RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND AS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON WEDNESDAY, 21 JANUARY 1953

Liabilities	£ s. d.	*Assets*	£ s. d.
2. General Reserve Fund	1,500,000 0 0	8. Reserve—	
3. Bank-notes	64,615,886 10 0	(*a*) Gold	6,014,548 11 6
4. Demand liabilities—		(*b*) Sterling exchange*	35,129,551 4 2
(*a*) State	12,559,093 6 8	(*c*) Gold exchange	..
(*b*) Banks	81,000,702 19 9	(*d*) Other exchange	935,921 14 5
(*c*) Other	709,258 2 6	9. Subsidiary coin	629,695 13 1
5. Time deposits	..	10. Discounts—	
6. Liabilities in currencies other than New Zealand currency	15,884 2 8	(*a*) Commercial and agricultural bills	..
7. Other liabilities	6,271,249 3 7	(*b*) Treasury and local-body bills	..
		11. Advances—	
		(*a*) To the State or State undertakings—	
		(1) Marketing organizations	2,106,658 10 6
		(2) For other purposes	56,980,853 7 10
		(*b*) To other public authorities	..
		(*c*) Other	6,018,613 13 8
		12. Investments†	58,131,885 13 1
		13. Bank buildings	..
		14. Other assets	724,345 16 11
	£(N.Z.)166,672,074 5 2		£(N.Z.)166,672,074 5 2

* Expressed in New Zealand currency.

† Included in this item are sterling investments of £(N.Z.)22,090,079 12s. 4d.

W. R. EGGERS, Chief Accountant.

Decisions Under the Customs Acts

THE following decisions in interpretation of the Customs Tariff are published for public information:—

PART I—DECISIONS IN INTERPRETATION OF THE TARIFF

Tariff Item.	Decision.			Record No.
	Appliances for wear, &c.—			
134 (1)	Breast shields, being appliances to facilitate the natural feeding of infants			55–12/63
216	Pipes, other than pressure, and fittings therefor, of asbestos cement (see also Tariff item 362 (3))			55–3/5/15
	Pipes—			
362 (3)	Pressure, and fitting therefor, made from asbestos cement (see also Tariff item 216)			55–3/5/15
		B.P.	General.	
449 (2) (*d*)	Edifas	3%	3%	55–7/50/59

PART II—INDEX TO DECISIONS

Tariff Item No.		Goods.
		Asbestos—
362 (3)	Pipes	Cement pipes, pressure.
		Breast—
134 (1)	Appliances, &c.	Shields.
449 (2) (*d*)		Edifas.
		Pipes—
362 (3)	Pipes	Asbestos cement, pressure.
		Pressure—
362 (3)	Pipes	Pipes, asbestos cement.
		Shields—
134 (1)	Appliances, &c.	Breast.

PART III—DECISIONS WHICH ARE CANCELLED

Tariff Item No.		Cancelled Decision.
104	Disinfectants	Cetyl pyridinium chloride (see now Tariff item 100 (1), antiseptics).
121 (1)		Nipple shields.
216		Pipes and pipe fittings . . . asbestos-cement (see revised decision).
338 (2)	Controllers for electric motors	Control gear . . . electric lifts.
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Customs Department, Wellington C. 1, 5 February 1953.
(Tariff Order 55)

D. G. SAWERS, Comptroller of Customs.