STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1977 No. 983

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

The Customs Duties (Greece) (No. 2) Order 1977

Made - - - - - -	3*rd June* 1977
Laid before the House of Commons	9*th June* 1977
Coming into Operation - -	1*st July* 1977

The Treasury, by virtue of the powers conferred on them by section 5(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**a**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State, hereby make the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Customs Duties (Greece) (No. 2) Order 1977 and shall come into operation on 1st July 1977.

(2) In this Order—

references to goods originating in Greece are references to goods which are to be regarded as being in free circulation in Greece under Article 7 of the Agreement, signed on 9th July 1961, establishing an Association between the European Economic Community and Greece(**b**) as modified by the Interim Agreement signed on 28th April 1975, between the European Economic Community and Greece(**c**);

references to a heading or subheading are references to a heading or subheading of the common customs tariff of the European Economic Community;

Article 11(5) of the Import Duties (General) (No. 5) Order 1975(**d**), as amended(**e**), shall apply as it applies in relation to the said Order.

(3) The Interpretation Act 1889(**f**) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. Subject to Article 3(1) below, in the case of goods originating in Greece which fall within a heading or subheading specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto—

(*a*) if a rate of duty is shown in column 3 thereof in relation to the goods, customs duty shall be charged at the rate so shown if the amount of the duty so charged would be less than the amount of the duty in the common customs tariff applicable to the goods and

(*b*) if the entry "free" appears in the said column 3 in relation to the goods, no customs duty shall be charged.

(**a**) 1972 c. 68.

(**b**) The Agreement is annexed to Decision (EEC) 63/106 (O.J. No. 26, 18.2.63, p. 293/63).

(**c**) *See* O.J. No. 123, 15.5.75, p. 1.

(**d**) S.I. 1975/1744 (1975 III, p. 5912).

(**e**) There is no relevant amending Order.

(**f**) 1889 c. 63.

3.—(1) Where a period of time or a description of goods is specified in column 2 of the Schedule hereto in relation to any heading or subheading, the exemptions from, or reductions in, duty provided for in relation to that heading or subheading by Article 2 above shall apply only during that period or to goods of that description as the case may be.

(2) Any description of goods in column 2 of the Schedule hereto shall be taken to comprise all goods which would be classified under an entry in the same terms constituting a subheading.

David Stoddart,

T. E. Graham,

Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

3rd June 1977.

SCHEDULE

SPECIFIC REDUCTIONS AND EXEMPTIONS IN DUTY ON GOODS OF GREECE

Tariff Heading (1)	Description (2)	Rate of Duty (if any) (3)
01.01		Free
01.02 A.I.		Free
B.		Free
01.04		Free
01.06 A.		Free
02.01 A.I.	Horsemeat	5%
IV.	Mutton, bone-in carcases, whole	W.i.l. of 20% or £0·9186 per 100 kg
	Other mutton and lamb	W.i.l. of 20% or £1·8375 per 100 kg
	Other meat	10%
B.II.a)		Free
d)		Free
02.04 A.	Fresh rabbit	5%
	Edible meat offals	Free
	Other meat	10%
B.	Edible meat offals	Free
C.	Edible meat offals	Free
	Other meat	10%
02.06 A.		5%
C.II.	Edible offals, meat of mutton and lamb	Free
	Horsemeat, smoked	5%
	Other	10%
03.01 A.I.a)		10%
b)	Chilled or frozen	Free
C.	Roes	5%

Tariff Heading (1)	Description (2)	Rate of Duty (if any) (3)
03.02 A.I.a)	Wet salted split	Free
	Other	10%
c)	Wet salted split	Free
d)	Wet salted split	Free
	Other	10%
e)	Wet salted split	Free
	Other	10%
f)	Wet salted split	Free
	Other	10%
II.b) to d) (inclusive)		10%
B.II. to V. (inclusive)		10%
C.	Roes	5%
	Livers	10%
D.		10%
03.03 A.I.	Frozen or dried	10%
II.b)1.	Frozen or dried	10%
2.	Frozen or dried	10%
III.	Frozen or dried	10%
IV.a)		10%
b)2.	Frozen or dried	10%
c)	Frozen or dried	10%
V.	All goods of this subheading, other than Norway lobsters (Dublin Bay prawns) not frozen or dried	10%
B.I.b)	In shell: 1 March to 31 May	Free
	In shell of the kind Ostrea virginica: 1 June to last day of February	15%
04.05 A.II.	Not exceeding 6·3 kg in weight per 120	W.i.l. of 12% or £0·0500 per 120
	Over 6·3 kg but not exceeding 7·7 kg in weight per 120	W.i.l. of 12% or £0·0750 per 120
	Over 7·7 kg in weight per 120	W.i.l. of 12% or £0·0875 per 120
04.07		10%
07.02 A.		10%
07.04 B.	Olives in airtight containers	15%
	Other olives	10%
08.01 A.		Free
B.	Fresh	W.i.l. of 20% or £0·7381 per 100 kg
	Dried	10%
C.	Dried	5%
D.		5%
E.	Whole, shelled or not	Free
H.		5%
09.01 A.I.a)		W.i.l. of 7% or £0·4625 per 100 kg
b)		W.i.l. of 13% or £0·4625 per 100 kg
II.a)		W.i.l. of 15% or £0·6200 per 100 kg
b)		W.i.l. of 18% or £0·6200 per 100 kg
B.		5%
C.	Coffee and chicory, roasted and ground, mixed but without other ingredients	W.i.l. of 18% or £1·3778 per 100 kg

