

Tariff and Development Board Notice No. 289—Inquiries Concerning Protection for Various Goods—Public Hearings

1. The Minister of Customs has referred to the Tariff and Development Board for inquiry and report the question of the nature and extent of the protection, if any, which it considers appropriate for New Zealand industry in respect of the importation of the goods listed in the attached Schedules. This reference arises from the publication, in a *Supplement to the New Zealand Gazette*, dated 7 October 1971, of a Notice of Proposed Exemptions from Import Licensing and from representations received in response to that notice.

2. For the purpose of taking evidence the Board will hold public hearings commencing at 10.30 a.m. on the dates shown below in the Hearing Room, Eighth Floor, Cumberland House, Upper Willis Street, Wellington.

Goods	Date of Public Hearing	Closing Date for Receipt of Representations	Tariff Provisions Item Under Reference
Plastic profile shapes	Tuesday, 28 November 1972	Tuesday, 7 November 1972	Schedule A
Malt and malt extract	Thursday, 30 November 1972	Thursday, 9 November 1972	Schedule B
Certain paper and paperboard of Tariff headings 48.01, 48.03, 48.04, 48.05, 48.07, and 48.15	Monday, 4 December 1972	Tuesday, 14 November 1972	Schedule C
Plastic seamless tubes	Tuesday, 12 December 1972	Tuesday, 21 November 1972	Schedule D

3. Any person who intends to tender evidence should lodge, in typewritten form, 14 copies of public evidence and 12 copies of confidential evidence, to be presented under oath at the public hearing, at the Board's office no later than the dates shown above. In preparing this evidence the "Notes for Information and Guidance of Interested Parties" prepared by the Board may be of assistance. Copies of these notes may be obtained from the Board's office.

Dated at Wellington this 8th day of August 1972.

C. H. S. RODDEN, Secretary, Tariff and Development Board.

P.O. Box 27-046, Wellington.

SCHEDULE A

Number	Description	Rates of Duty		
		BP	MFN	GEN
39.01	Condensation, polycondensation and polyaddition products, whether or not modified or polymerised, and whether or not linear (for example, phenoplasts, aminoplasts, alkyds, polyallyl esters and other unsaturated polyesters, silicones): Monofil, rods and sticks, profile shapes, seamless tubes: Other kinds: Profile shapes:			
39.01.051	Suited for use in building construction, furniture making or for similar purposes	20%	40%	55%
39.01.052	Other kinds: As may be determined by the Minister	25%*	..	25%*
39.01.059	Other	Free	..	Free
39.02	Polymerisation and copolymerisation products (for example, polyethylene, polytetrahaloethylenes, polyisobutylene, polystyrene, polyvinyl chloride, polyvinyl acetate, polyvinyl chloroacetate and other polyvinyl derivatives, polyacrylic and polymethacrylic derivatives, coumaroneindene resins): Profile shapes:			
39.02.051	Suited for use in building construction, furniture making or for similar purposes	20%	40%	55%
39.02.052	Other kinds: As may be determined by the Minister	25%*	..	25%*
39.02.059	Other	Free	..	Free
39.03	Regenerated cellulose; cellulose nitrate, cellulose acetate and other cellulose esters, cellulose ethers and other chemical derivatives of cellulose, plasticised or not (for example, collodions, celluloid); vulcanised fibre: Regenerated cellulose, cellulose nitrate, cellulose acetate and other cellulose esters, cellulose ethers and other chemical derivatives of cellulose, whether plasticised or not (for example, collodions, celluloid): Profile shapes:			
39.03.131	Suited for use in building construction, furniture making or for similar purposes	20%	40%	55%
39.03.132	Other kinds: As may be determined by the Minister	25%*	..	25%*
39.03.139	Other	Free	..	Free
39.04	Hardened proteins (for example, hardened casein and hardened gelatin): Profile shapes:			
39.04.021	Suited for use in building construction, furniture making or for similar purposes	20%	40%	55%
39.04.022	Other kinds: As may be determined by the Minister	25%*	..	25%*
39.04.029	Other	Free	..	Free
39.06	Other high polymers, artificial resins and artificial plastic materials, including alginic acid, its salts and esters; linnoxyn: Profile shapes:			
39.06.041	Suited for use in building construction, furniture making or for similar purposes	20%	40%	55%
39.06.042	Other kinds: As may be determined by the Minister	25%*	..	25%*
39.06.049	Other	Free	Free	Free
39.07	Articles of materials of the kinds described in headings Nos. 39.01 to 39.06:			
Ex 39.07.100	Tubes, rods, sticks, profile shapes and articles of rectangular shape worked beyond the stage of being merely surface-worked viz: profile shapes and articles of rectangular shape worked beyond the stage of being merely surface-worked	32½%	50%	60%