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## CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

**The Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions)  
(No. 17) Order 1972**

*Made* - - - - - 9th November 1972  
*Laid before the House of Commons* 13th November 1972  
*Coming into Operation* - - - 4th December 1972

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by virtue of the powers conferred on them by sections 3(6) and 13 of the Import Duties Act 1958(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State(b), hereby make the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 17) Order 1972.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(3) This Order shall come into operation on 4th December 1972.

2.—(1) The period for which, by virtue of the Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 12) Order 1972(d), Tetrahydrofuran falling within heading 29.35 of the Customs Tariff 1959 is exempt from import duty shall be extended until the beginning of 1st January 1973.

(2) For the purposes of classification under the Customs Tariff 1959, in so far as that depends on the rate of duty, any goods to which paragraph (1) above applies shall be treated as chargeable with the same duty as if this Order had not been made.

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Two of the Lords Commissioners  
of Her Majesty's Treasury.

9th November 1972.

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 EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order)*

This Order continues, until 1st January 1973, the temporary exemption from import duty of Tetrahydrofuran.

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(a) 1958 c. 6.      (b) See S.I. 1970/1537 (1970 III, p. 5293)  
 (c) 1889 c. 63.    (d) S.I. 1972/1416 (1972 III, p. 4290).

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