

Minister's Decisions under Customs Acts.

Customs Department, Wellington, 30th 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.
†6/129/4	A. and m.s., viz.:— Paper, viz.,— Blocking papers, being gold, silver, and similar foil papers, specially suited for use in lettering articles by a blocking process (NOTE.—Revises decision in M.O. 27.) Stoves and ranges, &c., fittings for, viz.,— The following materials on declaration by a manufacturer that they will be used solely in the manufacture (not including repair) by him of gas or other cooking or heating appliances—	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
13/4/8	Enamelled oval name-tablets ..	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
3/504/2	Thermostats.	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	10 per cent.	15 per cent.
12/25/15	Dental appliances, &c., viz.:— “Gencivex” gum-facing outfits ..	As dental appliances (168)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/237	Machinery, &c., and appliances, n.e.i., peculiar to use in manufacturing and industrial processes, viz.:— Bakers' machines, viz.,— Cake-mixing and whisking machine (Baker Perkins, Ltd.'s, No. 20)	As machines, &c., peculiar to use in industrial processes (481) (2)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/237	Cake-mixing and whisking machine, the “Ovamixa,” having a capacity of 100 lb. and upwards				
2/34/41	Bootmaking and leather-working, viz.,— Treeing machine, the “British” ..				
2/104/6	Brushmaking, viz.,— Brush-scalloping machine, the “Selag”				
2/92/15	Cardboard-box making, viz.,— Folding-box-glueing machine, the “Jagenberg”				
2/111/5	Flour-milling machinery, viz.,— Flour - packer, the “Invincible,” for bagging flour				
2/7/10	Oilers, the “Waugh Automatic Air-line,” peculiar to use in lubricating rock-drills and pneumatic motors				
2/270/4	Oil-purifier, the “Empson” centrifugal (NOTE.—The pumps, electric motor and purified oil receiver (if imported) are to be separately classified under their appropriate tariff items. The value of the truck is to be apportioned among the various parts of the outfit.)				
3/11/10	Paint-spraying outfits, the “Spraco” .. (NOTE.—The electric motors, fans, spray-guns, spray-booths, hose, hose connections and couplings, and spare insert containers are to be separately classified under their appropriate tariff items.)				
2/54/6	Woollen-mill machinery, viz.,— Dag - crushing and wool - teasing machine (Hall Bros. and Co., manufacturers)				
3/503/6	Metal, manufactured articles of, n.e.i., &c., viz.:— Copper boxes, being bases for light switches and other electric appliances (claimed as fittings for conduit pipes)	As manufactured articles of metal n.e.i. (547)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
3/27/8	Platedware; gold and silver plate, viz.:— Cups, gold or silver, unfinished parts of—namely, bowls or other similar parts (claimed as metal stampings)	As gold plate (321) ..	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.