

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE No. 120 of 1927.

BECHUANALAND PROTECTORATE.

DUMPING DUTY ON CEMENT FROM ESTHONIA.

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 fourteenth day of October, 1927, there shall be charged, levied, collected and paid on cement on importation into the Bechuanaland Protectorate from Esthonia 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 shall not exceed one-half of the value for duty purposes as defined in section *fourteen* of the Customs Tariff and Excise Duties Amendment Proclamation, 1925; and provided further that such dumping duty shall not be imposed in respect of cement shipped to the Bechuanaland Protectorate from Esthonia prior to the above-mentioned date.

By Command of His Excellency the  
High Commissioner.

B. E. H. CLIFFORD,  
Imperial Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,  
Capetown, 21st October, 1927.