STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1971 No. 273

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

The Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 2) Order 1971

Made - - - -	*22nd February* 1971
Laid before the House of Commons	*26th February* 1971
Coming into Operation	*4th March* 1971

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by virtue of the powers conferred on them by sections 3(6) 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 (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 2) 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 4th March 1971.

2.—(1) Until the beginning of 1st January 1972 or, in the case of goods in relation to which an earlier day is specified in Schedule 1 to this Order, until the beginning of that day, any import duty which is for the time being chargeable on goods of a heading of the Customs Tariff 1959 specified in that Schedule shall not be chargeable in respect of goods of any description there specified in relation to that heading.

(2) The period for which goods of the headings of the Customs Tariff 1959 and descriptions specified in Schedule 2 to this Order are exempt from import duty shall be extended until the beginning of 1st January 1972 or, in the case of goods in relation to which an earlier day is specified in that Schedule, until the beginning of that day.

(3) Any entry in column 2 in Schedule 1 or Schedule 2 to this Order is to be taken to comprise all goods which would be classified under an entry in the same terms constituting a subheading (other than the final subheading) in the relevant heading in the Customs Tariff 1959.

(4) For the purposes of classification under the Customs Tariff 1959, in so far as that depends on the rate of duty, any goods to which paragraph (1) or paragraph (2) above applies shall be treated as chargeable with the same duty as if this Order had not been made.

V. H. Goodhew,
Bernard Weatherill,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

22nd February 1971.

(**a**) 1958 c. 6. (**b**) 1889 c. 63.

SCHEDULE 1

GOODS TEMPORARILY EXEMPT FROM IMPORT DUTY

Tariff Heading	*Description*
28.29	Aluminium fluoride Aluminium sodium fluoride
29.01	5-Ethylidenebicyclo[2,2,1]hept-2-ene
29.02	1,2,3,4-Tetrachlorobenzene
29.05	1-Phenylprop-2-yn-1-ol
29.08	Benzyl cyclohex-3-enylidenemethyl ether 5-Propenylguaethol (-OH at 1)
29.10	1,1,3,3-Tetraethoxypropane (until 4th May 1971)
29.11	*n*-Octanal (until 1st July 1971)
29.12	Theobromine (until 4th May 1971)
29.14	*n*-Butyl chloroformate Cyclohexyl chloroformate 2-Ethylhexyl chloroformate
29.15	Succinic acid
29.22	Tri-*n*-butylamine (until 4th May 1971)
29.23	Ketamine hydrochloride
29.25	*β*-Benzyl hydrogen *N*-benzyloxycarbonyl-L-aspartate Glycylglycine Tetramethylurea
29.31	2-*n*-Butoxyethyl 2-thiocyanatoethyl ether 1,2-Di-(*N'*-methoxycarbonylthioureido)benzene 2,2'-Thiodi-(4-*tt*-octylphenolato)-*n*-butylaminenickel(II)
29.34	3-Mercaptopropyltrimethoxysilane
29.35	2-Amino-6-methylbenzothiazole 4-Cyclododecyl-2,6-dimethylmorpholinium acetate 1,5-Decanolactone 3,4-Dihydro-2-methoxypyran 1,5-Dodecanolactone Hypoxanthine
29.38	(+)-α-Tocopherol
39.03	Hydroxybutylmethylcellulose
50.05	Singles yarns, wholly of silk, not coarser than 100 decitex (10 milligrammes per metre), and multiples thereof, not dyed and not being slub or fancy yarns Slub and fancy yarns wholly of silk, not dyed
81.02	Molybdenum flat strip in coils, containing not more than 0·05 per cent. by weight of iron and not more than 0·01 per cent. by weight of nickel as major impurities, of a thickness of not less than 0·02 millimetre and not more than 1·3 millimetres, and of a width of not less than 0·5 millimetre and not more than 3·6 millimetres
90.07	Photo-reduction cameras with upper and lower positioning beds, for the production of printed circuit masters up to 60 centimetres by 60 centimetres and integrated circuit reticules down to 5 centimetres by 5 centimetres from originals on translucent copy board not exceeding 150 centimetres by 120 centimetres, the cameras being designed to give a repeat accuracy of size of not more than 1 part in 20,000 for an image area of 25 centimetres by 20 centimetres or less and not more than 1 part in 10,000 for image areas up to 60 centimetres by 60 centimetres (until 4th May 1971)

Tariff Heading	*Description*
95.05	Coral simply shaped in the form of cabochons, marquises, boutons or the like, polished but not faceted or otherwise worked

