

Minister's Decisions under Customs Acts.

Customs Department, Wellington, 21st November, 1934.

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:—

NOTES.—(a) "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. (b) Articles marked thus † are revised decisions. (c) The rates of duty payable on goods set out hereunder have not been shown except in the case of goods classed under Tariff items 415, 448, and 449, and of goods admitted under the provisions of section 11 of the Customs Amendment Act, 1927 at a rate of duty lower than that provided for in the First Schedule to the Customs Acts Amendment Act, 1934. Where goods are admitted under the provisions of section 11 aforesaid, the reduced rate is marked with an asterisk. (d) Steam-engines, gas-engines, oil-engines, and electric or other motors are not, unless otherwise indicated, to be regarded as parts of the machines with which they are imported. (e) Surtax as provided for in section 5 of the Customs Acts Amendment Act, 1930, or primage duty as provided for in section 4 of the Customs Acts Amendment Act, 1931, as the case may be, is payable in addition to the duties set out hereunder.

Record.	Goods.	Classed under Tariff Item No.	Rate of Duty.	
			British Preferential Tariff.	General Tariff.
4/360	Anæsthetics, general or local, viz.:— Anæsthesin, pure (Bayer Products, Ltd.) Avertin Benzamine Hydrochloride (Synonyms—Betacaine, Eucaine hydrochloride, Eucaine or Eucaine B.) Benzamine Hydrochloride, pure, or with adrenalin and/or sodium chloride Benzamine Lactate, pure, or in combination with adrenalin and/or sodium chloride Burroughs Wellcome and Co.'s Hypodermic Anæsthetic Compounds (A) and (B) Cocaine alkaloid, pure Cocaine hydrochloride, pure, or in combination with adrenalin or epinine, and/or sodium chloride Cocaine hydrochloride in combination with salts of atropine, homatropine, pilocarpine, or physostigmine, for ophthalmic work Ephedrine-Novocaine Epicaine (Burroughs Wellcome and Co.) Evipan-Sodium (Bayer Products, Ltd.) Gravocain (Novocain and strychnine sulphate in solution).. .. . Leonard's Local Anæsthetic Murocaine, pure, or in combination with adrenalin and/or sodium chloride Nosuprin, pure, or in combination with adrenalin and/or sodium chloride Novocain (Synonyms—Kerocain, Planocaine, Allocain, Synecaine, Procaine, Procaine hydrochloride, or Aethocaine) Novocain, pure, or in combination with adrenalin and/or sodium chloride Novol, pure, or in combination with adrenalin and/or sodium chloride (Novocal Chemical Manufacturing Co.) Novozoirol, pure, or in combination with adrenalin and/or sodium chloride (Zirol Chemical Co., Ltd.) Novutox (Novocain in combination with adrenalin, Ringer's solution, quinine derivatives, and benzoic acid) Pantocain, pure, or in combination with adrenalin and/or sodium chloride Pantocain "L" (Bayer Products, Ltd.) Parsetic (Parke Davis and Co.) Percaine, pure, or in combination with adrenalin (suprarenin) and/or sodium chloride (Society of Chem. Ind., Basle) Spinocain (Novocain and strychnine sulphate in alcoholic solution).. Sterinovo (Novocain, Suprarenin, and sodium chloride in solution).. Stovaine Billon and Stovaine Glucose Topacain (Waite's) Tropacocaine and its hydrochloride Tutocain (Butamin), pure, or in combination with adrenalin and/or sodium chloride Urea-quinine Waite's Local Anæsthetic (Procaine solution)	100
8/14/5	A. and m.s., viz.:— Apparel, articles and materials for the manufacture of, viz.,— Neckwear, articles and materials used in making up, viz.,— Textile piece-goods containing wool, specially suited for tie-making, of qualities approved by the Minister Chemicals, &c., used in manufactures, viz.,— Weaving, dyeing, &c., of textiles, materials used in, viz.,— "S. Finish I" for imparting a soft finish to textiles	448	Free	20 per cent.
7/50/32	Cordage and twine, viz.,— Twine, 1 to 5 ply, of qualities approved by the Minister, on declaration that it will be used solely in the manufacture of woolpacks	448	Free	Free.
20/129/24	Builders' and cabinetmakers' hardware, viz.:— Hinges, tee and double strap, made up from sheet or plate metal of a thickness less than 0.110 inch	448	Free	20 per cent.
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