STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

The Import Duties (Developing Countries) (No. 2) Order 1975

Made - - - -	20*th February* 1975
Laid before the House of Commons -	10*th March* 1975
Coming into Operation	31*st March* 1975

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by virtue of the powers conferred on them by section 1 of the Finance Act 1971**(a)** and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State**(b)**, hereby make the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Import Duties (Developing Countries) (No. 2) Order 1975 and shall come into operation on 31st March 1975.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889**(c)** shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament and as if this Order and the Order hereby revoked were Acts of Parliament.

2. The Import Duties (Developing Countries) (No. 3) Order 1973**(d)**, as amended**(e)**, shall have effect as if—

(*a*) in Article 3(1) and (3) as from 1st August 1975 after "that Schedule" there were inserted "or of Schedule 2 (except Papua-New Guinea)";

(*b*) in Article 4(1) and (2) for "31st January 1975" there were substituted "31st July 1975, or, in respect of goods of Papua-New Guinea, 31st December 1977";

(*c*) in Part I of Schedule 1 "French Polynesia" were deleted;

(*d*) in Part III of Schedule 1 after subheading 21.04 A there were inserted "21.04 ex B sauces with a vegetable oil basis";

(*e*) in Part IV of Schedule 2 in column 2 of subheading 16.03 A.I for "3%" there were substituted "2%";

(*f*) in Part IV of Schedule 2 in column 2 of subheading 21.01 A.I for "£0·49920" there were substituted "£0·4920";

(a) 1971 c. 68.
(b) *See* S.I. 1970/1537 (1970 III, p. 5293).
(c) 1889 c. 63.
(d) S.I. 1973/2218 (1973 III, p. 7830).
(e) The relevant amending Orders are S.I. 1974/2071, 1975/26 (1974 III, p. 8074; 1975 I, p. 113).

(*g*) in Part IV of Schedule 2 the words in column 1 after "21.02 A" were deleted.

3. The Import Duties (Developing Countries) Order 1975**(a)** is hereby revoked.

M. Cocks,
Donald R. Coleman,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

20th February 1975.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order, which comes into operation on 31st March 1975, amends the Import Duties (Developing Countries) (No. 3) Order 1973 by extending until 31st July 1975 the period during which tariff preferences are available for goods of certain developing countries (named in Schedule 2 to the Import Duties (Developing Countries) (No. 3) Order 1973) associated or eligible for association with the European Economic Community. The Order also provides that after that date those countries (except Papua-New Guinea) shall enjoy the same tariff preferences as the goods of the developing countries named in Schedule 1 to the Order of 1973. The Order also deletes French Polynesia from Part I of Schedule 1 as it is included in the territories in Part I of Schedule 2 described as "French Settlements in Oceania", and makes amendments to Schedules 1 and 2 to correct certain typographical errors.

(a) S.I. 1975/26 (1975 I, p. 113).

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