

## Minister's Decisions under Customs Acts

Customs Department, Wellington, 7th January, 1947.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Hon. the Minister of Customs has decided to interpret the Customs Acts in relation to the undermentioned articles as follows:—

NOTES.—(a) "Not elsewhere included" appears as n.e.i.; "other kinds" as o.k.; "articles and materials suited for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication or repair of goods within New Zealand" as a. and m.s. (b) Articles marked thus † are revised decisions. (c) The rates of duty payable on goods set out hereunder have not been shown except in the case of goods classed under Tariff items 416, 448, and 449 (2), and of goods admitted (under the provisions of section 11 of the Customs Amendment Act, 1927) at a rate of duty lower than that provided for in the First Schedule to the Customs Acts Amendment Act, 1934. Where goods are admitted under the provisions of section 11 aforesaid, the reduced rate is marked with an asterisk. (d) Steam-engines, gas-engines, oil-engines, and electric or other motors are not, unless otherwise indicated, to be regarded as parts of the machines with which they are imported. (e) Surtax as provided for in section 5 of the Customs Acts Amendment Act, 1930, or primage duty as provided for in section 4 of the Customs Acts Amendment Act, 1931, as the case may be, is payable in addition to the duties set out hereunder.

Record.	Goods.	Classified under Tariff Item No.	Rate of Duty.	
			British Preferential Tariff.	General Tariff.
88-4/360/44	Anæsthetics, viz. :— "Thiopentone Soluble" (Boots) .. .. .	100	..	..
88-4/287/101	Animal glands or tissues, liver, &c., preparations, viz. :— "Hemosite" (Kelvin Chemical Co., Sydney) .. .. .	120 (2)	..	..
88-4/287/103	Animal glands or tissues, preparations made from viz. :— Methyl testosterone .. .. .	120 (1)	..	..
88-4/287/103	Testosterone propionate .. .. .	120 (1)	..	..
88-4/442	Antiseptics, viz. :— Hexylresorcinol pills and tablets .. .. . (NOTE.—Incorporates decision on Hexyl Resorcinol tablets (Boots Pure Drug Co., Ltd.) in M.O. 8.)	100	..	..
88-5/8/3	A. & m.s., viz. :— Bags, &c., articles for manufacture of, viz.— Fittings, ornamental (motifs), of "perspex" for use in manufacture of ladies' handbags Chemicals for use in manufactures, viz.— Oils, emulsifiable or soluble, viz.— Soluble oils for woolbatching, &c., viz.— "Tinopal BV" .. .. .	448	Free	10 per cent.
88-4/38/49	Oils, essential, mixtures containing, viz.— Mixtures of natural and essential oils, viz.— "Rose Compound" .. .. .	448	Free	Free.
88-4/15/121	"Tokalon Powder perfume" .. .. .	448	Free	20 per cent.
88-4/15/123	Rust-preventing compounds, viz.— "Houghton-Clean" Rust Remover .. .. .	448	Free	20 per cent.
88-7/147/27	Weaving, dyeing and cleaning of textiles, materials used in connection with, viz.— "Houghton's N. 25c" .. .. .	448	Free	Free.
88-7/50/51	Upholsterers' materials, viz. :— "Velvogrip" mattress handles, consisting of a metal stamping, each end of which is perforated to permit the passage of air and fitted with a press-on button	448	Free	Free.
88-7/146/32	Chlorinated hydrocarbons n.e.i. viz.— "Newtrel SM" .. .. .	105	..	..
88-7/146/32	"Newtrel W" .. .. .	105	..	..
88-3/66/6	Clocks, time-registers, &c., viz. :— Hour meters, the "C. & H.", designed to register the number of hours during which an electrical machine or circuit has been operating	237	..	..
88-12/25/9	Dentists' materials, viz. :— Dental alloys .. .. . (NOTE.—Cancels decision under T.I. 449 (2) on "Dental alloys being metal filings" on page 50 of the Tariff-book.)	134 (3)	..	..
88-12/25/9	Dental amalgam .. .. .	134 (3)	..	..
88-12/5/8	Electrical appliances, &c., viz. :— Surgery, electrical appliances peculiar to, viz.— Electrocardiographs, including recording paper for use therewith .. .. .	338 (4)	..	..
88-12/5/58	Electroencephalographs, including recording paper for use therewith .. .. .	338 (4)	..	..
88-12/5/58	X-ray apparatus, viz.— Impulse timers for X-ray use .. .. .	338 (4)	..	..
88-3/23/13	Engines specially suited for motor-vehicles, viz. :— Crankshaft and camshaft bearings for motor-vehicle engines .. .. . (NOTE.—The decision on bearings for shafting on page 311 of the Tariff-book is intended to relate to ordinary line shafting and parts thereof.)	335 (2)	..	..
88-3/917	Machinery and appliances, viz. :— Manufacturing, industrial, &c., viz.— Electronic heating units, the "Megatherm" .. .. .	352	..	..
88-2/18/134	Printers' and stationers', viz. :— Jogging machine, the "Soag" .. .. . (NOTE.—The electric motor is to be classified separately under T.I. 338 (1) (a).)	352	..	..
88-2/22/16	Pumps, viz. :— "Rapiet" portable self-priming pump, including oil engine and under-carriage incorporated therewith	352	..	..
88-3/55/4	Screen, vibrating, the "Symonds" double deck .. .. .	352	..	..
88-2/271/4	Machinery, &c., n.e.i., other kinds, viz. :— Presses, steam-heated, for pressing garments or hosiery in factories or laundries (NOTE.—Cancels decision under T.I. 352 on page 263 of the Tariff-book.)	353 (6) (b)	..	..