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# THE TRADE AGREEMENT (AUSTRALIA) ORDER 1938. 

GALWAY, Governor-General.<br>ORDER IN COUNCIL.<br>At the Government House at Wellington, this 26th day of February, 1938. Present:<br>His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

Pursuant to the Customs Amendment Act, 1921, and subsection (2) of section 2 of the Trade Agreement (New Zealand and Australia) Ratification Act, 1933, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council and for the purpose of giving effect to an agreement modifying the Trade Agreement between the Commonwealth of Australia and the Dominion of New Zealand ratified by the Trade Agreement (New Zealand and Australia) Ratification Act, 1933, a modification of which was given effect to by Order in Council made on the 29th day of May, 1935,* doth hereby order as follows :-

1. This Order may be cited as the Trade Agreement (Australia) Order 1938.
2. This Order shall come into force on the 1st day of March, 1938.
3. The Order in Council made on the 29th day of May, 1935,* respecting Customs duties chargeable on certain goods produced or manufactured in the Commonwealth of Australia is hereby revoked.
4. The existing Tariff (being the First Schedule to the Customs Acts Amendment Act, 1934, with the alterations thereof referred to in section 6 of that Act and set out in Schedule B of the Appendix to the Trade Agreement (New Zealand and Australia) Ratification Act, 1933) is hereby suspended in so far as it relates to (a) the goods set out in the said Schedule B, and (b) the goods set out in the First Schedule hereto, being (in both cases) the produce or manufacture of the Commonwealth of Australia.
5. The duties set forth in the Second Schedule hereto are hereby imposed, and the exemptions from duty set out therein are hereby created.
6. Every application of duties hereby effected and every exemption from duty hereby created shall be subject to the provisions of section 143 of the Customs Act, 1913.
7. 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, shall be recovered and enforced as if this Order had not been made.
8. Nothing in this Order shall be deemed to affect the provisions of section 4 of the Customs Acts Amendment Act, 1931, in respect of the imposition of primage duty on any goods affected by this Order.
9. The provisions of this Order shall have effect, notwithstanding anything contained in the Customs Tariff Amendment Order 1938, No. 1,* and the Customs Tariff Amendment Order 1938, No. $2 . \dagger$

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

Duties imposed by the Customs Acts Auendment Act, 1934, suspended in so far as they relate to Goods being the Produce or Manufacture of the Commonwealth of Australita.

| Item No. | Tariff Items. | British Preferential Tariff. Column No. 1. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 11 | Vegetables, viz. :- <br> (1) Preserved peas in tins or similar containers including the weight of any liquid | 20 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 56 | Pickles .. | 20 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 57 | Sauces; chutney ; soy, and catsup, in vessels of 10 gallons capacity and under | 2s. per gallon. |
| 61 | Provisions, viz. :- <br> Ex (1) Soups, other than oyster soup and other fish soup, in powder or otherwise and whether in admixture with other substances or not . . | 10 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 136 | Apparel, clothing, and hosiery, viz. :- <br> (2) Shirts, pyjamas, and nightdresses, not being knitted or made-up from knitted materials ; collars and cuffs for shirts <br> (3) Braces, suspenders, garters, belts, and similar articles <br> Ex (4) Gloves, and mittens, wholly or principally of leather <br> (5) Neckties .. <br> (6) Men's and boys' overcoats n.e.i., suits, coats, trousers, waistcoats, and similar articles <br> (7) N.e.i. | 20 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 20 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 20 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 20 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 25 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 25 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 164 | Hats, and caps, in any stage of manufacture, including hat-hoods n.e.i. | 20 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 170 | Millinery of all kinds, including trimmed hats, caps, and bonnets | 20 per cent. ad valorem. |
| Ex 180 | Knitted or lock-stitched piece-goods of silk, or artificial silk, or of combinations of these materials with one another, or with any other material (except wool or hair) | Free. |
| Ex 180 | Plain tablecloths, tablenapkins, towels, quilts, sheets, and similar plain articles, which have been manufactured merely by cutting, hemming, or any similar operation, wholly from textile piece-goods of cotton, linen, jute, hemp, other vegetable fibre, silk, imitation silk, artificial silk, or of combinations of these materials with one another, or with any other material (except wool or hair). . | Free. |
| $\underset{\text { Serial num }}{*} \text { Stat }$ | ory Regulations 1938, Serial number 1938/27. 1938/28. | $\dagger$ Statutory Regulations 1938, |



