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TARIFF CONCESSION NOTICES

(INCLUDING OTHER NOTICES UNDER THE
TARIFF ACT 1988 AND THE CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ACT 1996)

TARIFF INDUSTRY ASSISTANCE (ADVERTISEMENT) NOTICE NO. 1996/44

Applications Advertised for Objection
Closing Date for Objections 10th December 1996

- 1 Notice is hereby given that the following applications have been made in respect of the goods advertised in the Schedule to this notice. Any person wishing to lodge an objection should do so in writing, to the Ministry of Commerce, PO Box 1473, Wellington, Fax 0-4-473-8949 indicated by the reference number, before 10th December 1996. All submissions should include:
- the Tariff Industry Assistance (Advertisement) Notice number;
 - the Tariff item; and
 - Reference number.
- 2 All submissions from local manufacturers should include:
- the range of alternative goods made locally;
 - the grounds on which objection is made (including reasons why the local product is a suitable alternative);
 - present and potential output;
 - details of factory cost in terms of materials, labour, overheads, including the proportion of domestic and imported content.
- 3 All submissions objecting to a request for the withdrawal of a concession should include:
- reasons why the local product on which protection is sought is not a suitable alternative;
 - full technical details of the goods against which tariff protection is sought.
- 4 Where further information is required in order to make a submission an objector should contact the applicant in writing and refer a copy of the enquiry to the Ministry of Commerce quoting the details in paragraph 1 above.

Tariff Item	Description of Goods	Name and Address of Applicant	Part II Ref.	Appn. Ref. No.	*Category of Appn.
3004.10.09	Merrem IV	ICI New Zealand Limited C/- PO Box 53-012 AUCKLAND AIRPORT	99	994008B	A
3004.20.09	CURRENT APPROVAL: Klacid tablets		99	987496J	V
3004.20.09	REQUESTED APPROVAL: Klacid tablets, paediatric suspension and injection	Abbott Laboratories NZ Ltd C/- Air Express International Ltd PO Box 1744 WELLINGTON	99	994160G	V
3004.90.19	Armindex	ICI New Zealand Limited C/- PO Box 53-012 AUCKLAND AIRPORT	99	994009L	A
3004.90.19	Casodex	ICI New Zealand Limited C/- PO Box 53012 AUCKLAND AIRPORT	99	994010D	A
3004.90.19	Fleet micro-enema	Baxter Healthcare NZ Ltd C/- PO Box 53004 AUCKLAND AIRPORT	99	994194A	A
3004.90.19	Lipofundin intravenous fat solution 10% and 20%	Healthcare Distributors C/- Priority Freight International Ltd PO Box 22 254 CHRISTCHURCH	99	994121F	A
3208.32.09	Duraglaze P (acrylic urethane varnish)	Omnigraphics Digital Printing Ltd PO Box 108176 Symonds Street AUCKLAND	99	994198D	A
3824.90.90	Heat pad, microwave heatable, containing polyethylene glycol suitable to emit warmth for up to 12 hours	Blue Shield Laboratories Ltd C/- PO Box 37551 Parnell AUCKLAND	99	993840A	A
3911.90.09	Desmodur Z4470 (aliphatic polyisocyanate based on isophorone diisocyanate)	Bayer New Zealand Limited C/- Bayer Group Administration PO Box 38405 Petone WELLINGTON	99	994197F	A
3923.50.00	Child resistant closures consisting of an expanded polyethylene (EPE) lined inner and outer overlap with instructions for opening embossed and top printed, in 20mm, 22mm, 24mm, 28mm, 33mm and 38mm sizes	Bruce W Dunlop & Associates PO Box 65 053 Mairangi Bay AUCKLAND	99	994203D	A
3924.10.09	Serve and store type food containers of polycarbonate, being microwaveable and dishwasher safe, whether or not freezer/refrigerator safe	Safco Ltd C/- National Customs & Travel Consultants Ltd PO Box 22329 Otahuhu AUCKLAND	99	994078C	A

