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D-81541 München (DE)(54) **Dye antiredeposition agent and treatment method for pre-dyed fabrics or garments using this agent.**

(57) A dye antiredeposition agent to be used at the time of the treatment of pre-dyed fabrics or its garments, which contains a colloid, and a treatment method for pre-dyed fabrics or its garments, which comprises using the dye antiredeposition agent at the time of the treatment of pre-dyed fabrics or its garments.

The present invention has rendered possible simple and efficient prevention of redeposition of

dyes at the time of the treatment of pre-dyed fabrics or its garments. Especially, when an enzyme is used in the treatment, adverse influences upon the enzyme is characteristically small.

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