

Minister's Decisions under Customs Acts.

Customs Department, Wellington, 23rd December, 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.
†20-4/287/52	Animal glands or tissues, preparations made from, viz.:— G.P. Parathyroid tablets G.P. Pituitary tablets G.P. Thyroid-Ovarian tablets Hepabos tablets Novo-Hepabos Sang-Cre liver extract (NOTE.—Cancels decision respecting "San-Cre" on page 15 of Tariff-book.)	120 (1)	..	..
20-4/287/31	"Uden" (Bayer Products, Ltd.)			
20-4/287/52	Animal glands or tissues, liver, pancreas, pituitary, and thyroid preparations, viz.:— G.P. Parathyroid Co. tablets Hepabos compound	120 (2)	..	..
20-20/200/5	A. and m.s., viz.:— Chemicals, &c., used in manufactures, viz.,— Lacquers, cellulose and pyroxylin, chemicals for making, including cellulose solvents, viz.,— Ethylene glycol mono-methyl ether (a cellulose solvent)				448	Free	Free.
20-3/338/12	Valve seats or washers of synthetic rubber, on declaration by a manufacturer that they will be used by him only in the manufacture of valves	448	Free	Free.
20-4/44/64	Bacteriological products, viz.:— "Bilivaccine" (La Biotherapie, Paris)	97	..	..
20-3/650/7	Electrical machinery, appliances, and materials, viz.:— Cooking and heating appliances, viz.,— Porcelains, oven element, and porcelain oven element terminal blocks, for use in the manufacture of commercial baking ovens	353 (3)	..	..
20-3/847	"Scalebuoys," being sealed glass bulbs filled with rare gas and containing a small amount of mercury			
20-12/5/48	Surgery, electrical appliances peculiar to, viz.,— X-ray apparatus, viz.,— "Tuto" X-ray tube shields (Siemens-Reiniger-Werke A.G., Berlin)	338 (1) (a)	..	..
20-2/34/38	Machinery, &c., and appliances, viz.:— Manufacturing, industrial, &c., viz.,— Bootmaking and leather-working, viz.,— Outsole roughing machine, model "B" Upper roughing machine, model "C"	352	..	..
20-2/362/2	Coating pan, copper, power operated, for use in coating pills, tablets, &c.			
20-2/101/17	Conveyors, viz.,— "Jeffrey" self-propelled coal loader, type 212-A (Jeffrey Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio, U.S.A.) (NOTE.—Oil engines or electric motors therefor are to be separately classified under the appropriate tariff items.)	352	..	..
20-2/20/4	Engines, oil, and parts, viz.,— Spare parts (not including piston rings or parts enumerated in the Tariff) of oil engines for road-rollers	352	..	..
20-2/510/4	Filling, packing, and wrapping, viz.,— "Rap-a-Tire" tire-wrapping machine, hand operated ..	352	..	..
20-2/235/27	Gas-making and servicing, viz.,— "Thermec" automatic gas controller or regulator, including the governor valve for use therewith (Charles Gray, Leigh-on-Sea, Essex, England)	352	..	..
20-2/18/115	Printers' and stationers', viz.,— Index cutting and printing machines, the "Krause" automatic, models YTN and YTNB (NOTE.—The printing attachment is to be separately classified under T.I. 351 (13).)	352	..	..

* Under section 11, Customs Amendment Act, 1927.