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Tariff Item	Description of Goods	Name and Address of Applicant	Part II Ref.	Appn. Ref. No.	*Category of Appn.
3926.90.69	Imitation terracotta planters of LDPE, viz: Urn shaped with growth ports Urn shaped with handles Chimney pot shaped	Profile International Ltd PO Box 30314 Lower Hutt WELLINGTON	99	994191G	A
4104.31.09	250 pieces, bovine leather over 4.5mm in thickness, in sides, backs or butts only	Challenge Leather Supplies Ltd C/- PO Box 4118 AUCKLAND	99	994020A	IM
60.01	Knitted velour - 80% cotton, 15% polyester, 5% lycra - 2000 metres over four colourways	Amtext Holdings Ltd C/- PO Box 37 712 Parnell AUCKLAND	99	994215H	IM
60.01)	1. Ref: Q1900 100% polyamide - 150 metres	Import Management Ltd PO Box 1167 AUCKLAND	99	994219L	IM
60.02)	2. Ref: 2339/503 90% rayon, 10% polyester - 8000 metres				
	3. Ref: Burn Out Design 90% rayon, 10% polyester - 20000 metres				
	4. Ref: F.462/DS37 82% polyamide, 18% polyurethane - 5000 metres				
	5. Ref: F.462/145 82% polyamide, 18% polyurethane - 5000 metres				
	6. Ref: F.782/D100C 89% poly/cotton blend, 4% polyamide, 7% polyurethane - 5000 metres				
	7. Ref: 91A02266 92% polyamide merl, 8% elastane - 5000 metres				
	8. Ref: 91A02409 79% polyamide, 21% elastane - 5000 metres				
	9. Ref: F1S-N415 65% polyester, 25% nylon, 10% spandex - 2000 metres				
	10. Ref: 9988370 94% acetate, 6% spandex - 2200 metres				
	11. Ref: B + B 100% polyester jacquard - 2200 metres				
60.02	CURRENT APPROVAL: Knit fabrics of a type used in the manufacture of apparel where the quantity of each quality in each shipment does not exceed 40 lineal metres		99	991775G	V
Chapter 60	REQUESTED APPROVAL: Knit fabrics of a type used in the manufacture of apparel where the quantity of each quality in each shipment does not exceed 40 lineal metres	Macjays Clothing Co Ltd C/- PO Box 37 712 Parnell AUCKLAND	99	994214K	V
Chapter 61	Knitted garments, viz tops, jackets and trousers, incorporating plastic, neoprene or rubber body armour of a type used for motorcross riding only	Northern Accessories Ltd C/- National Customs Ltd PO Box 22329 Otahuhu AUCKLAND	99	994211E	A
6111.30.21	CURRENT APPROVAL: Elasticised hold down clothing fasteners		99	994217D	V
6111.30.21)	REQUESTED APPROVAL:				
6111.30.29)	Elasticised hold down clothing fasteners	JED Distributors C/- Hellman International PO Box 53026 AUCKLAND AIRPORT	99	994217D	V
Chapter 62	Woven garments, viz tops, jackets and trousers, incorporating plastic, neoprene or rubber body armour of a type used for motorcross riding only	Northern Accessories Ltd C/- National Customs & Travel Consultants Ltd PO Box 22329 Otahuhu AUCKLAND	99	994210G	A
6215.10	Silk ties of Italian origin with a FOB value of no less than NZ\$34.00	Jon Lorier Apparel PO Box 31076 Ilam CHRISTCHURCH	99	994212C	A
6805.10)	Abrasive sheets, rolls and discs	3M New Zealand Ltd PO Box 33-246 AUCKLAND 1332	99	994218B	A
6805.20)					
6805.30)					
7323.99.00	Household articles of iron excluding articles of furniture and cooking utensils	Creative Collections Ltd C/- Consultant Agencies Ltd PO Box 47185 Ponsonby AUCKLAND	99	994220D	A
7412.20.00	Screwed H.S.P. bronze pipe fittings exceeding BS1400 and ASTM B62	H J Asmuss & Co Ltd C/- PO Box 1617 AUCKLAND	99	994209C	A

