STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1974 No. 2070

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

The Import Duties (Quota Relief) (Paper, Paperboard and Printed Products) Order 1974

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The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 5(1) and (4) of, and paragraph 8 of Schedule 3 to, the Import Duties Act 1958**(a)**, as amended**(b)**, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Import Duties (Quota Relief) (Paper, Paperboard and Printed Products) Order 1974 and shall operate from the beginning of 1st January 1975 up to and including 31st December 1975.

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

(3) In this Order—

"the Agreements" means the Agreements, signed on 22nd July 1972, between the European Economic Community and, respectively, Austria, Iceland, Portugal, Sweden and Switzerland, the Agreement, signed on 14th May 1973, between the Community and Norway and the Agreement, signed on 5th October 1973, between the Community and Finland**(d)** and references to an Agreement shall be construed accordingly;

references to goods originating in any of the above-mentioned countries are references to products which, under the provisions of the Agreements, are to be regarded as originating there.

2.—(1) No import duty shall be charged on the relevant quota of goods which—

(*a*) fall within a heading or subheading of the Customs Tariff 1959 specified in column 3 of any of the Schedules hereto,

(*b*) are of a description specified in column 1 of such a Schedule in relation

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(a) 1958 c. 6.
(b) *See* paragraph 1 of Schedule 4 to the European Communities Act 1972 (c.68).
(c) 1889 c. 63.
(d) The Agreements with Austria, Iceland, Portugal, Sweden, Switzerland, Norway and Finland are annexed respectively to Regulations (EEC) Nos. 2836/72 (O.J. No. L 300, p. 1), 2842/72 (O.J. No. L 301, p. 1), 2844/72 (O.J. No. L 301, p. 166), 2838/72 (O.J. No. L 300, p. 96), 2840/72 (O.J. No. L 300, p. 188), 1691/73 (O.J. No. L 171, p. 1), and 3177/73 (O.J. No. L 328, p. 1).

to the heading or subheading and

(*c*) originate in the country to which the Schedule relates and satisfy the provisions of Article 25(1) of Protocol No. 3 (relating to origin of goods) to the Agreement between the Community and that country.

(2) For the purposes of this Article, the "relevant quota" of goods of a description specified in column 1 of any Schedule hereto is the quantity of goods specified in column 2 of such a Schedule in relation to the description (such quantities being expressed as a number of tonnes or a value in pounds), and any entry in column 2 of a Schedule prescribing a limit to a subclass of goods within a quota shall have effect.

(3) The Schedules to this Order relate to the countries named in Article 1(3) above as follows:

Schedule 1 to Austria,
Schedule 2 to Iceland,
Schedule 3 to Portugal,
Schedule 4 to Sweden,
Schedule 5 to Switzerland,
Schedule 6 to Norway and
Schedule 7 to Finland.

(4) Goods shall be treated as forming part of a quota in the order in which they are entered for home use (within the meaning of the Customs and Excise Act 1952**(a)**) in the United Kingdom on or after 1st January 1975 and in which an application for relief has been made in respect of the goods under the Import Duty Reliefs (Administration) Order 1958**(b)**.

3. A description of goods in column 1 or 2 of any of the Schedules hereto, other than one covering a whole heading or subheading, shall be taken to comprise all goods which would be classified under a description in the same terms constituting a subheading in the relevant heading of the Customs Tariff 1959.

Eric Deakins,
Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Trade,
Department of Trade.

10th December 1974.

(a) 1952 c. 44.

(b) S.I. 1958/1965 (1958 I, p. 790).

SCHEDULE 1

AUSTRIA

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
All goods of these subheadings excluding kraft liner and sack kraft	5,000 tonnes	Ex 48.01.C.II.a) Ex 48.01.C.II.b)
Bible paper (India paper), copying tissue, other printing paper and other writing paper, not containing mechanical wood pulp or in which mechanical wood pulp does not represent more than 5%	2,390 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)2.bb) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)3 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Printing paper and writing paper, containing mechanical wood pulp, excluding copying tissue	830 tonnes	48.01.E.II.b)2.aa) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)2.bb) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)3 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
All goods of these subheadings other than sulphite paper for wrapping purposes, semi-chemical fluting paper, cellulose wadding and than paper covered by the two entries in this column immediately preceding this one	580 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.a) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 48.01.E.II.b)4 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
All goods of this subheading	820 tonnes	48.01.E.I
Coated printing paper	18,000 tonnes	Ex 48.07.B.I.c)1
All goods of these subheadings other than coated printing paper	2,920 tonnes	48.07.B.I.a) 48.07.B.I.b) Ex 48.07.B.I.c)1 48.07.B.I.c)2 48.07.B.I.c)3 48.07.B.I.c)4 48.07.B.II
All goods of this subheading	3,380 tonnes	48.15.B
All goods of these headings and subheadings other than those covered by any of the preceding entries in this column relating to subheadings 48.01.C.II.a), 48.01.C.II.b), 48.01.E.II.a), 48.01.E.II.b)1 and 48.01.E.II.b)5	3,190 tonnes	48.01.B 48.01.C.I Ex 48.01.C.II.a) Ex 48.01.C.II.b) 48.01.D Ex 48.01.E.II.a) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5 48.02 48.03 48.04 48.05 48.06

