STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1963 No. 759

MERCHANDISE MARKS

The Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) No. 10 Order 1933 (Provisional Exemption) Direction 1963

Made - - - -	*5th April* 1963
Coming into Operation	*16th April* 1963

Whereas it has been shown to the satisfaction of the Board of Trade by persons appearing to the Board to have a substantial interest in the matter, that the application of some or all of the provisions of the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) No. 10 Order 1933(a), to the classes or description of goods specified in this Direction has caused and is likely to cause injury to the said persons or some of them.

Now, therefore, the Board of Trade, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 3 of the Merchandise Marks Act 1926(b), hereby give the following directions:—

1. The Order aforesaid shall cease to apply to any rib, tube or frame of iron or steel wire forming part of an imported umbrella, provided that an indication of origin of the umbrella is stamped, stencilled, printed, incised, impressed or embossed on the tube where it adjoins the handle or on a label securely affixed to the tube where it adjoins the handle.

2.—(1) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply to the interpretation of this Direction as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament and as if this Direction and the Order referred to herein were Acts of Parliament.

(2) This Direction may be cited as the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) No. 10 Order 1933 (Provisional Exemption) Direction 1963 and shall come into operation on the 16th April 1963.

Dated 5th April 1963.

David Price,
Parliamentary Secretary
to the Board of Trade.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) No. 10 Order 1933 prohibits the sale or exposure for sale in the United Kingdom of imported umbrella ribs, tubes or frames of iron or steel wire unless they bear an indication of origin applied to them in the manner specified in the Order. This Direction

(a) S.R. & O. 1933/491 (Rev. XIII, p. 567: 1933, p. 1344).
(b) 16 & 17 Geo. 5. c. 53. (c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

exempts any of these goods which form part of an imported umbrella from having themselves to bear an indication of origin provided that an indication of the origin of the umbrella is applied in the manner prescribed in the proviso to Article 1.

Under section 3 of the Merchandise Marks Act 1926 the Direction will remain in force for twelve months unless during that period it is withdrawn by the Board, or the Order of 1933 is amended in respect of those goods.