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Tariff Item	Description of Goods	Name and Address of Applicant	Part II Ref.	Appn. Ref. No.	*Category of Appn.
7607.20.00	CURRENT APPROVAL: Polyethylene reinforced foil		99	702212D	V
7607.20.00	REQUESTED APPROVAL: Polyethylene and/or polyester reinforced foil	Profile International Ltd PO Box 30314 Lower Hutt WELLINGTON	99	994216F	V
7615.19.00	Household articles of aluminium excluding articles of furniture and cooking utensils	Creative Collections Limited C/- Consultant Agencies Ltd PO Box 47185 Ponsonby AUCKLAND	99	994213A	A
8419.50.00	Liquid chillers, screw compressor types with heat exchanger	York NZ Ltd C/- Hawk Customs & Freight NZ Ltd PO Box 73-070 AUCKLAND INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT	99	994206J	A
8419.89.09	415V air instrumentation heater, flameproof to cenelec eexe iic T3, exc 1450kg/HR fluid flow, outlet temperature 300 deg. C	TNE New Zealand Refining Co Ltd C/- Whangarei Customs Agency PO Box 888 WHANGAREI	99	994207G	A
84.21	Filters oil, air or fuel suited for use on internal combustion engines viz: The following additions:	Parker Hannifin NZ Ltd C/- Cunningham Gill Ltd PO Box 73-140 AUCKLAND INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT	99	993778B	A
	Model	O/E Number			
	PARKER	12AT			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	50AT			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	12-PS			HYDRAULIC/COOLANT
	PARKER	22-PS			HYDRAULIC/COOLANT
	PARKER	32-PS			HYDRAULIC/COOLANT
	PARKER	42-PS			HYDRAULIC/COOLANT
	PARKER	H00714-001			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-003			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-004			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-007			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-008			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-015			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-016			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-019			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-020			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-023			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-024			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-027			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-028			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-031			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-032			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-035			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-036			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-039			HYDRAULIC
	PARKER	H00714-040			HYDRAULIC
8479.89.00	CURRENT APPROVAL: Floor burnishers with brush or pad diameter (singly or combined size) not less than 480mm and brush or pad speed not less than 1000 R.P.M.		99	505607B	V
8479.89.00	REQUESTED APPROVAL: Floor burnishers with brush or pad diameter (singly or combined size) not less than 400mm and brush or pad speed not less than 1000 R.P.M.	Profile International Ltd PO Box 30314 Lower Hutt WELLINGTON	99	994204B	V
8479.89.00	Horizontal auto-tie baler	Kiwi Packaging Ltd PO Box 97246 Wiri AUCKLAND	99	994205L	A
8516.60	Bench top convection oven, incorporating glass bowl and with fan forced heated air capability	Astro Housewares Limited PO Box 101919 North Shore Mail Centre AUCKLAND	99	994201H	A

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Tariff Item	Description of Goods	Name and Address of Applicant	Part II Ref.	Appn. Ref. No.	*Category of Appn.
8716.80.09)	CURRENT APPROVAL:				
9403.20.00)	Hand powered transport barrow/trolley having a carrying capacity not exceeding 300lbs (136.1kgs) with not less than 2 wheels		99	981370F	V
9403.90.00)					
8716.80.09)	REQUESTED APPROVAL:				
9403.20.00)	Hand powered transport barrow/trolley having a carrying capacity not exceeding 300lbs (136.1kgs) with not less than 2 wheels	Williams & Associates Tariff Consultants PO Box 6667 Te Aro WELLINGTON	99	994233F	V
9403.90.00)					
8907.90.00	Polyethylene continuous-flotation platform systems	Pursuit International C/- Tariff Services Limited CPO Box 4026 AUCKLAND 1	99	994200K	A
9004.90.01	Swimming goggles	Viceroy Holdings Ltd C/- NZ Express PO Box 15 AUCKLAND	99	994235B	A
9403.70.00	Fishing rod display racks	Grid Wholesale Ltd C/- PO Box 1617 AUCKLAND	99	994202F	A
9405.10.19	Light fittings, flush mount, MR11 and MR16 types, (12 volt halogen)	Sales & Promotions Ltd C/- Union Transport NZ Ltd PO Box 3424 WELLINGTON	99	994196H	A
9601.90.00	Paua shell sheets	Southern Shell C/- N J Crisp Ltd PO Box 1377 INVERCARGILL	99	994199B	A

* Category of Application:	A	-	General Approval
	CE	-	Capital Equipment
	IM	-	Inputs to Manufacturing - Inability to Supply
	IP	-	Inadequate Production
	MS	-	Manufacturers' Samples
	RUC	-	Revocation of Unused Concession
	S	-	Shortfall
	SS	-	Special Situation
	V	-	Variation of Existing Concession
	W	-	Withdrawal of Concession
	+	-	Denotes amendment or addition

Dated at Wellington this 4th day of November 1996.

V.A. MANKS, Ministry of Commerce.

