

Annex 6

African Growth and Opportunity Act Textile Certificate of Origin

The following is the African Growth and Opportunity Act Textile Certificate of Origin. An exporter of apparel/textiles wishing to obtain the preferential treatment available under AGOA (i.e. duty-free treatment) for specific apparel/textile products must complete the Certificate and provide it to the importer, which is importing the apparel/textiles to the United States. The Certificate must be available to U.S. Customs on request but does not accompany the actual shipment.

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1. Exporter Name & Address		2. Producer Name & Address	
3. Importer Name & Address		6. U.S./ African Fabric Producer Name & Address	
4. Description of Article	5. preference group	7. U.S./ African Yarn Producer Name & Address	
		8. U.S. Thread Producer Name & Address	
		9. Name of handloomed, handmade or folklore Article	
10. Name of Preference Group H Fabric or Yarn:			

Preference Groups:

- A: Apparel assembled from U.S.-formed and cut fabric from U.S. yarn. [19 CFR 10.213(a)(1)]
- B: Apparel assembled and further processed from U.S.-formed and cut fabric from U.S. yarn. [19 CFR 10.213(a)(2)]
- C: Apparel cut and assembled from U.S. fabric from U.S. yarn and thread. [19 CFR 10.213(a)(3)]
- D: Apparel assembled from regional fabric from yarn originating in the U.S. or one or more beneficiary countries. [19 CFR 10.213(a)(4)]
- E: Apparel assembled in one or more lesser developed beneficiary countries. [19 CFR 10.213(a)(5)].
- F: Sweaters knit to shape in chief weight of cashmere. [19 CFR 10.213(a)(6)]
- G: Sweaters knit to shape with 50 percent or more by weight of fine wool. [19 CFR 10.213(a)(7)]
- H: Apparel cut and assembled in one or more beneficiary countries from fabrics or yarn not formed in the United States or beneficiary country (as identified in NAFTA) or as designated not available in commercial quantities in the United States. [19 CFR 10.213(a)(8) or (a)(9)]
- I: Handloomed, handmade or folklore articles.[19 CFR 10.213(a)(10)]

I certify that the information on this document is complete and accurate and I assume the responsibility for proving such representations. I understand that I am liable for any false statements or material omissions made on or in connection with this document.

I agree to maintain and present upon request, documentation necessary to support this certificate.

12. Authorized Signature		13. Company	
14. Name (Print or Type)		15. Title	
16a. Date(DD/MM/YY)	16b. Blanket Period From: To:	17. Telephone Number Facsimile Number	

Preparation of Certificate. The following rules will apply for purposes of completing the Certificate of Origin:

- (1) Blocks 1 through 5 pertain only to the final article exported to the United States for which preferential treatment may be claimed;
- (2) Block 1 should state the legal name and address (including country) of the exporter;
- (3) Block 2 should state the legal name and address (including country) of the producer. If there is more than one producer, attach a list stating the legal name and address (including country) of all additional producers. If this information is confidential, it is acceptable to state "available to Customs upon request" in block 2. If the producer and the exporter are the same, state "same" in block 2;
- (4) Block 3 should state the legal name and address (including country) of the importer;
- (5) Block 4 should provide a full description of each article. The description should be sufficient to relate it to the invoice description and to the description of the article in the international Harmonized System. Include the invoice number as shown on the commercial invoice or, if the invoice number is not known, include another unique reference number such as the shipping order number;
- (6) In block 5, insert the letter that designates the preference group which applies to the article according to the description contained in the CFR provision cited on the Certificate for that group;
- (7) Blocks 6 through 10 must be completed only when the block in question calls for information that is relevant to the preference group identified in block 5;
- (8) Block 6 should state the legal name and address (including country) of the fabric producer;
- (9) Block 7 should state the legal name and address (including country) of the yarn producer;
- (10) Block 8 should state the legal name and address (including country) of the thread producer;
- (11) Block 9 should state the name of the folklore article or should state that the article is handloomed or handmade;
- (12) Block 10, which should be completed only when preference group "H" is inserted in block 5, should state the name of the fabric or yarn that is not formed in the United States or a beneficiary country or that is not available in commercial quantities in the United States;
- (13) Block 16a should reflect the date on which the Certificate was completed and signed;
- (14) Block 16b should be completed if the Certificate is intended to cover multiple shipments of identical articles as described in block 4 that are imported into the United States during a specified period of up to one year (see § 10.216(b)(4)(ii)). The "from" date is the date on which the Certificate became applicable to the article covered by the blanket Certificate (this date may be prior to the date reflected in block 16a). The "to" date is the date on which the blanket period expires; and
- (15) The Certificate may be printed and reproduced locally. If more space is needed to complete the Certificate, attach a continuation sheet.