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
		48.07.A 48.08 48.10 48.11 48.12 48.13 48.14 48.15.A 48.16 48.17 48.18 48.19 48.20 48.21
All goods of these headings and subheadings	£187,161	49.03 49.05.A 49.07.A 49.07.C.II 49.08 49.09 49.10 49.11.B

SCHEDULE 2

ICELAND

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
All goods of these headings and subheadings	10 tonnes	All subheadings of 48.01 other than 48.01.A, and all headings from 48.02 to 48.21 (inclusive) other than 48.09
All goods of these headings and subheadings	£1,894	49.03 49.05.A 49.07.A 49.07.C.II 49.08 49.09 49.10 49.11.B

SCHEDULE 3

PORTUGAL

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
All goods of these headings and subheadings	597 tonnes	All subheadings of 48.01 other than 48.01.A, and all headings from 48.02 to 48.21 (inclusive) other than 48.09
All goods of these headings and subheadings	£11,248	49.03 49.05.A 49.07.A 49.07.C.II 49.08 49.09 49.10 49.11.B

SCHEDULE 4

SWEDEN

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
Kraft liner	117,230 tonnes (of which not more than 100,430 tonnes weighing 220 g/m^2 or less, and not more than 16,800 tonnes weighing more than 220 g/m^2)	Ex 48.01.C.II.a) Ex 48.01.C.II.b)
Sack kraft	121,571 tonnes	Ex 48.01.C.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.C.II.b)3
All goods of these subheadings other than kraft liner and sack kraft	76,980 tonnes (of which not more than 12,000 tonnes bleached and semi-bleached and not more than 64,980 tonnes unbleached)	Ex 48.01.C.II.a) Ex 48.01.C.II.b)
Bible paper (India paper), copying tissue, other printing paper and other writing paper, not containing mechanical woodpulp or in which mechanical woodpulp does not represent more than 5%	14,000 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)2.bb) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)3 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
Printing paper and writing paper, containing mechanical wood pulp, excluding copying tissue	54,850 tonnes	48.01.E.II.b)2.aa) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)2.bb) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)3 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Fluting paper for corrugated paperboard	40,802 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Sulphite paper for wrapping purposes	19,000 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.a)
All goods of these subheadings other than cellulose wadding and than paper covered by the four entries in this column immediately preceding this one	26,500 tonnes (of which not more than 6,500 tonnes test liner (including jute liner), not more than 1,000 tonnes tissue paper (hard), not more than 2,000 tonnes base paper for sensitising with solutions other than silver salts, not more than 9,000 tonnes wallpaper base and not more than 8,000 tonnes other papers not mentioned in the four entries in this column immediately preceding this one)	Ex 48.01.E.II.a) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 48.01.E.II.b)4 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Paperboard other than kraft board	35,300 tonnes (of which not more than 8,000 tonnes test linerboard (including jute linerboard), not more than 17,500 tonnes folding box board, not more than 300 tonnes electrical insulating pressboard and not more than 9,500 tonnes other paperboard not mentioned in the three entries in this column immediately preceding this one)	48.01.E.1
All goods of this heading	8,480 tonnes	48.03
All goods of this heading	565 tonnes	48.04
All goods of these subheadings	10,000 tonnes	48.05.B.I.b) 48.05.B.I.c) 48.05.B.II
Coated printing paper	9,920 tonnes (of which not more than 6,500 tonnes mechanical	Ex 48.07.B.I.c)1

