

Minister's Decisions under Customs Acts.

Customs Department, Wellington, 2nd May, 1927.

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.
†14/3	A. and m.s., viz. :— Glass circles, bevelled, on declaration that they will be used solely in the manufacture or repair of railway lamps (Revises decision in M.O. 33.)	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
2/148/6	Machines, dredging and excavating, viz. :— “Killifer Loader” for attachment to a tractor for digging and loading gravel, &c.	As machines, excavating (446)	10 per cent.	15 per cent.	15 per cent.
2/237/11	Machinery, &c., n.e.i., peculiar to use in manufacturing and industrial processes, viz. :— Bakers' machines, viz. :— Oven, double-deck steampipe (Bristol Steam Oven Works, manufacturers) (NOTE.—Firebricks, tiles, and tanks, even if imported therewith, are to be separately classified under their respective Tariff headings.)	As machines, &c., peculiar to use in industrial processes (481) (2)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/34/38	Bootmaking and leather-working, viz. :— Press, “Welfix,” for use in cementing soles to shoes				
2/92/28	Cardboard box-making, viz. :— Carton opening and sealing machine, including forming blocks therefor				
†2/184/3	Emulsor, the “Defiance,” for working skim-milk powder mixed with butter into cream (Revises decision in M.O. 58.)				
2/235/18	Gasmaking, viz. :— Tar Extractor, “P. and A.,” for extracting tar from gas liquor (R. and J. Dempster, Ltd., manufacturers)				
13/25/9	Photo-printing machine, the “Pako” Junior Printer	As machinery &c., peculiar to metal-working (481) (1)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
†2/18/2	Printers' and stationers' machines, viz. :— Paper-cutting machines—Guillotines (Revises decisions on guillotines specified in M.O. 29, 37, 40, and 48.)				
3/11/16	Spray-gun, “Herco” Auto wash, for cleaning motor-cars by means of compressed air and water (not including hose, tanks, &c.)	As manufactured articles of metal n.e.i. (547)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
3/432/8	Machinery and appliances, n.e.i., peculiar to metal-working, viz. :— Moulds of brass, for use in casting lead toys				
†2/371/2	Metal, manufactured articles of, n.e.i., &c., viz. :— Trolley for conveying extractor-baskets in fat-extracting works (Revises decision in M.O. 58.)	As road graders (451) ..	Free ..	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/148/6	Road graders, viz. :— “Killifer” Back Filler				
3/320/2	Rollers, garden, water-ballast, and similar, viz. :— Roller, water-ballasted, motor-driven, suitable for rolling sports grounds, footpaths, &c. (NOTE.—The oil engine is to be separately classified under Tariff item 418.)	As rollers, garden, &c. (532)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.