

THE TRADE AGREEMENT (AUSTRALIA) ORDER (NO. 2) 1955

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 14th day of September 1955

Present:

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 Australia and New Zealand, hereby makes the following order.

ORDER

- 1. (1) This order may be cited as the Trade Agreement (Australia) Order (No. 2) 1955.
 - (2) This order shall come into force on the 16th day of September 1955.
- 2. 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, and as modified by the Trade Agreement (Australia) Order 1938* and the Trade Agreement (Australia) Order 1948†) is hereby suspended in so far as it relates to the goods set out in the First Schedule hereto being the produce or manufacture of Australia.
- 3. The duties set forth in the Second Schedule hereto are hereby imposed.
- 4. Every application of duties hereby effected shall be subject to the provisions of section 143 of the Customs Act, 1913.
- 5. All duties of Customs that have become due and payable and all penalties and forfeitures that have been incurred before the commencement of this order shall be recovered and enforced as if this order had not been made.

* S.R. 1938/29. † S.R. 1948/112.

SCHEDULES

FIRST SCHEDULE

DUTIES SUSPENDED

Item No.	Tariff Items	Tariff Rates on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of Australia
196	(1) Boots and shoes n.e.i., composed of canvas with rubber soles solutioned to the uppers, including goloshes and overshoes	25 per cent ad valorem.
	(2) Slippers n.e.i	35 per cent ad valorem. 35 per cent ad valorem or 4s. per pair, whichever rate returns the higher duty.

SECOND SCHEDULE

DUTIES IMPOSED

Item No.	Tariff Items	Tariff Rates on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of Australia
196	Footwear n.e.i. viz.— (2) Children's exceeding size 6 but not exceeding size 13 (3) Other	30 per cent ad valorem or 2s. 6d. per pair, whichever rate returns the higher duty. 35 per cent ad valorem or 4s. per pair, whichever rate returns the higher duty.

T. J. SHERRARD, 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 amends the duty on certain footwear under the Trade Agreement with Australia and also brings the text of the items into conformity with the Tariff as amended.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936. Date of notification in *Gazette*: 15 September 1955. These regulations are administered in the Customs Department.