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MODIFICATION OF TRADE ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN NEW ZEALAND AND THE ECONOMIC UNION OF BELGIUM AND LUXEMBURG.

Enacting authority : His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

Date of enactment : 28th day of August, 1936.

Date of notification in *Gazette* : 31st day of August, 1936.

WHEREAS it has been mutually agreed that the Trade Arrangement between the Economic Union of Belgium and Luxemburg and the Dominion of New Zealand (being the arrangement ratified by the Trade Arrangement (New Zealand and Belgium) Ratification Act, 1933), be modified in manner hereinafter appearing :

And whereas it is provided by section two of the said Act that any arrangement that may be made modifying the arrangement ratified as aforesaid may be given effect to by Order in Council and it is desired that the modification hereinbefore referred to be given effect to accordingly :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the Customs Amendment Act, 1921, and by section two of the Trade Arrangement (New Zealand and Belgium) Ratification Act, 1933, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby, for the purpose of giving effect to the hereinbefore-recited modification of the said Trade Arrangement between the Economic Union of Belgium and Luxemburg and the Dominion of New Zealand—

- (a) Suspend the existing tariff (being the First Schedule to the Customs Acts Amendment Act, 1934) in so far as it relates to such goods, being the produce or manufacture of the Economic Union of Belgium and Luxemburg, as are included in the classes of goods set out in Column No. 2 of the Schedule hereto ;

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- (b) Impose on such goods of the aforesaid classes the duties of Customs set forth in Column No. 3 of that Schedule ; and
- (c) Declare that the several classes of goods specified in Column No. 2 of the Schedule hereto shall hereafter be deemed to be incorporated in and to form part of the corresponding column of Part II of the Appendix to the Trade Arrangement (New Zealand and Belgium) Ratification Act, 1933, and that the several duties specified in Column No. 3 of the Schedule hereto shall hereafter be deemed to be incorporated in and to form part of the corresponding column of Part II of the Appendix to the last-mentioned Act.

And with the like advice and consent doth hereby declare that this Order in Council shall come into force on the 1st day of September, 1936, and that all duties of Customs that have become due and payable and all penalties and forfeitures that have been incurred prior to the coming into force of this Order in Council shall be recovered as if this Order in Council had not been made.

SCHEDULE.

<i>(Column No. 1.)</i>	<i>(Column No. 2.)</i>	<i>(Column No. 3.)</i>
Item No. of the Customs Tariff of New Zealand.	Tariff Item.	Rate of Duty payable in New Zealand on Articles produced or manufactured in the Economic Union of Belgium and Luxemburg.
Ex 67	Maizena; cornflour	¾ d. per lb.
76	Cigars, including the weight of every band, wrapper, or attachment, to any cigar . .	14s. per lb.
90	Wine containing not more than 40 per cent. of proof spirit, viz. :—	
	(1) Sparkling, all kinds; per gallon, or for six reputed quart bottles, or the reputed equivalent in bottles of a larger or smaller reputed capacity . .	13s.
	(2) Other kinds; per gallon, or for six reputed quart bottles, or the reputed equivalent in bottles of a larger or smaller reputed capacity . .	6s.
Ex 136	Apparel, clothing, and hosiery, viz. :—	
	(4) Gloves, and mittens, other than those composed wholly or <i>principally</i> of rubber or asbestos	40 per cent. ad val.
194	Belts, and belting, n.e.l., for driving machinery; conveyor belts, and belting, of rubber, textile, fibre, or combinations of these materials; cordage or rope on declaration that it will be used only for driving machinery	20 per cent. ad val.
203	Leather manufactures n.e.i.	40 per cent. ad val.
222	Glass, bevelled, silvered, or with rounded or polished edges; mirrors, and looking-glasses, framed or unframed	35 per cent. ad val.

