coffee Organization (ICO) (these are used to provide statistical data on the movement of the commodity), and to ensure that imports of coffee from countries not members of the ICO do not exceed the import quota which is assigned to Canada by the ICO for non-member coffee. For the coffee year starting October 1, 1981 to September 30, 1982, the non-member quota was 108,300 kgs of green coffee. The quota remained the same for the 1982-83 coffee year.

Sugar

Sugar was placed on the ICL on April 17, 1978 to give effect to Canada's obligations as a member of the International Sugar Organization (ISO). The controls are used to ensure that shipments of sugar imported into Canada are accompanied by the required Certificates of Contribution of the ISO (these are used to provide statistical data on the movement of the commodity, as well as to ensure that all imports of sugar have been subjected to payment of contribution to the ISO's Sugar Stock Financing Fund). The import quota for non-member sugar assigned to Canada by the ISO amounted to 122 tonnes for the calendar year 1982.

(b) Textiles and Clothing

On August 19, 1980 the Government released a report of the Textile and Clothing Board (TCB), following the Board's inquiry into the situation of the textile and clothing industries in Canada. A main theme of this Report