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
	and not more than 3,420 tonnes other than mechanical)	
All goods of these subheadings other than coated printing paper	36,748 tonnes (of which not more than 6,300 tonnes folding box board and not more than 30,448 tonnes other than folding box board)	48.07.B.I.a) 48.07.B.I.b) Ex 48.07.B.I.c)1 48.07.B.I.c)2 48.07.B.I.c)3 48.07.B.I.c)4 48.07.B.II
All goods of this subheading	2,837 tonnes	48.15.B
All goods of this heading	477 tonnes	48.16
All goods of these subheadings	1,062 tonnes	48.21.B 48.21.C.
All goods of these headings and subheadings other than those covered by any of the preceding entries in this column relating to subheadings 48.01.E.II.b)1 and 48·01.E.II.b)5	5,999 tonnes (of which not more than 2,500 tonnes paper manufactured wholly of bleached or unbleached sulphate cellulose fibre excluding that for spinning into yarn and corrugated and not more than 3,500 tonnes other than paper manufactured wholly of bleached or unbleached sulphate cellulose fibre but including paper for spinning into yarn and corrugated)	48.01.B 48.01.C.I 48.01.D Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5 48.02 48.05.A 48.05.B.I.a) 48.06 48.07.A 48.08 48.10 48.11 48.12 48.13 48.14 48.15.A 48.17 48.18 48.19 48.20 48.21.A
All goods of these headings and subheadings	£708,196	49.03 49.05.A 49.07.A 49.07.C.II 49.08 49.09 49.10 49.11.B

SCHEDULE 5

SWITZERLAND

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
All goods of these subheadings except kraft liner and sack kraft	152 tonnes	Ex 48.01.C.II.a) Ex 48.01.C.II.b)
Bible paper (India paper), copying tissue, other printing paper and other writing paper, not containing mechanical wood pulp or in which mechanical wood pulp does not represent more than 5%	212 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)2.bb) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)3 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Wallpaper base	256 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
All goods of this heading	132 tonnes	48.03
Coated printing paper	159 tonnes	Ex 48.07.B.I.c)1
All goods of these subheadings other than coated printing paper	615 tonnes	48.07.B.I.a) 48.07.B.I.b) Ex 48.07.B.I.c)1 48.07.B.I.c)2 48.07.B.I.c)3 48.07.B.I.c)4 48.07.B.II
All goods of this heading	217 tonnes	48.16
All goods of these subheadings	154 tonnes	48.21.B 48.21.C
All goods of these headings and subheadings other than those covered by any of the preceding entries in this column	548 tonnes	48.01.B 48.01.C.I Ex 48.01.C.II.a) Ex 48.01.C.II.b) 48.01.D 48.01.E.I 48.01.E.II.a) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 48.01.E.II.b)2.aa) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)2.bb) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)3 48.01.E.II.b)4 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5 48.02 48.04 48.05 48.06 48.07.A 48.08 48.10 48.11

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
		48.12 48.13 48.14 48.15 48.17 48.18 48.19 48.20 48.21.A
All goods of these headings and subheadings	£694,764	49.03 49.05.A 49.07.A 49.07.C.II 49.08 49.09 49.10 49.11.B

SCHEDULE 6

NORWAY

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
Kraft liner	7,975 tonnes	Ex 48.01.C.II.a) Ex 48.01.C.II.b)
Sack kraft	16,000 tonnes	Ex 48.01.C.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.C.II.b)3
All goods of these subheadings other than kraft liner and sack kraft	12,200 tonnes (of which not more than 3,200 tonnes bleached and semi-bleached and not more than 9,000 tonnes unbleached)	Ex 48.01.C.II.a) Ex 48.01.C.II.b)
Bible paper (India paper), copying tissue, other printing paper and other writing paper, not containing mechanical woodpulp or in which mechanical woodpulp does not represent more than 5%	14,750 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)2.bb) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)3 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Printing paper and writing paper, containing mechanical wood pulp, excluding copying tissue	28,550 tonnes	48.01.E.II.b)2.aa) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)2.bb) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)3 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Fluting paper for corrugated paperboard	17,500 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
Sulphite paper for wrapping purposes	13,200 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.a)
All goods of these subheadings other than cellulose wadding and than paper covered by the four entries in this column immediately preceding this one	12,500 tonnes (of which not more than 5,500 tonnes tissue paper (hard) and not more than 7,000 tonnes other papers)	Ex 48.01.E.II.a) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 48.01.E.II.b)4 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Paperboard other than kraft board	10,700 tonnes (of which not more than 6,500 tonnes folding box board made from 100% woodpulp, not more than 2,400 tonnes folding box board made from furnishes including waste paper and not more than 1,800 tonnes other paperboard not mentioned in the two entries in this column immediately preceding this one)	48.01.E.I
All goods of this heading	18,500 tonnes	48.03
All goods of this subheading	6,280 tonnes (of which not more than 3,540 tonnes folding box board made from 100% woodpulp, not more than 740 tonnes folding box board made from other furnishes and not more than 2,000 tonnes other paper and paperboard not mentioned in the two entries in this column immediately preeceding this one)	48.07.B
All goods of these headings and subheadings other than those covered by the preceding entries in this column relating to subheadings 48.01.E.II.b)1 and 48.01.E.II.b)5	7,750 tonnes (of which not more than 2,100 tonnes crêped tissue paper and not more than 5,650 tonnes other than crêped tissue)	48.01.B 48.01.C.I 48.01.D Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5 48.02 48.04 48.05 48.06 48.07.A 48.08 48.10 48.11

