

Minister's Decisions under Customs Acts.

Customs Department, Wellington, 3rd August, 1936.

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 416, 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.	Classified under Tariff Item No.	Rate of Duty.	
			British Preferential Tariff.	General Tariff.
16-4/360/2	Anæsthetics, general or local, viz. :— Waite's Local Anæsthetic with "Cobefrin"	100
16-4/287/31	Animal glands or tissues, preparations made from, viz. :— "Lutren" (Bayer Products, Ltd., London)	120 (1)
†16-4/287	Animal glands or tissues, liver, pancreas, pituitary and thyroid preparations, viz. :— Harrower Laboratory Inc., Glendale, Cal., U.S.A.,— Adreno-Hypophysis Co. Adreno-Ovarian Co. Adreno-Spermin Co. Amylo-Trypsin Co. Antero-Pituitary Co. Gonad Co. Gonad-Ovarian Co. Heparnucleate Hepato-Splenic Co. Iodized Thyroid Co. Mamma-Ovary Co. Mamma-Pituitary Co. Pancreatin-Bile Co. Paracalcin Paracalcin solution Para-Spleen Co. Pituitary Co. Placenta Co. Placento-Mammary Co. Thyroid Co. Thyro-Ovarian Co. Thyro-Pancreas Co. w. Ovary Thyro-Pancreas Co. w. Spermin (NOTE.—Revises decision respecting "Hapato-Splenic Co." and "Para-Spleen Co." on page 15 of Tariff-book.)	120 (2)
16-4/294/17	Antiseptics, viz. :— "Ichthamol" (Ichthammol B.P.)	100
16-20/109/24	A. and m.s., viz. :— Boots, shoes, &c., articles and materials for the manufacture or repair of, viz. :— "Ketanol," used to soften celluloid, on declaration by a manufacturer that it will be used by him only in the manufacture of boots or shoes	448	Free	Free.
†16-4/293	Chemicals, &c., used in manufactures, viz.,— Lacquers, cellulose and pyroxylin, chemicals for making, including cellulose solvents, viz.— Ethylene glycol (glycol) on declaration by a manufacturer that it will be used by him only as a cellulose solvent in the manufacture of lacquers (NOTE.—Revises decision on page 27 of Tariff-book.)	448	Free	Free.
†16-4/418	Linoleic acid, on declaration by a manufacturer that it will be used by him only in the manufacture of paints (NOTE.—Revises decision on page 28 of Tariff-book.)	448	Free	Free.
16-4/418/2	Naphthenic acid, on declaration by a manufacturer that it will be used by him solely for making such articles as may be approved by the Minister	448	Free	Free.
16-4/218/3	"Tylose 4S," a preparation used for emulsifying non-miscible liquids	448	Free	Free.
16-7/167	Wool grease, refined (Lanoline), imported in bulk in containers of not less than 2 cwt., on declaration by a manufacturer (a) that it will be used by him only in the manufacture of veterinary medicines compounded in accordance with formulæ approved by the Minister, and (b) that the veterinary medicines so compounded will not be repacked into packages of a less net weight than $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.	448	Free	10 per cent.