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The Import Duties (General) (No. 4) Order 1977

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Coming into Operation	30*th June* 1977

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by virtue of the powers conferred on them by sections 1, 2, 3(6) and 13 of the Import Duties Act 1958(**a**), as amended by section 5(5) of, and paragraph 1 of Schedule 4 to, the European Communities Act 1972(**b**), and by section 1 of the Finance Act 1971(**c**), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State(**d**), hereby make the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Import Duties (General) (No. 4) Order 1977 and shall come into operation on 30th June 1977.

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

2.—(1) For Article 4(4) to the Import Duties (General) (No. 10) Order 1976(**f**), as amended(**g**), there shall be substituted the following:—

"(4) As from 1st July 1977 Article 7(3) shall cease to have effect."

(2) At the end of Article 5 to the Import Duties (General) (No. 3) Order 1977(**g**) there shall be inserted "or in the Import Duties (General) (No. 4) Order 1977."

J. Dormand,
David Stoddart,

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

29th June 1977

(**a**) 1958 c. 6. (**b**) 1972 c. 68. (**c**) 1971 c. 68. (**d**) *See* S.I. 1970/1537 (1970 III, p. 5293).
(**e**) 1889 c. 63. (**f**) S.I. 1976/2077 (1976 III, p. 5700). (**g**) The relevant amending Order is S.I. 1977/713 (1977 I, p. 2112).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order, which comes into operation on 30th June 1977, further amends the Import Duties (General) (No. 10) Order 1976 so that Cyprus and Malta will continue to be entitled to the Commonwealth preference area rates for horticultural goods which were in force before the United Kingdom's accession to the European Communities.

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