| Item No. | Tariff Items. | British Preferential Tariff. $\text { Column No. } 1 .$ |
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| 305 | Stationery n.e.i.; cards, printers' menu, programme, calendar, Christmas, and similar, of cardboard, celluloid, or similar material, edged, or having embossed or printed thereon such words as "Menu," " Calendar," " Christmas Greetings," but otherwise unprinted, and suited to be completed in New Zealand | 20 per cent. ad valorem. |
| Ex 310 | Washers wholly of rubber | Free. |
| Ex 331 | Lawn-mowers of the hand roller type | 20 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 334 | Dairying machınery, and appliances, viz. :Ex (2) Milking machine parts wholly of rubber | Free. |
| 338 | Machinery or appliances, electrical, viz. :Ex (1) (a) Storage batteries (including parts thereof) | Free. |
|  | Ex (2) Switches (including bell-pushes) of a rated current-carrying-capacity not exceeding 35 amperes, wall-plugs and shoes or sockets therefor, flush boxes for switches or wall-plugs, fuses, and wire or cable connectors .. <br> (3) Carbons or electrodes for are lamps, for electric furnaces, or for electric welding <br> (9) (a) Wireless broadcast receiving sets, built up, but not mounted in cabinets | Free. Free. Free. |
| Ex 340 | Ex (10) Electric irons <br> Table-lamps, reading-lamps, bedside-lamps, of stand or clamp type | 20 per cent. ad valorem. 10 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 353 | Machinery, machines, engines. and other appliances, n.e.i., viz. :- <br> (3) Electric cooking and electric heating appliances <br> (4) Stone crushing machines, viz., jau crushers <br> (5) Concrete mixers <br> Ex (6) Other kinds, excluding vacuum-pumps suited for use with milking machines | 20 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 10 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 15 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 20 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 356 | Ex (1) Hardware, hollowware, and ironmongery, n.e.i.; manufactured or partly manufactured articles of metal, and manufactured or partly manufactured articles of metal in combination with any other material, n.e.i. (excluding pumps, or mechanical units for pumps, of the type used for vending petrol) | 20 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 363 | (2) Porcelain enamelled cast iron baths <br> Printers' type and materials, viz. :- <br> (2) Stereotypes, electrotypes, matrices, half-tone and line blocks | 25 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 397 | Paints, colours, varnishes, and similar materials, viz. : <br> (2) Paints, and colours, ground in liquid, n.e.i. ; paints mixed ready for use ; enamel paints; ships' antifouling composition : paint-thinners, n.e.i., driers, n.e $\dot{-}$. | 15 per cent. ad valorem |


| Item No. | Tariff Items. | British Preferential Tariff. |
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| Column No. 1. |  |  |

SECOND SCHEDULE.
Duties rmposed and Exemptions from Duty created.


Tariff Rates on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the Commonwealth of Australia.

Free.
Free.
Free.

1s. 6d. per cental.
Free.
1s. 6d. per cental.

2s. 6d. per cental.
9d. per lb.
£l per ton.
£2 10s. per ton.

25 per cent. ad valorem, or 2 d . per lb., whichever rate returns the higher duty.
25 per cent. ad valorem.

