

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 No.	Decision	Record No.
338 (1) (d) (i)	<b>Batteries or cells etc.—</b> <b>Of kinds approved by the Minister—</b> Mallory types RM 1; RM 3; RM 4; RM 12; RM 401; RM 450; RM 625; RM 640; TR 120; TR 132; TR 132B; TR 133; TR 140; TR 152; 400 Mini-Max "B" batteries types 504E, 506E.	212-22/221/8
	<b>Batteries or cells etc.—</b> <b>Of kinds determined by the Minister—</b> Cells of dimensions contained in British Standard Specifications 397 : 1946, Table 3 for cell numbers U2 and U5	212-22/221/8
338 (2) (c) (ii) (a)	<b>Condensers—</b> <b>Other kinds as may be approved—</b> Automotive condensers Gas filled condensers. Metallised dielectric condensers. Mica condensers. Variable condensers. (The above decisions regarding condensers are effective from 24/8/56)	212-22/221/7

PART II }  
PART III } THERE IS NO INDEX OR LIST OF CANCELLED DECISIONS IN RESPECT OF THIS TARIFF ORDER

PART IV—THE CUSTOMS TARIFF (1956 REPRINT)

Amendments effective from 22 March 1957— Page 43—Tariff item 338: <i>delete</i> sub-item 1 (d). <i>Substitute:</i> 338 (1) (d) Batteries or cells (other than storage batteries), viz.: (i) Of kinds approved by the Minister .. .. . (ii) Of kinds determined by the Minister .. .. .  (iii) Other kinds .. .. .	B.P.	Australia	Canada	M.F.N.	General
Per cell	Free 25% or 2½d. 25%	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	20% <sup>S</sup> 45% <sup>S</sup> or 4½d. <sup>S</sup> 45% <sup>S</sup>	25% 55% or 5d. 55%
Amendments effective from 24 August 1956— Page 44—Tariff item 338: <i>delete</i> sub-item 2 (c). <i>Substitute:</i> 338 (2) (c) Condensers (capacitors), viz.: (i) <i>Power-factor correction</i> condensers, viz.: (a) Having a kilovolt-ampere reactive rating exceeding 15 .. .. . (b) Having a kilovolt-ampere reactive rating not exceeding 15 .. .. . (ii) Other kinds, viz.: (a) As may be approved by the Minister .. .. . (b) Other .. .. .	Free 15% Free 30%	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	20% <sup>S</sup> 35% <sup>S</sup> 20% <sup>S</sup> 50% <sup>S</sup>	25% 40% 25% 60%

"S" indicates—also applies to Switzerland.

*Vide* the Customs Tariff (Electric Batteries other than Storage Batteries) Order 1957, the Customs Surtax (Electric Batteries other than Storage Batteries) Exemption Order 1957, the Customs Primage (Electric Batteries other than Storage Batteries) Exemption Order 1957, the Customs Tariff (Electrical Condensers) Order 1957, the Customs Primage (Electrical Condensers) Exemption Order 1957, the Customs Surtax (Electrical Condensers) Exemption Order 1957.

Dated at Wellington this 21st day of March 1957.

(Tariff Order 212)

J. P. D. JOHNSEN, Comptroller of Customs.

Plants Declared Noxious Weeds in the City of Nelson  
(Notice No. Ag. 6262)

PURSUANT to the Noxious Weeds Act 1950, the Director-General of Agriculture, acting under a delegation from the Minister of Agriculture for the purposes of the said Act, hereby publishes the following special order made by the Nelson City Council on the 21st day of February 1957.

SPECIAL ORDER

THE Nelson City Council, in pursuance of the authorities and powers vested in it in that behalf by the provisions of the Noxious Weeds Act 1950, hereby resolves by way of special order that the following plants be declared noxious weeds within the City of Nelson:

- Blackberry (*Rubus fruticosus* and *Rubus laciniatus*).
- Common Broom (*Cytisus scoparius*).
- Fennel (*Foeniculum vulgare*).
- Gorse (*Ulex*, any species).
- Hemlock (*Conium maculatum*).

Dated at Wellington this 15th day of March 1957.

E. J. FAWCETT, Director-General of Agriculture.

Notice to Make Returns of Land Under the Land and Income Tax Act 1954

PURSUANT to the Land and Income Tax Act 1954, the Commissioner of Inland Revenue hereby gives notice as follows:

1. A return of land held as at noon on 31 March 1957 is required from every person and company, whether a taxpayer or not, being the owner of land in New Zealand within the meaning of the Land and Income Tax Act 1954, where the total unimproved value exceeds £3,000.

2. Returns are required to be delivered or forwarded to the district office of the Taxes Division, Inland Revenue Department, where the taxpayer's records are filed, not later than 8 April 1957.

3. Return forms are available at all district offices of the Taxes Division, Inland Revenue Department, and at all post offices.

4. Any person or company failing to furnish a return within the prescribed time is liable to a fine not exceeding £100 and not less than £2.

Dated at Wellington this 15th day of March 1957.

F. R. MACKEN, Commissioner of Inland Revenue.