STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1971 No. 2000

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

The Import Duty Reliefs (No. 1) Order 1971

Made - - - -	*9th December* 1971
Laid before the House of Commons -	*15th December* 1971
Coming into Operation	*1st January* 1972

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by virtue of the powers conferred on them by section 5 of the Import Duties Act 1958(a), as extended by section 2 of the Finance Act 1971(b), 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 Duty Reliefs (No. 1) Order 1971.

(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) This Order shall come into operation on 1st January 1972.

2. Import duty shall not be chargeable on the following goods, that is to say, cotton yarn and manufactures of woven cotton, if—

(*a*) they are goods of the Commonwealth preference area, and

(*b*) they are imported on or after 1st January 1972 under the authority of an import licence which restricts the quantity of goods which may be imported thereunder, and

(*c*) the Secretary of State certifies that he is satisfied that they were exported from their country of origin before 1st January 1972, and

(*d*) import duty would not have been chargeable on them if they had been imported on 31st December 1971.

V. H. Goodhew,
Walter Clegg,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

9th December 1971.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order provides for relief from import duty on certain cotton yarn and manufactures of woven cotton from the Commonwealth preference area.

(a) 1958 c. 6. (b) 1971 c. 68. (c) 1889 c. 63.