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Item } \\ & \text { No. } \end{aligned}$ | Tariff Items. | Tariff Rates on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the Commonwealth of Australia. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 18 | Coffee, roasted | 5d. per lb. |
| 19 | Coffee, essence of, and essence of coffee mixed with milk or with any food substance whatsoever | 25 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 25 | Bacon and hams | 2 d . per lb. |
| 27 | Biscuits, other kinds | 20 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 32 | Confectionery including medicated confectionery, liquorice n.e.i., and sugared or crystallized fruits | 25 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 35 | Fish, viz. :- <br> (2) Fish, fresh, smoked, dried, pickled, salted, preserved by cold process, or preserved by sulphurous acid, n.e.i. <br> (3) Fish, potted, and preserved, n.e.i., including any liquor, oil, or sauce .. <br> (Note.-The term " fish" is used in the Tariff in its widest sense, and includes shell-fish, crustaceans, and other foods obtained from the fisheries.) | Free. <br> Free. |
| 36 | Fruits, dried-viz. :- <br> (2) Raisins .. <br> (Note.-The duty on raisins under the General Tariff is 1d. per lb.) | Free. |
| 37 | Fruits, fresh-viz.:- <br> (2) (a) Apricots, grapes, medlars, nectarines, passion-fruit, peaches, plums, quinces, tomatoes <br> (b) Cherries | 2d. per lb. <br> 3 d. per lb. |
| 39 | Fruits preserved in juice or syrup, viz. :- <br> (1) Pineapples and prunes <br> (2) Other kinds <br> (Note.-Fruits preserved in juice or syrup, fortified with alcohol to any extent exceeding 40 per cent. of proof spirit, shall be charged 40s. per liquid gallon on such juice or syrup, in addition to the appropriate duty on the total value of the goods.) | 25 per cent. ad valorem. 35 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 40 | Trees and plants, viz. :- <br> (1) Fruit trees and plants, viz., a p ple, apricot, blackberry, cherry, currant, gooseberry, lemon, lime, logan-berry, nectarine, orange, peach, pear, plum, quince, and raspberry <br> (2) Flowering trees and plants, viz., rose | 25 per cent. ad valorem. 25 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 45 | Jams, jellies, marmalade, and preserves .. |  |
| 49 | Meats, potted or preserved (not including mutton birds) | 2 d . per lb. |
| $\begin{aligned} & 56 \\ & 57 \end{aligned}$ | Pickles <br> Sauces; chutney; soy, and catsup, in vessels of 10 gallons capacity and under . | 30 per cent. ad valorem. 4 s . per gallon. |
| 61 | Provisions, viz.:- <br> Ex (1) Oyster soup and other fish soup, in powder or otherwise and whether in admixture with other substances or not <br> $\operatorname{Ex}$ (1) Soups, other than oyster soup and other fish soup, in powder or otherwise and whether in admixture with other substances or not .. | Free. 20 per cent. ad valorem. |



| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Item } \\ & \text { No. } \end{aligned}$ | Tariff Items. |
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| 183 | Ex (2) Textile piece-goods, of wool or containing wool, n.e.i. |
| Ex 184 | Blankets of wool or containing wool |
| 189 | Upholstery n.e.i. .. .. |
| 196 | (1) Boots and shoes n.e.i., composed of canvas with rubber soles solutioned to the uppers, including goloshes and overshoes |
|  | (2) Slippers n.e.i. .. .- .. |
|  | (3) Boots, shoes, clogs, pattens, shoettes, sandals, and other footwear n.e.i.. . |

Tariff Rates on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the Commonwealth of Australia.

30 per cent. ad valorem.
30 per cent. ad valorem.
40 per cent. ad valorem.

25 per cent. ad valorem.
40 per cent. ad valorem.
40 per cent. ad valorem, or 4s. per pair, whichever rate returns the higher duty.

15 per cent. ad valorem.

15 per cent. ad valorem.
20 per cent. ad valorem, or 3d. per lb., whichever rate returns the higher duty.
(6) (a) Leather, japanned, or enamelled, other than patent leathers; also such other leather specially suited for furniture and upholstery work, as may be approved by the Minister, and under conditions prescribed by him
$\ddot{t s}$ (not being apparei),
(8) Leather n.e.i.; belts (not being apparel),
and belting, wholly or partly composed of leather

20 per cent. ad valorem.

