STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1971 No. 851

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

The Import Duties (General) (No. 3) Order 1971

Made - - - -	20*th May* 1971
Laid before the House of Commons	25*th May* 1971
Coming into Operation	1*st July* 1971

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by virtue of the powers conferred on them by sections 1, 2 and 13 of the Import Duties Act 1958(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 Import Duties (General) (No. 3) Order 1971.

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

(3) This Order shall come into operation on 1st July 1971.

2. In Schedule 1 to the Import Duties (General) (No. 7) Order 1970(c) (which by reference to the Customs Tariff 1959 sets out the import duties chargeable under the Import Duties Act 1958) for subheading 02.01(A)(2) there shall be substituted the following:—

" 02.01(A)(2) Mutton and lamb:

(*a*) Mutton, bone-in carcases, whole	The first rate set out below	C. The first rate set out below E. The first rate set out below	
(*b*) Other	The second rate set out below	C. The second rate set out below E. The second rate set out below	

The said first rate (for paragraph (*a*) of this subheading in both columns 2 and 3) is:—

(i) from 1st July 1971 to the end of 1971	£0·2332 per cwt.
(ii) from 1st January 1972 to the end of June 1972	£0·4667 per cwt.
(iii) from 1st July 1972 onwards ...	£0·7000 per cwt.

(a) 1958 c. 6. (b) 1889 c. 63. (c) S.I. 1970/1522 (1970 III, p. 4935).

The said second rate (for paragraph (*b*) of this subheading in both columns 2 and 3) is:—

(i) from 1st July 1971 to the end of 1971	£0·4665 per cwt.
(ii) from 1st January 1972 to the end of June 1972	£0·9335 per cwt.
(iii) from 1st July 1972 onwards ...	£1·4000 per cwt. ".

P. L. Hawkins,
H. S. P. Monro,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

20th May 1971.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order provides for the imposition as from 1st July 1971 of import duties on fresh, chilled or frozen mutton or lamb, except for goods imported from the Republic of Ireland, and also provides for increases in those import duties as from 1st January 1972 and 1st July 1972.