NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE

SECOND SCHEDULE

The Item Code groupings tendered hereunder derive from the Import Licence Schedule:

NOTE: Before completing the bid forms tenderers should read the terms and conditions set out in the First Schedule carefully as these are binding on all bids made.

APPAREL TENDER ALLOCATIONS: 1991/92

Plastic and Textile Baby Pilches Only

The Minister of Commerce, the Hon. Philip Burdon, has agreed that the tender round for two apparel categories—textile and plastic pilches—be called in advance of the general apparel round now scheduled for July 1991.

The amount of the pilch licence to be tendered has been adjusted to reflect a more equitable market situation, and is greater than that which was tendered in the 1990/91 round. The licences will be available from 1 July 1991.

Under the Apparel Industry Development Plan, pilches are scheduled to become exempt from import licensing control from 1 July 1992. No refunds will be made on unused balances fro tender No. 6796 and 6797 unless pilches are removed from import licensing prior to that date. The two categories of pilches covered by this round are described below:

Tender No.	Item Code	Goods: Brief Description	No. of \$2,000 c.i.f. Units
6796	G. 954	(A) Plastic Articles of Apparel and Clothing Accessories Undergarments, viz.; pilches of plastic material	48
6797	G. 901	(B) Textile Articles of Apparel Pilches of textile material	132

NOTE: MAIN APPAREL TENDER ROUND

A Government Caucus Sub-Committee has recently released its preliminary report on the textile, garment and carpet industries. The report which is a discussion document only at this stage makes recommendations which, if accepted by the Government, will have implications for the future import licensing regime for apparel. Therefore, it has been decided that the main annual apparel tender round should be delayed, pending decisions on the Government Caucus Sub-Committee's report. The apparel tender round is now scheduled to be called on 26 July 1991.

Dated at Wellington this 14th day of May 1991.

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