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
		48.12 48.13 48.14 48.15 48.16 48.17 48.18 48.19 48.20 48.21
All goods of these headings and subheadings	£47,666	49.03 49.05.A 49.07.A 49.07.C.II 49.08 49.09 49.10 49.11.B

SCHEDULE 7

FINLAND

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
Kraft liner	53.640 tonnes (of which not more than 48,640 tonnes weighing 220 g/m² or less, and not more than 5,000 tonnes weighing more than 220 g/m²)	Ex 48.01.C.II.a) Ex 48.01.C.II.b)
Sack kraft	25,100 tonnes	Ex 48.01.C.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.C.II.b)3
All goods of these subheadings other than kraft liner and sack kraft	27,750 tonnes (of which not more than 1,750 tonnes bleached and semi-bleached and not more than 26,000 tonnes unbleached)	Ex 48.01.C.II.a) Ex 48.01.C.II.b)
Bible paper (India paper), copying tissue, other printing paper and other writing paper, not containing mechanical woodpulp or in which mechanical woodpulp does not represent more than 5%	15,250 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)2.bb) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)3 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
Printing paper and writing paper containing mechanical woodpulp, excluding copying tissue	186,000 tonnes	48.0.1E.II.b)2.aa) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)2.bb) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)3 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Fluting paper for corrugated paperboard	44,000 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Sulphite paper for wrapping purposes	6,000 tonnes	Ex 48.01.E.II.a)
All goods of these subheadings other than cellulose wadding and than paper covered by the four entries in this column immediately preceding this one	31,500 tonnes (of which not more than 25,000 tonnes wallpaper base and not more than 6,500 tonnes other than wallpaper base)	Ex 48.01.E.II.a) Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 48.01.E.II.b)4 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5
Paperboard other than kraft board	41,700 tonnes (of which not more than 24,000 tonnes folding box board made from 100% woodpulp, not more than 3,700 tonnes folding box board made from furnishes including waste paper and not more than 14,000 tonnes other paperboard not mentioned in the two entries in this column immediately preceding this one)	48.01.E.I
All goods of this heading	4,500 tonnes	48.03
All goods of these subheadings	22,000 tonnes	48.05.B.I.b) 48.05.B.I.c.) 48.05.B.II
Coated printing paper	16,040 tonnes (of which not more than 13,500 tonnes mechanical and not more than 2,540 tonnes other than mechanical)	Ex 48.07.B.I.c)1
All goods of these subheadings other than coated printing paper	49,350 tonnes (of which not more than 24,000 tonnes folding box board made from 100% wood pulp, not more than 1,600 tonnes folding box board made from furnishes including waste paper and not more than 23,750 tonnes other paper	48.07.B.I.a) 48.07.B.I.b) Ex 48.07.B.I.c)1 48.07.B.I.c)2 48.07.B.I.c)3 48.07.B.I.c)4 48.07.B.II

1 *Description of Goods*	2 *Quota*	3 *Tariff Heading or Subheading*
	and paperboard not mentioned in the two entries in this column immediately preceding this one)	
All goods of this subheading	5,500 tonnes	48.15.B
All goods of these headings and subheadings other than those covered by any of the preceding entries in this column relating to subheadings 48.01.E.II.b)1 and 48.01.E.II.b)5	5,000 tonnes	48.01.B 48.01.C.I 48.01.D Ex 48.01.E.II.b)1 Ex 48.01.E.II.b)5 48.02 48.04 48.05.A 48.05.B.I.a) 48.06 48.07.A 48.08 48.10 48.11 48.12 48.13 48.14 48.15.A 48.16 48.17 48.18 48.19 48.20 48.21
All goods of these headings and subheadings	£202,100	49.03 49.05.A 49.07.A 49.07.C.II 49.08 49.09 49.10 49.11.B

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, which comes into operation on 1st January 1975, provides for the opening and administration during 1975 of duty-free tariff quotas for paper, paperboard, and printed products originating in Austria, Iceland, Portugal, Sweden, Switzerland, Norway and Finland authorised to be opened by the Agreements between the European Economic Community and those countries. In order to qualify for duty-free treatment within the quotas goods must satisfy the conditions relating to origin in Article 25(1) of Protocol 3 to the Agreements. Goods which form part of these tariff quotas do so in the order in which they are entered for home use and in which an application for relief has been made.

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