



## THE CUSTOMS TARIFF (RUBBER) AMENDMENT ORDER 1983

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DAVID BEATTIE, Governor-General

### ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 12th day of December  
1983

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to sections 123 and 124 of the Customs Act 1966, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following order.

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### ORDER

**1. Title and commencement**—(1) This order may be cited as the Customs Tariff (Rubber) Amendment Order 1983.

(2) This order shall come into force on the 1st day of January 1984.

**2. Tariff amended**—The Customs Tariff is hereby amended by revoking so much of Part I as relates to items 40.01.001, 40.02.001, 40.06.008, 40.06.009, 40.06.011, 40.06.021, 40.06.031, 40.06.039, 40.08.001, 40.08.011, 40.08.021, 40.08.031, 40.08.039, 40.08.049, 40.10.008, 40.10.009, 40.11.031, 40.12.001, 40.12.002, 40.13.009, 40.14.001, 40.14.009, 40.14.011, 40.14.021, 40.14.029, 40.14.031, 40.14.041, 40.14.049, 40.16.001, 40.16.005, and 40.16.009, and substituting the items, rates of duty, exemptions from duty, and statistical key specified in the Schedule hereto.

**3. Consequential revocations**—(1) The Customs Tariff (Consolidation) Amendment Order 1978\* is hereby amended by revoking so much of the Sixth Schedule as relates to items 40.10.008, 40.10.009, and 40.11.029.

(2) The Customs Tariff (Developing Country) Amendment Order 1979† is hereby amended by revoking so much of the Fourth Schedule as relates to item 40.06.011.

(3) The Customs Tariff (SPARTECA) Amendment Order 1980‡ is hereby amended by revoking so much of the Fourth Schedule as relates to items 40.01.001, 40.02.001, 40.06.008, 40.06.011, 40.06.021, 40.06.031, 40.06.039, 40.08.021, 40.08.031, 40.08.039, 40.08.049, 40.10.008, 40.12.001, 40.13.009, 40.14.001, 40.14.009, 40.14.011, 40.14.021, 40.14.029, 40.14.031, 40.14.041, 40.14.049, 40.16.001, 40.16.005, and 40.16.009.

(4) The New Zealand—Australia Free Trade Agreement Order 1981§ is hereby amended by revoking so much of the Third Schedule as relates to item 40.13.009.

(5) The Customs Tariff (Tyres) Amendment Order 1983|| is hereby amended by revoking so much of the Schedule as relates to item 40.11.031.

(6) The Customs Tariff (Miscellaneous) Amendment Order 1983¶ is hereby amended by revoking so much of the Schedule as relates to items 40.08.001 and 40.08.011.

\*S.R. 1978/153  
†S.R. 1979/219  
‡S.R. 1980/248  
§S.R. 1981/340  
||S.R. 1983/65  
¶S.R. 1983/82

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SCHEDULE—DUTIES IMPOSED AND EXEMPTIONS CREATED

PART I

THE STANDARD TARIFF

Number	Goods	Rates of Duty		Statistical Key		
		Normal Tariff	Preferential Tariff	Code	Unit	Description

Chapter 40

**Rubber, synthetic rubber, factice, and articles thereof (continuous)**

I—RAW RUBBER

<b>40.01</b>	<b>Natural rubber latex, whether or not with added synthetic rubber latex; pre-vulcanised natural rubber latex; natural rubber, balata, gutta-percha and similar natural gums:</b>					
40.01.001	- Natural rubber latex with added synthetic rubber latex; pre-vulcanised rubber latex; thermo-sensitive and electro-positive rubber latex; rubber compounded before coagulation otherwise than with mineral oil, stabilisers, antioxidants, or colouring matter added solely for the purpose of identification	Free	..	01E	kg	Natural rubber latex with added synthetic rubber latex, pre-vulcanised natural rubber latex
				09L	kg	Other

