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CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

The Import Duties (General) (No. 8) Order 1964

Made - - - -	*24th August* 1964
Laid before the House of Commons	*28th August* 1964
Coming into Operation	*1st September* 1964

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 Board of Trade hereby make the following Order :—

1.—(1) The Schedule to the Import Duties (General) (No. 3) Order 1961(**b**) (which by reference to the Customs Tariff 1959 sets out the import duties chargeable under the Import Duties Act 1958), as amended by subsequent Orders under that Act(**c**), shall be further amended in accordance with the provisions of the Schedule to this Order.

(2) In consequence of the foregoing paragraph, paragraph 19 of the Schedule to the Import Duties (General) (No. 4) Order 1963(**d**) is hereby revoked.

2. It is hereby declared, in pursuance of section 13(5) of the said Act of 1958, that the Treasury are of opinion that, in the circumstances existing at the date of this Order, the alterations made by paragraphs 2 to 7 of the Schedule to this Order are not calculated to raise the general level of duty on any goods.

3.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Import Duties (General) (No. 8) Order 1964.

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

(3) This Order shall come into operation on 1st September 1964.

M. A. Hamilton,
Ian MacArthur,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

24th August 1964.

(a) 6 & 7 Eliz. 2. c. 6. (b) S.I. 1961/403 (1961 I, p. 585).
(c) See, in particular, S.I. 1963/1013, 1465, 2009 (1963 II, pp. 1680, 2608 ; III, p. 4247).
(d) S.I. 1963/1013 (1963 II, p. 1680). (e) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

SCHEDULE

AMENDMENT OF IMPORT DUTIES (GENERAL) (No. 3) ORDER 1961

Removal or reduction of duty on certain sweetened fruit juices

1. In heading 20.07, the following shall be substituted for sub-heading (A):—

" (A) Citrus fruit juices:			
(1) Grapefruit juice; orange, clementine, mandarin or tangerine juice whether containing the detached cells of the fruit or not:			
(*a*) Not containing more than 20 per cent. by weight of added sweetening matter	—	—	—
(*b*) Other	3%	—	3%
(2) Other:			
(*a*) Not containing more than 20 per cent. by weight of added sweetening matter	15%	—	15%
(*b*) Other	18%	—	18%"

with the rates of duty in columns 2 and 4.

Reduction in E.F.T.A. rate of duty on certain goods containing hydrocarbon oils

2. Heading 32.09 shall be amended as follows:—

(*a*) in sub-heading (C)(1)(*b*)(i)(II), in column 4, for " 8% " there shall be substituted " 2½%, in addition to any revenue duty " ;

(*b*) in sub-heading (C)(3)(*a*)(ii), in column 4, for " 7% " there shall be substituted " 1½%, in addition to any revenue duty ";

(*c*) in sub-heading (C)(4)(*a*), in column 4, for " 11% " there shall be substituted " 5½%, in addition to any revenue duty ".

3. In sub-heading 34.05(A), in column 4, for " 7% " there shall be substituted " 1½%, in addition to any revenue duty ".

4. Heading 38.11. shall be amended as follows:—

(*a*) in sub-heading (B)(1)(*a*), in column 4, for " 7% or such greater rate as is equal to the amount or aggregate amount of the duty chargeable on such constituents " there shall be substituted " 1½% or such greater rate as is equal to the amount or aggregate amount of the duty chargeable on such constituents, in addition to any revenue duty ";

(*b*) in sub-heading (B)(2)(*a*), in column 4, for " 7% " there shall be substituted " 1½%, in addition to any revenue duty ".

5. Heading 38.19 shall be amended as follows:—

(*a*) in sub-heading (IJ)(1)(*a*), in column 4, for " 7% or such greater rate as is equal to the amount or aggregate amount of the duty chargeable on such constituents " there shall be substituted " 1½% or such greater rate as is equal to the amount or aggregate amount of the duty chargeable on such constituents, in addition to any revenue duty ";

(*b*) in sub-heading (IJ)(2)(*a*), in column 4, for " 7% " there shall be substituted " 1½%, in addition to any revenue duty ".

6. In sub-heading 39.01(E)(1)(*b*), in column 4, for " 7% " there shall be substituted " 1½%, in addition to any revenue duty ".

7. In sub-heading 40.06(C), in column 4, for " 11% " there shall be substituted " 5½%, in addition to any revenue duty ".

Removal of duty (full rate 20%; E.F.T.A. rate 8%) on certain punched cards, tapes, etc.

8. In heading 48.21 there shall be inserted the following sub-heading, and the existing sub-heading (E) shall be re-numbered accordingly:—

" (E) Cards, tapes and other articles on which information has been recorded by means of perforated holes and which are for use in statistical and other machines (but not including articles for use in Jacquard and similar machines)...	—	—	—"

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order :—

(1) Provides for the rates of import duty on citrus fruit juices containing not more than 20 per cent. by weight of added sweetening matter to be the same as those on citrus fruit juices not containing added sweetening matter. The effect is that both the full and the E.F.T.A. rates of duty on fruit juices classified in Tariff sub-heading 20.07(A)(1)(*b*) are removed and both the full and E.F.T.A. rates of duty on fruit juices classified in 20.07(A)(2)(*b*) are slightly reduced.

(2) Reduces the E.F.T.A. rates of import duty on certain goods containing hydrocarbon oils so as to maintain the existing effective level of protection; but provides for the additional charge of any revenue duty which may be chargeable.

(3) Removes both the full and the E.F.T.A. rates of import duty on certain used punched cards, tapes and other articles.