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(Column No. 1.) Item No. of the Customs Tariff of New Zealand.	(Column No. 2.) Tariff Item.	(Column No. 3.) Rate of Duty payable in New Zealand on Articles produced or manufac- tured in the Economic Union of Belgium and Luxembourg.
300	Paper, viz. :— (1) Carbon and <i>similar</i> copying paper, n.e.i.	20 per cent. ad val.
	(2) N.e.i., including tinfoil paper, and gummed paper n.e.i.,—	
	(a) In sheets of size less than 20 inches by 15 inches or the equivalent	40 per cent. ad val.
	(b) In sheets of size not less than 20 inches by 15 inches or the equivalent	10 per cent. ad val.
	(c) In rolls less than 10 inches wide except such rolls specially suited for industrial or <i>similar</i> purposes in such widths not exceeding 2 inches as the Minister may determine	40 per cent. ad val.
	(d) In rolls n.e.i.	20 per cent. ad val.
Ex 322	(1) Cartridges—	
	(a) Shot, 10 to 24 bore	5s. per 100 or 50 per cent. ad val. (which- ever rate returns the higher duty).
	(b) Shot, n.e.i.	50 per cent. ad val.
	(c) Ball, .22 calibre	25 per cent. ad val.
	(d) N.e.i.	45 per cent. ad val.
Ex 338	<i>Machinery or appliances</i> , electrical, viz. :—	
	(1) (a) Machinery or appliances n.e.i. pecu- liar to the generation of electricity, to the transformation of pressures of electric currents, or to the con- version of one type of electric current to another; electric motors; slide rails for electric generators or electric motors	20 per cent. ad val.
	(b) Batteries or cells not including storage batteries	35 per cent. ad val.
	(2) Switchboards, fuse boards, and dis- tribution boards or boxes for electric circuits; shunt or voltage regulators; starters or controllers for electric motors; rheostats, and resistances n.e.i. including reactance or choking coils, for the reduction or control of electric currents, condensers, relays, electro-magnets, switches, wall-plugs and shoes or sockets therefor, circuit breakers, circuit makers, cut-outs, fuses, wire or cable connectors and <i>similar</i> articles, and terminals; lightning arresters for the protection of electrical apparatus	20 per cent. ad val.
	(3) Carbons or electrodes for arc lamps, for electric furnaces, or for electric weld- ing	20 per cent. ad val.

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(Column No. 1.)

Item No. of
the Customs
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Tariff Item.

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Machinery or appliances, electrical, viz.—ctd.

(4) Electric appliances n.e.i. peculiar to electro-plating, electro-chemistry, electro-metallurgy, surgery, telegraphy, telephony (not including cabinets or parts of cabinets for wireless broadcast receiving sets); X-ray tubes and electrical vacuum tubes not suitable for purposes of illumination	20 per cent. ad val.
(5) Electric locomotives; trolley-poles or collectors for electric tram-cars or electric locomotives; frogs, crossings, and line-ears, for overhead conductors for electric railways or tramways; rail bonds with terminals attached	20 per cent. ad val.
(6) Metal poles or towers, specially suited for use in electrical transmission-lines	20 per cent. ad val.
(7) Insulated cable and wire; carbon in block, sheet, or rod; mica, vulcanite, insulating-tape, and other insulating materials n.e.i., not including insulating-piping or tubing, or insulating fittings for pipes	20 per cent. ad val.
(8) Sparking-plugs for oil engines	20 per cent. ad val.
(10) N.e.i.	40 per cent. ad val.

Ex 351 *Machinery, machines, machine tools, and appliances, viz. :—*

(1) Anvils, forges, and hearths, viz. :—black-smiths', and similar	20 per cent. ad val.
(2) Blacksmiths', braziers', assay, and treadle-power bellows	20 per cent. ad val.
(3) Boring and well-drilling machinery; rock drills, and diamond drills; coal cutters	20 per cent. ad val.
(4) Blowers, and fans, viz. :—exhaust, blast, and ventilating; vacuum cleaners	20 per cent. ad val.
(5) Card clothing suitable for use in woollen mills and paper mills	20 per cent. ad val.
(6) Grinding machines, emery, and similar; emery and similar wheels	20 per cent. ad val.
(7) Grinding mills, grinding pans, ball mills, tube mills, bone crushers, corn mills, coffee and spice mills, food chopping, mincing, and similar machines	20 per cent. ad val.
(9) Knitting and kilting machines	20 per cent. ad val.
(10) Peculiar to metal-working, wood-working, stone-working, or glass-working	20 per cent. ad val.
(11) Hydro-extractors	20 per cent. ad val.
(12) Weighing machines, scales, and balances, n.e.i.	20 per cent. ad val.
(13) Printing machines	20 per cent. ad val.