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Chapter 40—*continued*

**Rubber, synthetic rubber, factice, and articles thereof (continuous)—*continued***

I—RAW RUBBER—*continued*

**40.02 Synthetic rubber latex; pre-vulcanised synthetic rubber latex; synthetic rubber; factice derived from oils:**

40.02.001 - Pre-vulcanised rubber latex; thermosensitive and electro-positive rubber latex; rubber compounded before coagulation otherwise than with mineral oil, stabilisers, antioxidants, or colouring matter added solely for the purpose of identification

Free	01J	kg	Polybutadiene-styrene latex, pre-vulcanised
	09D	kg	Other synthetic rubber latex, pre-vulcanised
	11F	kg	Polybutadiene (BR)
	21C	kg	Polychlorobutadiene (CR)
	31L	kg	Polybutadiene-styrene (SBR)
	41H	kg	Butyl rubber
	49C	kg	Other synthetic rubbers; factice derived from oils

## II—UNVULCANISED RUBBER

**40.06 Unvulcanised natural or synthetic rubber, including rubber latex, in other forms or states (for example, rods, tubes and profile shapes, solutions and dispersions); articles of unvulcanised natural or synthetic rubber (for example, coated or impregnated textile thread; rings and discs):**

	– Tubes:							
40.06.001	-- As may be approved by the Minister and under such conditions as he may prescribe	Free ■	Aul Free ■ Pac Free	00E	m			
40.06.007	-- Other	35	Aul 25 Can 25 DC 25 Pac Free	00C	m			
	– Other kinds:							
40.06.012	-- As may be approved by the Minister and under such conditions as he may prescribe	Free ■	Aul Free ■ Pac Free	01E 11B 21K 29E	..	Solutions Rings and discs Thread Other		
40.06.019	-- Other	30	Aul 20 Can 20 DC 20 Pac Free	01K 11G 21D 29K	..	Solutions Rings and discs Thread Other		

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III—ARTICLES OF UNHARDENED  
VULCANISED RUBBER—*continued*

**40.08 Plates, sheets, strip, rods and profile  
shapes, of unhardened vulcanised rubber:**

– Flooring:

40.08.011	-- Mats, rectangular, made by cutting from the piece .. .. .	20	Aul Free Can 10 DC 15 Pac Free	00H	..	
40.08.014	-- Underlay of rubber .. .. .	30	Aul Free Can 5 DC 15 Pac Free	00G	..	
40.08.019	-- Other .. .. .	20	Aul Free Can 5 DC 15 Pac Free	00J	..	

40.08.021	- Tying .. .. .	5	Aul Free Can Free DC Free Pac Free	00C	kg	
	- Other kinds:					
40.08.032	-- As may be approved by the Minister and under such conditions as he may prescribe .. .. .	Free■	Aul Free■ Pac Free	01C .. 09J ..		Of expanded foam or sponge rubber Other
40.08.038	-- Other .. .. .	40	Aul 30 Can 30 DC 30 Pac Free	01A .. 09G ..		Of expanded foam or sponge rubber Other
<b>40.10</b>	<b>Transmission, conveyor or elevator belts or belting, of vulcanised rubber:</b>					
40.10.019	- Other .. .. .	45	Aul 35 Can 35 DC 35 Pac Free	00H	kg	
<b>40.11</b>	<b>Rubber tyres, tyre cases, interchangeable tyre treads, inner tubes and tyre flaps, for wheels of all kinds:</b>					
	- Pneumatic tyres, tyre cases, inner tubes:					
40.11.002	-- Bicycle tyres .. .. .	40 or◆	Aul 20 or◆ Can 20 or◆ DC 20 or◆ Pac Free	00A	No.	

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III—ARTICLES OF UNHARDENED

VULCANISED RUBBER—*continued*

**Rubber tyres, tyre cases, etc.—*continued***

– Pneumatic tyres, etc.—*continued*

– – Bicycle tyres—*continued*

40.11.008	.. .. . each	\$2.50	Aul \$1.25 Can \$2.50 less 20	00K	No.
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40.11.019	-- Bicycle tubes .. .. .	40	Aul 20 Can 20 DC 20 Pac Free	00A	No.
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**40.12 Hygienic and pharmaceutical articles (including teats), of unhardened vulcanised rubber, with or without fittings of hardened rubber:**

