The Import Duties (Exemptions) (No. 8) Order, 1951

1951 No. 1019

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Coming into Operation	*14th June,* 1951

Whereas the Treasury, after consultation with the appropriate department, are of opinion that artificial silk waste ought to be exempted from the provisions of section one of the Import Duties Act, 1932(a):

Now, therefore; the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, by virtue of the powers conferred on them by section one of the Import Duties Act, 1932, by subsection (3) of section ten of the Finance Act, 1934(b), and by section one of the Import Duties (Emergency Provisions) Act, 1939(c), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:—

1. Artificial silk waste shall be added to the First Schedule to the Import Duties Act, 1932.

2. Accordingly in the said Schedule as amended by the Import Duties (Exemptions Consolidation) Order, 1935(d), and by subsequent Orders, and in the Second Annex to the said Order of 1935 as amended by subsequent Orders, Group IX shall be amended by re-numbering the existing paragraph (10) as paragraph (11), and by inserting immediately before that paragraph the following new paragraph:—

" (10) Artificial silk waste."

3. This Order may be cited as the Import Duties (Exemptions) (No. 8) Order, 1951.

4. This Order shall come into operation on the 14th day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-one.

Dated this 8th day of June, 1951.

R. J. Taylor,
Wm. Hannan,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note does not form part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order exempts artificial silk waste from duty under the Import Duties Act, 1932.

(The Silk Duties (No. 1) Order, 1951, repeals the silk duty of 9d. per lb. previously chargeable on such waste, and provides for the imposition on it of a " new " silk duty at the same rate per lb. as from the beginning of 1952. If no other provision were made, the general ad valorem duty of 10 per cent. under the Import Duties Act, 1932, would be chargeable on the waste in question during the period for which silk duty was not chargeable).

(a) 22 & 23 Geo. 5. c. 8. (b) 24 & 25 Geo. 5. c. 32. (c) 2 & 3 Geo. 6. c. 97.
(d) S.R. & O. 1935 (No. 1244) p. 298.