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**THE CUSTOMS TARIFF CLASSIFICATION OPINION FEES
REGULATIONS 1987**

PAUL REEVES, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 30th day of November 1987

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 19A (6) 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 regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Customs Tariff Classification Opinion Fees Regulations 1987.

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of January 1988.

2. Fees for Tariff classification opinion—(1) Where a person or organisation applies in writing for a Tariff classification opinion in respect of goods entered under the Customs Act 1966, a fee of \$36.00 shall be payable to the Collector of Customs in respect of each application.

(2) In addition to the fee prescribed in subclause (1) of this regulation, applicants for a Tariff classification opinion shall pay to the Collector of Customs an additional charge of \$25.00 per hour or part thereof for time in excess of one hour incurred in the preparation of the written opinion.

(3) The due date for payment of any fee due under this regulation shall be 20 days after the issue of the tax invoice on which the fee is billed and

the fee shall be recoverable as if the fee were duty payable pursuant to the Customs Act 1966.

MARIE SHROFF,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations, which come into force on 1 January 1988, prescribe the fees payable for supplying Tariff classification opinions. The fees consist of an initial fee of \$36, and an additional fee of \$25 for each hour or part thereof in excess of one hour spent in the preparation of the opinion.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Customs Department.