

Number, Title, and Price of Standard Specification (Post free)	Amendment Number
NZS 8404:1975 Treatment, grading and classification of freezer and abattoir quality green hides.	1
NZS 8707:1984 Method for the measurement of the colour of wool.	1

Copies of the standard specifications so amended may be ordered from the Standards Association of New Zealand, Wellington Trade Centre, 181-187 Victoria Street (formerly known as 15-23 Sturdee Street) (or Private Bag), Wellington.

Copies of the amendments will be supplied free of charge upon request, unless where otherwise stated.

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of June 1986.

DENYS R. M. PINFOLD,
 Director, Standards Association of New Zealand.
 (S.A. 114/2/3:1231-5)

NOTICE

1. Short title and commencement—(1) This notice may be cited as the Customs Exchange Rates Notice (No. 12) 1986.

(2) This notice shall come into force on the 23rd day of June 1986.

2. Exchange rates—Where under any provisions of the Customs Act 1966 any amount which is required to be taken into account for the purpose of assessing duty or any other purpose is not an amount in New Zealand currency, the amount to be so taken into account shall be the equivalent in New Zealand currency of that amount ascertained in accordance with the rate of exchange set out in the Schedule to this notice.

3. Revocation—The Customs Exchange Rates Notice (No. 11) 1986, published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 84, dated 29 May 1986, on page 2350 is hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE

	Value of One NZ Dollar
Australia	.80 Dollar
Austria	8.67 Schilling
Bangladesh	16.92 Taka
Belgium	25.65 B Franc
Brazil	7.72 Cruzeiro
Burma	4.15 Kyat
Canada	.77 Dollar
Chile	104.74 Peso
China	1.76 Renminbi or Yuan
Denmark	4.59 Krone
Egypt	.76 E Pound
Fiji	.62 F Dollar
Finland	2.87 Markka
France	3.95 Franc
French Polynesia	70.78 FP Franc
Greece	77.15 Drachma
Hong Kong	4.32 HK Dollar
India	6.77 Rupee
Indonesia	620.93 Rupiah
Ireland	.40 I Pound
Israel	.84 Shekel
Italy	849.48 Lira
Jamaica	2.99 J Dollar
Japan	92.97 Yen
Korea	520.14 Won
Malaysia	1.44 M Dollar (Ringgit)
Mexico	313.60 Peso
Netherlands	1.40 Florin (Guilder)
Norway	4.21 Krone
Pakistan	9.30 Rupee
Papua New Guinea	.53 Kina
Philippines	11.15 Peso
Portugal	83.01 Escudo
Singapore	1.23 S Dollar
South Africa	1.41 Rand
Spain	78.78 Peseta
Sri Lanka	15.35 Rupee
Sweden	3.99 Krona
Switzerland	1.02 Franc
Taiwan	22.70 Twn Dollar
Thailand	14.19 Baht
Tonga	.79 Pa'anga
United Kingdom	.37 Pound
U.S.A.	.55 Dollar
West Germany	1.24 Mark
Western Samoa	1.19 Tala

Dated at Wellington this 10th day of June 1986.

M. J. BELGRAVE, Comptroller of Customs.

The Standards Act 1965—Endorsements Cancelled

PURSUANT to section 17 of the Standards Act 1965, the Standards Council, on 30 May 1986, cancelled the endorsement of the under-mentioned specifications.

Number and Title of Specification

- BS 3481:---- Flat lifting slings—
 †Part 1:1962 Wire coil flat slings.
- †BS 3875:1965 Optical spectrophotometric cells.
- BS 3958:---- Thermal insulating material—
 *Part 3:1967 Metal mesh faced mineral wool mats and mattresses.
- BS 4026:----Rod links for root machinery—
 †Part 1:1966 Potato elevator diggers and main elevators on complete potato harvesters.
 †Part 2:1966 Carrot and sugar beet harvesters.
- BS 4656:---- Accuracy of machine tools and methods of test—
 *Part 20:1976 Machining centres, vertical spindle type.
 *Part 27:1980 Machining centres, horizontal spindle type.
- *BS 5237:1975 Lifting twistlocks.
- *Superseded by a later edition
- †Withdrawn by BSI. Not replaced

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of June 1986.

DENYS R. M. PINFOLD,
 Director, Standards Association of New Zealand.
 (S.A. 114/2/12: 753-61)

Customs Exchange Rates Notice (No. 12) 1986

PURSUANT to section 143 of the Customs Act 1966, the Comptroller of Customs, in accordance with the power delegated to him by the Minister of Customs under section 9 of that Act, hereby gives the following notice.

New Zealand Railways Corporation—Schedule of Civil Engineering and Building Contracts—\$20,000 or More in Value

Name of Contract	Name and Address of Contractor	Amount of Contract \$	Date Advised
Construct relay shelter buildings, Okahukura-Ongarue-Waimiha	Fabish & Jackson Ltd., 3 Kelly Street, Inglewood	75,311	18/3/86
Fabrication of precast concrete, box culverts, 464.97 km NIMT	Concrete Structures NZ Ltd., P.O. Box 2343, Hastings	22,727	14/5/86
Supply of 150 000 m ³ ballast at Kakahi	Double Heart Ltd., P.O. Box 208, Taumarunui	1,485,000 (\$9.90 per m ³)	8/4/86
Painting of nine houses—Ohura	R. S. Lovegrove Ltd., 529 Mangorei Road, New Plymouth	28,213	14/4/86
Hamilton—lowering of Norton Road, level crossing	Waikato Bitumen, Co. Ltd., P.O. Box 383, Hamilton	26,741	22/4/86

H. G. PURDY, General Manager.