352 <i>Machinery, machines, machine tools, engines, and appliances, as may be approved by the Minister, peculiar to use in manufacturing, industrial and similar processes</i>	20 per cent. ad val.
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(Column No. 1.) Item No. of the Customs Tariff of New Zealand.	(Column No. 2.) Tariff Item.	(Column No. 3.) Rate of Duty payable in New Zealand on Articles produced or manufac- tured in the Economic Union of Belgium and Luxemburg.
Ex 357	Metal, viz. :— (2) Aluminium, brass, copper, lead, tin, and other metal, n.e.i., in bars or rods (except cast bars or rods of copper alloy)	10 per cent. ad val.
	(NOTE.—Lead and zinc in bars or rods already admissible at 10 per cent. ad val. under existing trade arrangement.)	
	(4) Iron, galvanized or <i>plain</i> black, viz., angle, tee, bar, bolt, channel, rod, and rolled girders; iron girders ex- panded, but otherwise unworked ..	20 per cent. ad val.
	(5) Iron, viz. :— (a) Sheet, plate (including rolled chequered plates), or hoop, <i>plain</i> , whether black, polished, galvanized, plated, tinned, or otherwise coated with metal, n.e.i.	20 per cent. ad val. (except hoop 6 inches in width or over).
	(b) Corrugated sheet iron ..	20 per cent. ad val.
	(6) Metal n.e.i., viz. :—foil, leaf; hoop, plate or sheet, <i>plain</i> , whether in the rough, polished, enamelled, galvan- ized, plated, tinned, or otherwise coated with metal	10 per cent. ad val.
	(NOTE.—Lead and zinc already admissible at 10 per cent. ad val. under existing trade arrange- ment.)	
	(7) Shafting, plain rolled, or plain turned, but otherwise unwrought.. ..	20 per cent. ad val.
	(8) Sheet, perforated or cellular ..	20 per cent. ad val.
	(10) Wire, metal, plain, n.e.i.; barbed fencing-wire; wire cut to lengths looped, twisted, or plain, suited for baling and similar purposes ..	10 per cent. ad val.
	(11) Metal cordage, not being gold or silver	20 per cent. ad val.
359	Nails or tacks of copper, brass, and composi- tion, n.e.i.; nails or tacks, n.e.i.; coopers' and <i>similar</i> hooks and tacks; staples; dog-spikes and deck-spikes	20 per cent. ad val.
360	Nails or tacks, exceeding 1 inch in length, made from iron <i>wire</i> , whether plain, galvan- ized, or cement-coated, n.e.i.	£4 per ton.
362	Pipes, piping, tubes, and tubing (except coil pipes), viz. :— (1) Wrought iron, steel, or wood, n.e.i., (including such pipes or tubes when protected with a cement or <i>similar</i> coating), not less than 4 inches but less than 9 inches in internal diameter	40 per cent. ad val.

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	Pipes, &c., viz.— <i>continued.</i>	
	(2) (a) Cast iron n.e.i., including <i>rain-water, soil, and similar pipes</i> ..	20 per cent. ad val.
	(b) (i) <i>Centrifugally-cast</i> iron pipes piping tubes and tubing, exceeding 6 inches but not exceeding 12 inches in <i>nominal internal diameter</i> ..	20 per cent. ad val.
	(ii) <i>Centrifugally-cast</i> iron pipes piping tubes and tubing, not less than 4 inches but not exceeding 6 inches in <i>nominal internal diameter</i> ..	40 per cent. ad val.
	(3) Wrought iron, or steel, screwed; boiler tubes flanged or unflanged; and all pipes, piping, tubes and tubing, n.e.i.	20 per cent. ad. val.
	(4) Lead or composition ..	7s. per cwt.
	(5) Knees, bends, elbows, junction or inspection boxes including covers therefor, and other <i>fittings</i> , n.e.i., for pipes, piping, tubes or tubing, viz.:—	
	(a) Of brass or other <i>copper alloy</i>	20 per cent. ad val.
	(b) Of cast iron for <i>rain-water, soil, and similar pipes</i> ..	40 per cent. ad val.
	(6) Knees, bends, elbows, junction or inspection boxes including covers therefor, and other <i>fittings</i> , n.e.i., for any of the above-mentioned pipes, piping, tubes, or tubing, shall be classed under the same item of the Tariff as the pipes, piping, tubes, and tubing, for which they are fittings.	

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