



THE CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT ORDER (NO. 6) 1970

ARTHUR PORRITT, Governor-General
ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 9th day of March 1970

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

WHEREAS by the Customs Tariff Amendment Order (No. 4) 1969*, made pursuant to section 10E of the Tariff and Development Board Act 1961 and section 124 of the Customs Act 1966, the portions of the Customs Tariff specified in the First Schedule to that order were suspended and the duties specified in the Second Schedule to that order were temporarily imposed on the recommendation of the Emergency Protection Authority: And whereas the Tariff and Development Board has since recommended that the temporary duties so imposed should be revoked:

Now therefore, pursuant to section 125 of the Customs Act 1966, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, and being satisfied that the revocation of the temporary duties specified in the Second Schedule to the said order is necessary in furtherance of the public interest, hereby makes the following order.

ORDER

1. Title and commencement—(1) This order may be cited as the Customs Tariff Amendment Order (No. 6) 1970.

(2) This order shall come into force on the day after the date of its notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Tariff amended—The Customs Tariff is hereby amended by revoking the items, rates of duty, and exemptions from duty specified in the First Schedule hereto, and substituting the items, rates of duty, and exemptions from duty specified in the Second Schedule hereto.

3. Revocations—(1) The Customs Tariff Amendment Order (No. 4) 1969* is hereby revoked.

(2) The New Zealand - Australia Free Trade Agreement Order (No. 6) 1969† is hereby amended by revoking so much of the Second Schedule as relates to item 82.01.54.

(3) The Customs Tariff Amendment Order (No. 2) 1970‡ is hereby revoked.

*S.R. 1969/29
†S.R. 1969/249
‡S.R. 1970/3

SCHEDULES
FIRST SCHEDULE—PORTIONS OF TARIFF REVOKED

PART I
THE STANDARD TARIFF

Number	Description	Unit	Rates of Duty		
			British Preferential	Most Favoured Nation	General Tariff
Chapter 82					
Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks, of base metal; parts thereof					
82.01	Hand tools, the following: spades, shovels, picks, hoes, forks and rakes; axes, bill hooks and similar hewing tools; scythes, sickles, hay knives, grass shears, timber wedges and other tools of a kind used in agriculture, horticulture or forestry: Spades, shovels, picks, hoes, forks and rakes: Forks: Sets of garden hand tools containing hand weeding forks:				
82.01.31	On each fork and each trowel	doz	Free† Aul } Free Can }	17½%†	30%†

82.01.32	On other tools in the set	doz	Free	17½%	30%
	Other:				
82.01.33	Hand weeding forks <i>each</i>	doz	Free†	17½%†	30%†
			Aul } Free		
			Can }		
82.01.34	Other kinds	doz	Free	17½%	30%
	Hoes and rakes:				
82.01.35	As may be determined by the Minister	doz	20%*	..	20%*
82.01.36	Other	doz	Free	..	Free
	Axes, bill hooks and similar hewing tools:				
82.01.37	Axes, hatchets, adzes	doz	Free	17½%	30%
82.01.38	Slashers	doz	20%	..	45%
	Other kinds:				
82.01.41	As may be determined by the Minister	doz	20%*	..	20%*
82.01.49	Other	doz	Free	..	Free
	Scythes, sickles, hay knives, grass shears, timber wedges and other tools of a kind used in agriculture, horticulture or forestry:				
82.01.51	Hedge knives	doz	Free	17½%	30%
82.01.52	Pruning shears	doz	Free	..	Free
82.01.53	Garden trowels <i>each</i>	doz	Free†	..	Free†
			Can Free		
	Other kinds:				
82.01.54	As may be determined by the Minister	doz	20%*	..	20%*
82.01.59	Other	doz	Free	..	Free
			Aul 8%*		

*Or such lower rate of duty as the Minister may in any case direct.
 †Plus a duty equal to half the amount by which the f.o.b. price of each fork or trowel is less than 80c.

SECOND SCHEDULE—DUTIES AND EXEMPTIONS SUBSTITUTED

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THE STANDARD TARIFF

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Chapter 82

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82.01.61	Spades, shovels, picks, hoes, forks and rakes: Forks	doz	Free	17½%	30%

	Hoes and rakes:								
82.01.62	As may be determined by the Minister	..	..	doz	20%*	..	20%*
82.01.69	Other	..	..	doz	Free	..	Free
	Axes, bill hooks and similar hewing tools:								
82.01.71	Axes, hatchets, adzes	..	..	doz	Free	17½%	30%
82.01.72	Slashers	..	..	doz	20%	..	45%
	Other kinds:								
82.01.73	As may be determined by the Minister	..	..	doz	20%*	..	20%*
82.01.79	Other	..	..	doz	Free	..	Free
	Scythes, sickles, hay knives, grass shears, timber wedges and other tools of a kind used in agriculture, horticulture or forestry:								
82.01.81	Hedge knives	..	..	doz	Free	17½%	30%
82.01.82	Pruning shears	..	..	doz	Free	..	Free
82.01.83	Garden trowels	..	..	doz	Free	..	Free
	Other kinds:								
82.01.84	As may be determined by the Minister	..	..	doz	20%*	..	20%*
82.01.89	Other	..	..	doz	Aul 8%*	..	Free

*Or such lower rate of duty as the Minister may in any case direct.

P. J. BROOKS,
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 revokes the temporary rates of duty imposed by the Customs Tariff Amendment Order (No. 4) 1969 on hand weeding forks and garden trowels.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

Date of notification in *Gazette*: 12 March 1970.

This order is administered in the Customs Department.