

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE No. 127 of 1935.

BECHUANALAND PROTECTORATE.

CUSTOMS.

It is hereby notified for general information that by section *one (b)* of the Customs Tariff and Excise Duties Amendment Proclamation, 1925, as amended by the Customs Tariff Amendment Proclamation, 1935, the High Commissioner may by notice in the *Gazette* apply the rate of customs duty specified in any item of the First Schedule to the said Proclamation, as amended, in the fifth column thereof bearing the superscription "Intermediate duty", to any goods to which the item relates, if grown, produced or manufactured in and imported from the country or State with whose Government or with which an agreement has been concluded of the nature referred to in section *six* or *seven* of the aforesaid Proclamation, as amended, or in the Customs (Trade Agreements) Proclamation, 1933, and that as agreements have been so concluded with the undermentioned countries or States or with the Governments thereof, His Excellency has been pleased to declare that, subject to the provisions of the said Proclamations, as amended, and subject to any law relating to the management of customs, as and from the nineteenth day of July, 1935, the rate of customs duty specified in the fifth column of the following items of the First Schedule to the said Proclamations bearing the superscription "Intermediate duty" shall be applicable to the undermentioned goods to which the items enumerated relate, provided such goods have been grown, produced or manufactured in and imported from the undermentioned countries or States with whose Government an Agreement of the nature referred to in section *six* or *seven* of the said Proclamation has been concluded.

<i>Tariff Item.</i>	<i>Article.</i>
ex 69 (d) and (e)	New hats, caps and bonnets; of felt, wool, hair, and straw and other vegetable fibre.
ex 76	Piece goods, not being canvas, blanketing or kalfir sheeting:—

NOTE.—In the case of piece goods exceeding 30 inches in width, "yard" shall mean 36 inches by 30 inches in width, and the free-on-board price and the duty at per yard shall be calculated proportionately to the width.

(a) Cotton (woven or knitted):

- (i) Containing 50 % or more by weight of cotton but no rayon, the free-on-board price of which does not exceed 1s. 3d. per yard.
- (ii) Of cotton and rayon with or without other materials, containing 50 % or more by weight of cotton, the free-on-board price of which does not exceed 1s. 3d. per yard.

NOTE to (a).—Piece goods containing 50 % of cotton and 50 % of rayon shall be deemed to be rayon.

- (b) Woollen (woven or knitted); containing more than 50 % by weight of wool or hair, or wool and hair mixed.
- (c) Other woven fabrics in the piece, n.e.e.:
  - (i) containing 50 % or more by weight of rayon.
- (d) Other knitted fabrics in the piece, n.e.e.:
  - (i) containing 50 % or more by weight of rayon.

- ex 172 (b) Glassware, n.e.e.  
ex 213 (c) Citric and Tartaric Acids.  
259 Beads.

Provided that such intermediate duty shall not be applicable to goods specified in any of the above-mentioned items to which the minimum rate of duty is applicable in terms of section *five* of the said Proclamation.

**COUNTRIES.**

The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.  
The Dominion of Canada.  
The Commonwealth of Australia.  
The Irish Free State.  
Italy.  
The Netherlands.

By Command of His Excellency the  
High Commissioner.

H. E. PRIESTMAN,  
Administrative Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,  
Pretoria, 10th August, 1935.