Tariff Act 1988

TARIFF CONCESSION APPROVALS, WITHDRAWALS AND DECLINES NOTICE (NO. 44) 1996

I, Vincent Anthony Manks, Executive Officer, Ministry of Commerce, acting pursuant to section 8 of the Tariff Act 1988 under delegated authority hereby:

- (a) In accordance with Part II of the Tariff approve in respect of the entry of goods listed in the First Schedule to this notice the rates of duty or exemptions from duty specified in that Schedule with effect from the first day of the month so specified; and
- (b) In accordance with Part II of the Tariff approve in respect of the entry of goods listed in the Second Schedule to this notice the exemptions from duty specified in that Schedule with effect from the first day of the month so specified subject however to such purposes and conditions which I prescribe; and
- (c) Withdraw with effect fourteen days from the date of this *Gazette*, or otherwise at the date so specified, the approvals granted in respect of the entry of goods listed in the Third Schedule to this notice; and
- (d) Decline to approve in respect of the goods listed in the Fourth Schedule to this notice concessions for which application was made.

FIRST SCHEDULE
Concessions Approved

Tariff Item	Description of Goods	Rates of Duty		Part II Ref.	Ref. No.	Effective	
		Normal	Pref.			From	To
A 3004.90.19	Suprane	Free	Free	26	994025B	9/96	..
V 3920.30.29	Sheet, co-extruded, of polystyrene, EVOH (polyvinyl alcohol/ethylene co-polymer), and LDPE (low density polyethylene), exceeding 249 microns (0.249mm) in thickness	Free	Free	99	994049K	9/96	..
V 3923.90.28)	Trans ocean distribution/BTR sarmcol flexitanks used in handling of bulk liquids	Free	Free	99	991814A	3/95	..
A 4016.99.99)	Christmas tree stands, of plastic, designed to hold water	Free	Free	99	994051A	9/96	..
A 3926.90.69	Petersham ribbon	Free	Free	99	994062G	9/96	..
A 5806.32.00	Ribbon, woven composed predominantly of metallised yarn or metal thread	Free	Free	99	993815L	7/96	..
X 5806.32.00)							
A 5806.39.00)							
A 6806.90.00	Ceramic fibre based artificial logs, twigs and coals	Free	Free	99	994061J	9/96	..
X 7309.00.00	Glass coated steel storage tanks and silos	Free	Free	99	984448B	6/90	..
A 8414.59.09	Portable ventilators specially suited for use by fire, rescue and hazardous response units to eliminate smoke and hazardous fumes, etc	Free	Free	99	994023F	9/96	..
X 8415.82.00	Constant temperature/humidity units specially suited for potato storage	Free	Free	99	993917C	7/96	..
A 8424.89.18	Misting system specially suited for produce display, including full cycle mist bar with nozzles	Free	Free	99	994028G	9/96	..
A 8502.11)	Purpose built aircraft ground power source	Free	Free	99	994052K	9/96	..
A 8502.12)							
A 8502.13)							
A 85.25)	Wireless transmitters and receivers up to a maximum 100MW output, of a type suitable for the transmission and reception of signals in the spread spectrum bands approved by the Ministry of Commerce radio frequency service	Free	Free	99	994053H	9/96	..
A 85.27)							
X 8705.90.00	Truck mounted carpet cleaning machine	Free	Free	99	993723E	8/95	..
A 9405.40.31	Illuminated Christmas decorations of plastic	Free	Free	99	994054F	9/96	..

SECOND SCHEDULE

Concession Approvals Subject to Prescribed Purposes and Conditions

Tariff Item	Description of Goods	Rates of Duty		Part II Ref.	Ref. No.	Effective	
		Normal	Pref.			From	To
IM 4302.19.01	Double faced lamb or sheep skins - 3500 square metres	Free	Free	99	994149F	10/96	12/96
IM 4302.19.01	Double faced lamb or sheep skins - 20000 square feet	Free	Free	99	994150K	10/96	12/96
IM 5112.19.00	Polyester 55%, wool 45% - 1050m ²	Free	Free	99	994147K	9/96	6/97
IM 5112.19.00	Wool 93%, polyamide 7% - 660m ²	Free	Free	99	994148H	9/96	6/97
5112.19.00	Wool 95%, polyamide 5% - 700m ²						
5112.19.00	Wool 95%, polyamide 5% - 900m ²						
5112.19.00	Wool 100% - 800m ²						
5112.30.08	Wool 60%, polyester 40% - 3300m ²						
5112.30.08	Wool 76%, polyamide 20%, cashmere 4% - 700m ²						
5112.30.08	Wool 80%, polyester 20% - 600m ²						
5112.30.08	Wool 80%, polyester 20% - 800m ²						
5112.30.08	Wool 82%, polyamide 18% - 200m ²						
5112.30.08	Wool 82%, polyamide 18% - 240m ²						
IM 72.09	Cold rolled steel sheets/or coil of enamelling grade JIS G 3133, ASTM A424 or equivalent standards. KTM 1.2mm 95 tonnes/KTM 1.6mm 242 tonnes/KTM 2.0mm 64 tonnes	Free	Free	99	994060L	9/96	4/97
IM 72.09	Cold rolled steel sheets/coil, extra deep drawing steel JIS G3141, 1.6mm KTU-X - 160 tonnes only	Free	Free	99	994059G	9/96	5/97

