

Minister's Decisions under Customs Acts.

Customs Department, Wellington, 30th March, 1926.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Hon. the Minister of Customs has decided to interpret the Customs Acts in relation to the undermentioned articles as follows:—

NOTE.—“Not elsewhere included” appears as n.e.i.; “other kinds” as o.k.; “articles and materials suited for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication or repair of goods within New Zealand” as a. and m.s. Articles marked thus † are revised decisions.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.		
			British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
13/72/8	A. and m.s., viz. :— Bags, trunks, &c., fittings for— Celluloid plaquettes or panels, for use in making ladies' hand-bags	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
†6/190	Prints, chromos, photo-prints, and photolithographs, of such descriptions as may be approved by the Minister when declared for use solely in making fancy boxes or decorating the covers of writing-pads, postcard albums, or similar articles made in New Zealand (NOTE.—Revises decision on page 79 of the Tariff-book.)	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
9/5/28	Tanners', curriers', and fellmongers' requisites— Cresyntan A. 1	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
9/5/25	De Gras, “Moellon Special” ..				
9/9/5	Progil's Bates, “B.C.R.,” and “A.M.R.”				
5/40/28	Yarns, viz.,— Mendings, being yarns made of wool combined with silk or with artificial silk, not exceeding 45 yards in length	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
†6/78/2	Cardboard, &c., articles made of, viz. :— Drinking-cups of paraffined paper .. (NOTE.—Revises decision on page 143 of the Tariff-book.)	As table and household utensils n.e.i. made of cardboard, &c. (367)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
4/290	Chemicals, drugs, &c., n.e.i., viz. :— Campho-Phenique	As medicinal preparations n.e.i. (157)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
†20/47/63	Educational apparatus, &c., on declaration that they have been specially imported and will be used solely for educational purposes in a school, college, or university, and that they will not be removed therefrom without payment of the duty, viz. :— “Coolidge” X-ray tubes (NOTE.—Revises decision in M.O. 17.)	As educational apparatus (624)	Free ..	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
20/47/65	Glass troughs and racks for microscope-slides	As educational apparatus (624)	Free ..	10 per cent.	15 per cent.
11/17	Electric appliances and materials, viz. :— Axle linings (for the bearings of electric motors for tram-cars)	As parts of electric motors (433A)	Free ..	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
20/47/65	Furniture, cabinetware, and upholstery, n.e.i., viz. :— Cabinets for microscope-slides (claimed as educational apparatus)	As cabinetware n.e.i. (611)	25 per cent.	35 per cent.	40 per cent.
2/90	Machines and implements, agricultural, viz. :— Haystacker, Ogles' Patent	As agricultural machines (436)	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
†3/115	Knives, foot-rot, having fixed blades .. (NOTE.—Revises decision on page 375 of the Tariff-book.)	As agricultural implements (436)	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
2/237/18	Machinery, &c., n.e.i., peculiar to use in manufacturing and industrial processes, viz. :— Bakers' machines, viz.,— Bread-wrapping machine, the “Union” Cake-mixing machines “Nos. 17 and 18” (Baker Perkins, Limited, manufacturers) (Revises decision in M.O. 45.)	As machines, &c., peculiar to use in industrial processes (481) (2)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.