SCHEDULE 2

GOODS FOR WHICH EXEMPTION FROM IMPORT DUTY IS EXTENDED

Tariff Heading	*Description*
12.01	Castor seed (until 1st July 1971)
28.18	Magnesium oxide, dead-burned but not fused, of a purity not less than 96 per cent., containing (*a*) a total of not more than 1·0 per cent. by weight of aluminium compounds and iron compounds expressed as Al_2O_3 and Fe_2O_3, (*b*) a total of not more than 3·5 per cent. by weight of calcium compounds and silicon compounds expressed as CaO and SiO_2, the weight of silicon compounds being not less than 1·5 times and not more than 3·0 times the weight of calcium compounds; and (*c*) of which not less than 50 per cent. by weight is retained by a sieve having a nominal width of aperture of $\frac{3}{16}$ inch (until 1st July 1971)
	Magnesium oxide, dead-burned but not fused, of a purity not less than 96 per cent., which contains (*a*) not more than 0·05 per cent. by weight of boron compounds expressed as B_2O_3, (*b*) a total of not more than 0·5 per cent. by weight of aluminium compounds and iron compounds expressed as Al_2O_3 and Fe_2O_3, and (*c*) a total of not less than 1·0 per cent. by weight and not more than 3·5 per cent. by weight of calcium compounds and silicon compounds expressed as CaO and SiO_2, the weight of calcium compounds being not less than 1·5 times and not more than 2·5 times the weight of silicon compounds; and (*d*) of which not less than 35 per cent. by weight is retained by a sieve having a nominal width of aperture of $\frac{3}{16}$ inch (until 1st July 1971)
28.24	Cobaltous hydroxide (until 1st July 1971)
28.51	Deuterated potassium dihydrogen orthophosphate in the form of single crystals (until 1st July 1971)
28.52	Mixed rare earth chlorides which, when precipitated as oxalates and calcined, yield not less than 45 per cent. by weight of rare earth oxides, of which the content of cerium expressed as CeO_2 is not less than 45 per cent. by weight and the content of samarium expressed as Sm_2O_3 is not more than 3 per cent. by weight (until 1st July 1971)
29.06	Sodium biphenyl-2-yloxide (until 4th May 1971) 3,5-Xylenol (until 4th May 1971)
29.14	Undec-10-enoic acid (until 4th May 1971)
29.15	Oxalic acid
29.16	Calcium lactate
29.25	3,4,4′-Trichloro-*NN*′-diphenylurea (until 1st July 1971)
29.31	Dithiocyanatomethane having a melting point not less than 100° centigrade (until 4th May 1971)
29.44	Rifamycin B diethylamide, *mono*sodium derivative
39.01	Nylon 6 in the forms covered by Note 3(*b*) of Chapter 39, containing not more than 2 per cent. by weight of titanium dioxide and not more than 2·5 per cent. by weight of carbon black, but not otherwise compounded (until 4th May 1971)
39.03	Scrap exposed X-ray film (until 4th May 1971)

Tariff Heading	*Description*
73.15	Alloy steel coils for re-rolling, which contain not less than 14 per cent. nor more than 18 per cent. by weight of chromium as the major alloying element, and not more than 0·5 per cent. by weight of nickel, and having a width exceeding 500 millimetres but not more than 1,372 millimetres, and a thickness of not less than 3 millimetres nor more than 6 millimetres (until 1st July 1971)
	Hot rolled alloy steel strip in coils, containing not less than 14 per cent. by weight nor more than 18 per cent. by weight of chromium as the major alloying element, and not more than 0·5 per cent. by weight of nickel, of a width of not less than 254 millimetres nor more than 500 millimetres and of a thickness of not less than 3 millimetres nor more than 6 millimetres (until 1st July 1971)
	Sheets of alloy steel, rectangular or in coils, containing not more than 3·5 per cent. by weight of silicon as the major alloying element, whether or not coated, of a width exceeding 500 millimetres but not more than 1,250 millimetres, of a thickness not exceeding 1·6 millimetres (until 4th May 1971)
81.04	Chromium, electrolytic, in the form of cathode chips, which contains not more than 0·10 per cent. by weight of total oxygen, not more than 0·015 per cent. by weight of total aluminium, and not more than 0·001 per cent. by weight of aluminium compounds insoluble in boiling 5N hydrochloric acid and in boiling fuming perchloric acid, and estimated as Al (until 4th May 1971)

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order provides that the goods listed in Schedule 1 shall be temporarily exempt from import duty, and those listed in Schedule 2 shall continue to be exempt from import duty, both until 1st January 1972, except for items for which an earlier day is specified.