Tariff Heading (1)	Description (2)	Rate of Duty (if any) (3)
09.01 C. (contd)	Other	10%
09.02 A.		Free
09.04 A.I.b)	Peppercorns, the fruit of *Piper nigrum*	Free
B.	All goods of this subheading other than crushed or ground pepper	10%
09.05		10%
09.06		5%
09.07		10%
09.08 B.I.		10%
09.09 A.II.		Free
III.b)2.	All goods of this subheading other than fennel seed	Free
B.I.		Free
III.	All goods of this subheading other than aniseed and fennel seed	Free
09.10 F.I.		10%
II.b)		10%
11.03 to 11.05 (inclusive)		10%
11.08 B.		10%
12.03 A.		10%
12.05		W.i.l. of 2% or £1·8699 per 100 kg
12.06	Hops	W.i.l. of 9% or £3·9368 per 50 kg
12.07 A.	Flowers	Free
C.	In a dried state, not ground or powdered	Free
12.08 C.	Apricot kernels, whole	Free
15.03 C.		10%
15.04 A.I.	Cod liver oil in casks, drums or other receptacles capable of holding at least 84 kg of cod liver oil and without internal containers	W.i.l. of 6% or £0·0119 per kg
	Other cod liver oil	W.i.l. of 6% or £0·0158 per kg
15.07 B.	Tung oil (china-wood oil), raw; oiticica oil, raw or liquid	Free
D.I.a)3.	Stillingia oil (tallow seed oil)	Free
II.a)2.		10%
b)1.	Coconut oil	15%
	Other	10%
2.bb)	Other than coconut oil, ground-nut oil, linseed oil, rape oil, sesamum oil, soya bean oil, sunflower seed oil and safflower seed oil	10%
15.12	Whale oil (not including sperm oil)	Free

Tariff Heading (1)	Description (2)	Rate of Duty (if any) (3)
15.12 (contd)	Coconut oil, ground-nut oil, linseed oil, rape oil, sesamum oil, soya bean oil, sunflower seed oil, safflower seed oil	15%
	Other	10%
15.13		10%
16.02 A.I.		15%
B.II.	In airtight containers excluding pastes	10%
	Other	15%
III.b)2.	In airtight containers excluding pastes	10%
	Other	15%
16.03 C.		10%
16.05 A.	Frozen or preserved in vinegar or airtight containers	10%
B.	Oysters	15%
	Canned shrimps and canned prawns	7·5%
	Other excluding clams, cockles, crawfish, crayfish, lobsters, mussels, Norway lobsters (Dublin Bay prawns), scallops (including queen scallops), whelks and winkles not frozen or preserved in vinegar or airtight containers	10%
18.01		Free
18.02		Free
22.07 B.I.	Made wine not exceeding 15°	£0·1000 per liquid gal
	Made wine exceeding 15°	£0·5000 per liquid gal
	Cider and perry of a strength less than 8·7° and containing no added alcohol or colouring or flavouring matter	10%
II.a)	Beer of the descriptions called or similar to mum, spruce, black beer, Berlin white beer, or other preparations of a similar character, where the worts thereof were before fermentation of a gravity of 1200° or more	Free
	Other beer	£1·0000 per 36 gals
	Cider and perry of a strength less than 8·7° and containing no added alcohol or colouring or flavouring matter	10%
b)	Beer of the descriptions called or similar to mum, spruce, black beer, Berlin white beer, or other preparations of a similar character, where the worts thereof were before fermentation of a gravity of 1200° or more	Free
	Other beer	£1·0000 per 36 gals
	Made wine not exceeding 15°, not in bottle	£0·1250 per liquid gal
	Cider and perry of a strength less than 8·7° and containing no added alcohol or colouring or flavouring matter	10%
22.08	Spirits obtained from agricultural products listed in Annex II to the EEC Treaty	£0·1250 per proof gal
22.09 A.	Spirits obtained from agricultural products listed in Annex II to the EEC Treaty	£0·0625 per proof gal
22.10 B.I.		W.i.l. of 23% or 0·3636 UA per gal

Tariff Heading (1)	Description (2)	Rate of Duty (if any) (3)
22.10 B.II.		W.i.l. of 23% or 0·2727 UA per gal
23.01 B.	Herring meal	Free
23.07 C.	Vitamin supplements: where the vitamin content consists of natural vitamin concentrates	5%
	Other	W.i.l. of (a) 5%, or 22% of the value of the vitamin content (other than natural vitamin concentrates), w.i.g. or (b) 15%
	Liquefied herring wholly of herring apart from preserving and liquefying ingredients	Free
	Other	10%
45.01		Free

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order, which comes into operation on 1st July 1977, provides for special rates of customs duty set out in the Schedule to the Order (or for exemption where the word "free" appears in column 3) in respect of certain agricultural goods originating in Greece in accordance with the provisions of the Association Agreement of 9th July 1961 between the European Economic Community and Greece and the Interim Agreement of 28th April 1975. These special rates apply only where the amount of duty at these rates is less than the amount that would be applicable under the Common Customs Tariff of the European Economic Community.

Under the terms of the Agreements duty continues to be chargeable at rates not exceeding those which applied to those goods on import into the United Kingdom on 1st January 1972.

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