40.12.003	– Hot-water bottles .. .. .	35	Aul 25 Can 25 DC 25 Pac Free	00A	No.
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<b>40.13</b>	<b>Articles of apparel and clothing accessories (including gloves), for all purposes, of unhardened vulcanised rubber:</b>					
40.13.009	- Other .. .. .	40	Aul 15 Can 27.5 DC 35 Pac Free	00C	..	
<b>40.14</b>	<b>Other articles of unhardened vulcanised rubber:</b>					
40.14.002	- Rubber bands, erasers, date and other stamp type, paste applicators and other articles of stationery .. .. .	35	Aul 20 Can 20 DC 20 Pac Free	01L	..	Unmounted characters for use with goods falling within heading No. 98.07
				11H	..	Rubber bands
				19C	..	Other
40.14.011	- Moulded rubber mats and mats of non-rectangular shape made by cutting from the piece .. .. .	20	Aul Free Can 10 Pac Free	00A	..	

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III—ARTICLES OF UNHARDENED  
VULCANISED RUBBER—*continued*

**Other articles of unhardened vulcanised  
rubber—*continued***

– Other articles:

40.14.022 -- As may be approved by the Minister  
and under such conditions as he may  
prescribe

Free■

Aul Free■  
Pac Free

01A

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Washers, gaskets,  
jointings, seals and  
similar packings

11J

..

Stoppers, plain  
unornamental, for  
containers of a kind  
commonly used for  
the conveyance or  
packing of goods

-- Other:  
**40.14.032** --- Milking-machine parts ... .. 20

Aul Free  
 Can 10  
 DC 10  
 Pac Free

- 21F .. Milking-machine parts
- 31C .. Spools, reels and similar supports designed for use with goods of Chapter 90, viz: for photographic and cinematographic film
- 41L .. Articles of a kind used on machinery, mechanical or electrical appliances of Chapters 84 and 85 or goods of Chapter 90 (except milking-machine parts)
- 49F .. Other articles
- 01G .. Inflations
- 09B .. Other

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III—ARTICLES OF UNHARDENED

VULCANISED RUBBER—*continued*

- Other articles—*continued*

-- Other—*continued*

40.14.039	--- Other kinds	40	Aul 30 Can 30 DC 30 Pac Free	01A   11J  21F	..   ..  ..	Washers, gaskets, jointings, seals and similar packings  Stoppers, plain unornamental, for containers of a kind commonly used for the conveyance or packing of goods  Spools, reels and similar supports designed for use with goods of Chapter 90, viz: for photographic and cinematographic film
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31C	..	Articles of a kind used on machinery, mechanical or electrical appliances of Chapters 84 and 85 or goods of Chapter 90 (except milking-machine parts)
39J	..	Other articles

IV—HARDENED RUBBER (EBONITE AND VULCANITE), ARTICLES MADE THEREOF

**40.16 Articles of hardened rubber (ebonite and vulcanite):**

40.16.002 – As may be approved by the Minister and under such conditions as he may prescribe

Free■

Aul Free■  
Pac Free

01H	..	Stoppers, plain unornamental, for containers of a kind commonly used for the conveyance or packing of goods
11E	..	Spools, reels and similar supports designed for use with goods of Chapter 90, viz: for photographic and cinematographic film
21B	..	Urinals
29H	..	Other

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IV—HARDENED RUBBER (EBONITE AND VULCANITE), ARTICLES MADE THEREOF—*continued*

Articles of hardened rubber, etc.—  
*continued:*

40.16.008	- Other .. .. .	40	Aul 20 Can 20 DC 30 Pac Free	01F	..	Stoppers, plain unornamental, for containers of a kind commonly used for the conveyance or packing of goods
				11C	..	Spools, reels and similar supports designed for use with goods of Chapter 90, viz: for photographic and cinematographic film
				19j	..	Other

P. G. MILLEN,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*This note is not part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general effect.*

This order amends the rates of Customs duty on various rubber goods falling within Chapter 40 of the Tariff. The amendments result from recommendations made by the Industries Development Commission.

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Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.  
Date of notification in *Gazette*: 15 December 1983.  
This order is administered in the Customs Department.