20 per cent. ad valorem, or 3d. per lb., whichever rate returns the higher duty.

40 per cent. ad valorem. 35 per cent. ad valorem.

35 per cent. ad valorem.

20 per cent. ad valorem.

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| Item <br> No. | Tariff Items. |
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| Ex 246 | Mouldings, in the piece, and panels, com- <br> posed wholly of wood, suited for picture <br> frames, cornices, walls, or ceilings |
| 262 | Toilet preparations, and perfumery, n.e.i., <br> including perfumed oil <br> Cardboard boxes, and paper boxes, complete |
| 268 | paper, and cardboard, cut or shaped for |
| 274 | Erappers boxes or other receptacles <br> Envelopes and bags, paper, n.e.i. |
| Ink, printing, n.e.i.; stencilling and similar |  |
| inks; show-card or poster colours in liquid |  |
| form, celluloid, or similar materials, and |  |

Ex 298 Wrapping-paper, all kinds, glazed, millglazed, or unglazed, including browns, caps, casings, sulphites, sugars and all other bag papers, candle carton paper, tissues, and tinfoil paper, not printed, n.e.i., viz. : In sheets not less than 20 inches by $15 \frac{1}{2}$ inches or the equivalent, or in rolls not less than 10 inches wide
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Stationery n.c.i.; cards, printers' menu, programme, calendar, Christmas, and similar, of cardboard, celluloid, or similar material, edged, or having embossed or printed thereon such words as " Menu ", "Calendar ", "Christmas Greetings", but otherwise unprinted, and suited to be completed in New Zealand
m-cards, and calendars, all kinds, including glacier stickers suited for exhibition on windows.

Tariff Rates on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the Commonwealth of Australia.

30 per cent. ad valorem.
35 per cent. ad valorem.

30 per cent. ad valorem.
30 per cent. ad valorem.

25 per cent. ad valorem.

30 per cent. ad valorem.

6s. per cwt.

30 per cent. ad valorem.

30 per cent. ad valorem.

30 per cent. ad valorem. 15 per cent. ad valorem.

30 per cent. ad valorem. 30 per cent. ad valorem.

15 per cent. ad valorem.

20 per cent. ad valorem.

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| Ex 340 | Table-lamps, reading-lamps, bedside-lamps, of stand or clamp type |  |
| 353 | Machinery, machines, engines, and other appliances, n.e.i., viz. :- <br> Ex (1) Gas heating and gas cooking appliances <br> Ex (1) Valves, taps, tobies, hydrants, and similar articles, of brass or other copper alloy <br> (3) Electric cooking and electric heating appliances <br> (4) Stone crushing machines, viz., jaw crushers <br> (5) Concrete mixers. . <br> Ex (6) (a) Vacuum pumps suited for use with milking machines, im- <br> (6) (b) Other kinds ported separately | 35 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 40 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 30 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 30 per cent. ad valorem. <br> 30 per cent. ad valorem. <br> Free. <br> 30 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 356 | Ex (1) Hardware, hollowware, and ironmongery, n.e.i. ; manufactured or partly manufactured articles of metal, and manufactured or partly manufactured articles of metal in combination with any other material, n.c.i. (excluding pumps, or mechanical units for pumps, of the type used for vending petrol) <br> (2) Porcelain enamelled cast iron baths . . | 30 per cent. ad valorem. 45 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 361 | Nails, lead-headed, and galvanized cupheaded roofing nails | 25 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 362 | Pipes, piping, tubes, and tubing (except coil pipes), viz. :- <br> (2) (b) (i) Centrifugally-castiron pipes piping tubes and tubing, exceeding 6 inches but not exceeding 12 inches in nominal internal diameter .. | 20 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 363 | (4) Lead or composition <br> Printers' type and materials, viz. :- <br> (2) Stereotypes, electrotypes, matrices, half-tone and line blocks | 4s. 6d. per cwt. 30 per cent. ad valorem. |
| 373 | Tinware, and tin manufactures, n.e.i. | 35 per cent. ad |



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