

**L.N. 234 of 2003****TRADE DESCRIPTIONS (PLACE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(PIECE-KNITTED GARMENTS) NOTICE**

(Made under section 2(2A) of the Trade  
Descriptions Ordinance (Cap. 362))

**1. Commencement**

This Notice shall come into operation on 1 January 2004.

**2. Application**

(1) This Notice applies to any piece-knitted garments that—

- (a) have been exported, or are intended to be exported, from Hong Kong to the Mainland under the Mainland and Hong Kong Closer Economic Partnership Arrangement;
- (b) are qualified for a zero tariff under the Arrangement;
- (c) are made from knit-to-shape panels knitted in Hong Kong; and
- (d) are subject to a scheme of export control under the Import and Export Ordinance (Cap. 60).

(2) In this section—

“the Mainland” (內地) means any part of China other than Hong Kong, Macau and Taiwan;

“Mainland and Hong Kong Closer Economic Partnership Arrangement” (《內地與香港關於建立更緊密經貿關係的安排》) means the Mainland and Hong Kong Closer Economic Partnership Arrangement entered into between the Central People’s Government and the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and signed on 29 June 2003 (including the annexes signed on 29 September 2003), as amended from time to time.

**3. Place of manufacture**

The piece-knitted garments to which this Notice applies are to be regarded for the purposes of the Ordinance as having been manufactured or produced in Hong Kong.

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and Industry

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**Explanatory Note**

This Notice specifies Hong Kong as the place of manufacture of piece-knitted garments to which the Notice applies.