THIRD SCHEDULE

Concession Approvals Withdrawn

Tariff Item	Description of Goods	Rates of Duty		Part II Ref.	Ref. No.	Effective	
		Normal	Pref.			From	To
3920.30.29	Sheet, ... thickness	..	..	..	991741B	..	..
5806.32.00	Petersham ... fibres	..	..	..	801991G	..	..
5806.39.00	Ribbon ... thread	..	..	..	993815L	..	..
72.09	Cold ... tonnes	..	..	..	993402C	..	..
7209.42.00	Cold ... only	..	..	..	992035J	..	..

Tariff Concession Approvals, Withdrawals and Declines Notice No. 1996/44—continued

Tariff Item	Description of Goods	Rates of Duty		Part II Ref.	Ref. No.	Effective	
		Normal	Pref.			From	To
8415.82.00	Constant ... storage	..	..	..	993917C	..	..
8502.11.00	Aircraft ... unit	..	..	..	983696K	..	..
8502.12.00	90KVA ... unit	..	..	..	986707E	..	..
8502.12.00	400Hz ... 140KVA	..	..	..	986090J	..	..
8502.13.00	Aircraft ... unit	..	..	..	602729G	..	..
8535.21.00)	Circuit ... 400V	..	..	..	604178H	..	..
8535.29.00)							
8705.90.00	Truck ... machine	..	..	..	993723E	..	..
8532.10.00)	Hong ... only	..	..	..	880416J	..	..
8532.21.00)							
8532.22.00)							
8532.23.00)							
8532.24.00)							
8532.25.00)							
8532.29.00)							
8532.30.00)							

FOURTH SCHEDULE
Applications for Concessions Declined

Tariff Item	Description of Goods	Ref. No.
3926.90.69)	Overshoes – loose fitting designed to cover foot or shoe, without applied soles, of a type used in medical situations only	994037F
6115.99.01)		
6217.90.00)		
9506.99.19	Pools, childrens paddling	994022H

* Category of Approval:

A	–	General Approval
CE	–	Capital Equipment
GT	–	Goods in Transit
IM	–	Inputs to Manufacturing - Inability to Supply
IP	–	Inadequate Production
MS	–	Manufacturers' Samples
RUC	–	Revocation of Unused Concession
S	–	Shortfall
SS	–	Special Situation
V	–	Variation of Existing Concession
X	–	Administrative Amendment

NOTE

The concessions approved subject to prescribed purposes and conditions as listed in the Second Schedule to this notice and declined applications for concessions as listed in the Fourth Schedule to this notice will not be published in the Consolidated List of Approvals.

Dated at Wellington this 14th day of November 1996.

V.A. MANKS, Ministry of Commerce

Commerce

Dumping and Countervailing Duties Act 1988

Initiation of Dumping Investigation: Polypropylene Rope From Korea

Notice is hereby given that, acting pursuant to section 10 (1) of the Dumping and Countervailing Duties Act 1988, and under delegated authority from the Secretary of Commerce, I have initiated an investigation to determine both the existence and effect of the alleged dumping of the goods described and from the country of origin specified in the Schedule to this notice, being satisfied that sufficient evidence has been provided that—

- (a) The goods imported or intended to be imported into New Zealand are being dumped; and
- (b) By reason thereof material injury to an industry is being threatened,—

and also being satisfied that the collective output of those New Zealand producers who have, in writing, expressed support for the application constitutes—

- (a) Twenty-five percent or more of the total New Zealand production of like goods produced for domestic consumption (assessed during the most recent representative period, being not less than 6 months); and
- (b) More than 50 percent of the total production of like goods produced for domestic consumption (as so assessed) by those New Zealand producers who have, in writing, expressed support for or opposition to the application.

SCHEDULE

Goods Subject to Investigation

Country of Origin

Korea.

