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**THE NEW ZEALAND - AUSTRALIA FREE TRADE AGREEMENT
ORDER (NO. 2) 1969**

ARTHUR PORRITT, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 24th day of February
1969

Present:

THE RIGHT HON. KEITH HOLYOAKE, C.H., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 3 of the New Zealand - Australia Free Trade Agreement Act 1965, and for the purpose of giving effect to the agreement defined in that Act, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following order.

ORDER

1. (1) This order may be cited as the New Zealand - Australia Free Trade Agreement Order (No. 2) 1969.

(2) This order shall come into force on the 1st day of March 1969.

2. The Customs Tariff (as set out in the Second Schedule to the Customs Act 1966 and heretofore modified) is hereby amended by revoking the items and rates of duty specified in the First Schedule hereto, and substituting the items and rates of duty specified in the Second Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULES
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 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 84

Boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof

84.25	Harvesting and threshing machinery; straw and fodder presses; hay or grass mowers; winnowing and similar cleaning machines for seed, grain or leguminous vegetables and egg-grading and other grading machines for agricultural produce (other than those of a kind used in the bread grain milling industry falling within heading No. 84.29): Hay or grass mowers: Other, including lawn mowers: Power-operated, whether or not self-propelled: Reel types:				
84.25.45	Having cutting blades exceeding 20 in. in length	No.	15%	40%	55%
84.25.46	Other	No.	27½%	50%	65%

84.25.47	Rotary types: Having cutting blades exceeding 20 in. in length	No.	27½%	50%	65%
84.25.49	Other	No.	27½%	50%	65%
84.25.51	Other types	No.	15%	40%	55%
84.25.52	Parts of mowers of items 84.25.45 and 84.25.51 ..	..	15%	40%	55%
84.25.53	Parts of other power-operated mowers .. ..	..	27½%	50%	65%
84.25.54	Other kinds	No.	15%	40%	55%
84.25.59	Parts .. .. .	..	15%	40%	55%
84.25.60	Cleaning, winnowing, sorting and grading machines for seed and grain	20% Can 35%	..	50%

SECOND SCHEDULE—DUTIES SUBSTITUTED

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84.25	Harvesting and threshing machinery; straw and fodder presses; hay or grass mowers; winnowing and similar cleaning machines for seed, grain or leguminous vegetables and egg-grading and other grading machines for agricultural produce (other than those of a kind used in the bread grain milling industry falling within heading No. 84.29): Hay or grass mowers: Other, including lawn mowers: Power-operated, whether or not self-propelled: Reel types: Imported without engines:				
84.25.55	Having cutting blades exceeding 20 in. in length	No.	15% Aul 11%	40%	55%
84.25.56	Other	No.	27½% Aul 20%	50%	65%

84.25.57	Other kinds:				
	Having cutting blades exceeding 20 in. in length	No.	15%	40%	55%
84.25.58	Other	No.	27½%	50%	65%
	Rotary types:				
84.25.61	Having cutting blades exceeding 20 in. in length	No.	27½%	50%	65%
84.25.62	Other	No.	27½%	50%	65%
84.25.63	Other types	No.	15%	40%	55%
84.25.64	Parts of mowers of items 84.25.55, 84.25.57, and 84.25.63 .. .. .	..	15%	40%	55%
84.25.65	Parts of other power-operated mowers .. .. .	..	27½%	50%	65%
84.25.66	Other kinds	No.	15%	40%	55%
84.25.67	Parts .. .. .	..	15%	40%	55%
84.25.69	Cleaning, winnowing, sorting and grading machines for seed and grain .. .. .	..	20% Can 35%	..	50%

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 is made for the purpose of giving effect to the New Zealand - Australia Free Trade Agreement signed on 31 August 1965. The effect of the order is to reduce, from 1 March 1969, the rates of Customs duty on certain mowers from Australia.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

Date of notification in *Gazette*: 27 February 1969.

This order is administered in the Customs Department.