# 1955 No. 1473

## The Import Duties (Exemptions) (No. 9) Order, 1955

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| *Made* - - - - | *23rd September,* 1955 |
| *Laid before the House of Commons* - - | *27th September,* 1955 |
| *Coming into Operation* | *29th September,* 1955 |

Whereas the Treasury, after consultation with the appropriate department, are of opinion that the goods specified in the Schedule to this Order ought to be exempted from the provisions of section one of the Import Duties Act, 1932(**a**):

Now, therefore, the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by virtue of the powers conferred on them by section one and subsection (5) of section nineteen 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.**—(1) The goods specified in the Schedule to this Order shall (so far as not already included) be added to the First Schedule to the Import Duties Act, 1932.

(2) Accordingly the said First Schedule as amended by the Import Duties (Exemptions Consolidation) Order, 1935(**d**), and by the Import Duties (Exemptions) (No. 4) Order, 1947(**e**), and the Second Annex to the said Order of 1935 as so amended, shall be further amended by substituting for paragraph (8) of Group X the paragraph set out in the Schedule to this Order.

**2.**—(1) This Order may be cited as the Import Duties (Exemptions) (No. 9) Order, 1955.

(2) This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-ninth day of September, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

Dated this twenty-third day of September, 1955.

*Edward Heath,*
*R. H. M. Thompson,*
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

### SCHEDULE

GOODS ADDED TO FREE LIST (SO FAR AS NOT ALREADY EXEMPT)

(8) Siloxanes, whether polymerised or not; and mixtures containing 50 per cent. or more by weight of such siloxanes.

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### EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Siloxanes, whether polymerised or not, and certain mixtures containing 50 per cent. or more by weight of siloxanes are exempt from duty chargeable under the Import Duties Act, 1932.

This Order extends the exemption to cover all such mixtures.

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(**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. 1935/1244 (1935, p. 298). (**e**) S.R. & O. 1947/2306 (1947 I, p. 401).