Description of Goods

Twisted rope of polypropylene, or predominantly of polypropylene, constructed from monofilaments, from 3 mm to 28 mm in diameter.

The goods are currently classified under Tariff Item and Statistical Key 5607.49.01 09K of the Tariff of New Zealand, which classification is provided for convenience and Customs purposes only, the written description being dispositive.

Dated at Wellington this 11th day of November 1996.

A. H. McPHAIL, Manager, Trade Remedies Group.

Invitation for Submissions

A copy of the non-confidential version of the Initiation Report, which contains details of the consideration of the application for an investigation is available from the Manager, Trade Remedies Group, Ministry of Commerce, P.O. Box 1473, Wellington. Interested parties are invited to make submissions to the Trade Remedies Group on the alleged dumping and injury.

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Initiation of Subsidy Investigation: Canned Peaches From South Africa

Notice is hereby given that, acting pursuant to section 10 (1) of the Dumping and Countervailing Duties Act 1988, and under delegated authority from the Secretary of Commerce, I have initiated an investigation to determine

both the existence and effect of the alleged subsidisation of the goods described and from the country of origin specified in the Schedule to this notice, being satisfied that sufficient evidence has been provided that—

- (a) The goods imported or intended to be imported into New Zealand are being subsidised; and
- (b) By reason thereof material injury to an industry has been or is being caused,—

and also being satisfied that the collective output of those New Zealand producers who have, in writing, expressed support for the application constitutes—

- (a) Twenty-five percent or more of the total New Zealand production of like goods produced for domestic consumption (assessed during the most recent representative period, being not less than 6 months); and
- (b) More than 50 percent of the total production of like goods produced for domestic consumption (as so assessed) by those New Zealand producers who have, in writing, expressed support for or opposition to the application.

SCHEDULE

Goods Subject to Investigation

Country of Origin

South Africa.

Description of Goods

Canned peaches (halves, slices or pieces) packed in various concentrations of sugar syrup and in can sizes up to A10 (nominal size 3 kilograms).

The goods are currently classified under Tariff Item and Statistical Key 2008.70.09 00L of the Tariff of New Zealand, which classification is provided for convenience and Customs purposes only, the written description being dispositive.

Dated at Wellington this 11th day of November 1996.

A. H. McPHAIL, Manager, Trade Remedies Group.

Invitation for Submissions

A copy of the non-confidential version of the Initiation Report, which contains details of the consideration of the application for an investigation is available from the Manager, Trade Remedies Group, Ministry of Commerce, P.O. Box 1473, Wellington. Interested parties are invited to make submissions to the Trade Remedies Group on the alleged subsidisation and injury.

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Initiation of Subsidy Investigation: Canned Apricots From South Africa

Notice is hereby given that, acting pursuant to section 10 (1) of the Dumping and Countervailing Duties Act 1988, and under delegated authority from the Secretary of Commerce, I have initiated an investigation to determine both the existence and effect of the alleged subsidisation of the goods described and from the country of origin specified in the Schedule to this notice, being satisfied that sufficient evidence has been provided that—

- (a) The goods imported or intended to be imported into New Zealand are being subsidised; and

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(b) By reason thereof material injury to an industry has been or is being caused,—

and also being satisfied that the collective output of those New Zealand producers who have, in writing, expressed support for the application constitutes—

(a) Twenty-five percent or more of the total New Zealand production of like goods produced for domestic consumption (assessed during the most recent representative period, being not less than 6 months); and

(b) More than 50 percent of the total production of like goods produced for domestic consumption (as so assessed) by those New Zealand producers who have, in writing, expressed support for or opposition to the application.

SCHEDULE

Goods Subject to Investigation

Country of Origin

South Africa.

Description of Goods

Canned apricots, packed (as apricot halves) in various concentrations of sugar syrup and in can sizes up to A10 (nominal size 3 kilograms).

The goods are currently classified under Tariff Item and Statistical Key 2008.50.09 00C of the Tariff of New Zealand, which classification is provided for convenience and Customs purposes only, the written description being dispositive.

Dated at Wellington this 11th day of November 1996.

A. H. MCPHAIL, Manager, Trade Remedies Group.

Invitation for Submissions

A copy of the non-confidential version of the Initiation Report, which contains details of the consideration of the application for an investigation is available from the Manager, Trade Remedies Group, Ministry of Commerce, P.O. Box 1473, Wellington. Interested parties are invited to make submissions to the Trade Remedies Group on the alleged subsidisation and injury.

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