

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE No. 59 OF 1926.

BECHUANALAND PROTECTORATE.

DUMPING DUTY ON CEMENT IMPORTED FROM  
CERTAIN COUNTRIES.

It is hereby notified for general information that under and by virtue of the powers in him vested by section *fifteen* of the Customs Tariff and Excise Duties Amendment Proclamation, 1925, of the Bechuanaland Protectorate, His Excellency the High Commissioner has been pleased to declare that from and after the twenty-eighth day of May, 1926, there shall be charged, levied, collected and paid on cement on importation into the Bechuanaland Protectorate from Great Britain, Belgium, Germany, Sweden, Yugo-Slavia, and the Province of Mozambique an ordinary dumping duty equal to the difference between—

- (a) the domestic value (viz., the market price at which at the time of purchase thereof by the importer such or similar cement is offered for sale for consumption in the country from which it is exported to all purchasers in the usual wholesale quantities in the ordinary course of trade in the principal markets of such country, including the cost of packages ordinarily used in those markets, less any drawback of duty granted by the Government of the exporting country in respect of the cement on exportation) plus the extra cost of packing and packages for export, carriage to the port of shipment, and all other expenses incidental to placing the cement on board ship ready for exportation to South Africa; and
- (b) the export price (viz., the price free on board at which the cement is sold by the exporter to the importer in the Bechuanaland Protectorate) provided that such duty or where there is more than one form of dumping as in the case of cement from Belgium and Yugo-Slavia, the total of such duties shall not exceed one-half of the value of the cement as defined in section *fourteen* of the Customs Tariff and Excise Duties Amendment Proclamation, 1925.

His Excellency has been pleased also to declare that Notices Nos. 71 of 1923 and 63 of 1924, in so far as they impose a special customs or dumping duty on cement from Denmark, Norway, and Canada, respectively, shall cease to have force and effect from and after the twenty-eighth day of May, 1926, and that Notice No. 71 of 1923, in so far as it relates to cement from Belgium and Great Britain, and Notice No. 63 of 1924, in so far as it relates to cement from Germany, and Notices No. 76 of 1924 and No. 37 of 1925 shall be superseded by this Notice.

By Command of His Excellency the  
High Commissioner.

SHIRLEY EALES,  
for Imperial Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,  
Capetown, 7th June, 1926.