

that Lot 2 and the last-mentioned boundary produced to the middle of the Wautaiti Stream; thence south-easterly generally down the middle of the Wautaiti Stream to its junction with the middle of the Rangitopuni Stream; thence due south along a right line to its intersection with the line of mean high water of the left bank of the Rangitopuni Stream and south-easterly generally along the line of mean high water of the Rangitopuni Stream and the Waitemata Harbour and easterly generally along the line of mean high water of the Waitemata Harbour and northerly generally along the line of mean high water of the Rangitoto Channel and the Hauraki Gulf, crossing the mouths of rivers and inlets, to the point of commencement and including all those areas occupied by the Auckland Harbour Bridge and the Upper Harbour Bridge and their approaches, and including the defence establishment below the mean high water mark at Devonport.

Dated at Wellington this 4th day of June 1981.

E. C. THORNE, Chairman.
F. A. HARDY, Fire Commissioner.
I. C. WESLEY, Fire Commissioner.

(O.P.S. 4/1/1A1)

Industries Development Commission Notice No. 1981/9—Study of the New Zealand Electronics Industry

(1) In a letter of 21 May 1981 to the Commission, the Minister of Trade and Industry requested the Commission:

"To appraise the report of the interdepartmental study team and report on the present situation of the New Zealand electronics industry; the potential for its development; and its potential to contribute to New Zealand's economic growth, taking into account the interests of the manufacturers, employees, commercial and other users, and the distributive trade.

To recommend a development plan covering future development of the industry and action by the industry itself, other associated sectors and the Government.

To report on the above inquiry by 31 December 1981.

For the purpose of this inquiry and report, the electronics industry is to be considered to comprise both the consumer and non-consumer electronics industries. However, in undertaking its inquiry and report the Commission may take evidence on and otherwise have regard to any other matter or product it considers relevant to the inquiry under reference, or exclude from its consideration any matter or product it considers not relevant.

During the course of this inquiry and within the general terms of this reference, the Commission may, at its discretion and on its own initiative, further this inquiry or any part thereof by such means as it thinks fit, and give such notification of its intention as it considers necessary."

(2) The Commission invites parties who have an interest in any of the areas covered by the above reference to register that interest in writing with the Commission not later than 12 July 1981. Parties who intend to be represented by their trade association need not register individually, but being parties to a trade association submission does not preclude parties registering and making their own submissions.

(3) Registration should include the following:

- Name and address of party registering interest.
- The goods to which the interest relates.
- Status of interest under one or more of the following classes.
 - New Zealand manufacturer of goods under reference;
 - New Zealand manufacturer using goods under reference;
 - Overseas manufacturer;
 - Importer;
 - Distributor;
 - Suppliers of materials and/or components;
 - Trade organisation;
 - Trade union;
 - Servicing Trade;
 - Consumer interests;
 - Other (specify).

(4) To assist the Commission appraise the report on the Electronics Industry prepared by the inter-departmental study team and to enable it to compile a draft report, the Commission requests written comments from interested parties on the Electronics Industry Study and specifically any views they may have on the matters listed in Schedule I.

(5) Copies of the report of the inter-departmental study team, which was released by the Minister of Trade and Industry on 19 May, can be obtained from the Commission or from the Department of Trade and Industry.

(6) Seven copies of comments on the report should be provided in typewritten form. Those which contain confidential information should be submitted separately from those which

can be referred to publicly by the Commission. Comments should reach the Commission's office not later than 7 August 1981.

(7) The Commission does not have copies of material provided to either the D.S.I.R. for its recent study on the electronics industry or the Department of Trade and Industry for the Electronics Industry Study because of confidentiality provisions. If interested parties wish to make this material available to the Commission they should forward a copy direct to the Commission.

(8) After receiving comments on the study team's report, the Commission will compile a draft report, with draft recommendations. This will be distributed to parties which have registered their interest in accordance with (2) above.

(9) Submissions will then be invited on the Commission's draft report. These should be provided in typewritten form with 14 copies of the public submissions and 12 copies of confidential submissions. They will need to reach the Commission's office not later than 9 October 1981.

(10) For the purpose of taking evidence on the submissions on the Commission's draft report, the Commission will hold a public hearing in the Hearing Room, Eighth Floor, Cumberland House, Upper Willis Street, Wellington, commencing at 10.30 a.m. on Tuesday, 20 October 1981. Should the hearing extend beyond the first day, the commencement time on subsequent days will be 10 a.m.

(11) In summary the Commission's timetable is—

Deadline for registration of interest: 12 July 1981.

Deadline for written comments on the report of the inter-departmental study team: 7 August 1981.

Commission to distribute draft report: 11 September 1981.

Deadline for submissions on the Commission's draft report: 9 October 1981.

Public hearing: 20 October 1981.

Final report due: 31 December 1981.

(12) *Coverage of the study*—Schedule II provides a list of the main Tariff headings for the purposes of this study. In all cases, products which are clearly not electronic, but which fall within these Tariff headings, will be excluded from consideration by the Commission and from the Commission's recommendations.

(13) In addition to the products classified under the headings in Schedule II, the Commission would particularly welcome comments (as per paragraph 4 above) and submissions from suppliers of components and materials (whether electronic, electrical or other), for electronic products. This will include products such as transformers, coils, printed circuit boards and cabinets.

(14) The Commission would also welcome any comments on the coverage of the study as defined by the list of Tariff headings in Schedule II. These should be provided at the same time as the comments requested in paragraph 4 above.

Dated at Wellington this 25th day of June 1981.

R. A. SMITH,

for Secretary, Industries Development Commission.

P.O. Box 27-046, Wellington.

SCHEDULE I

THE Commission would welcome comments on the following:

(1) *Competitiveness*—Comments on or elaboration of any disadvantages suffered by the New Zealand industry not adequately identified in the study team's report.

(2) *Protection*—

(a) Views on the suggestions on import licensing protection in Part IV of the Electronics Industry Study report.

(b) Identify Tariff items of particular interest and give justification for the retention of present rates of duty or any change sought.

(3) *Distribution*—Details of distribution arrangements for products used or produced by the parties whether imported or of domestic manufacture and whether distribution arrangements are satisfactory.

(4) *Assistance and incentives*—Views on the measures suggested in Part IV, Section II, of the Study.

(5) *Impediments to development*—Are there any impediments to the development of the electronics industry not covered in the study and any suggestions for overcoming them.

(6) Any other matters which the party wishes to draw to the Commission's attention.

SCHEDULE II

LIST OF TARIFF HEADINGS/ITEMS FOR THE ELECTRONICS INDUSTRY STUDY

84.53.000 Automatic data processing machines and units thereof; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data, not elsewhere specified or included