

1981 No. 1777

## CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

## The Customs Duties (ECSC) (Quota and Other Reliefs) Order 1981

*Made* - - - - 10th December 1981

*Laid before the  
House of Commons* - 11th December 1981

*Coming into Operation* 1st January 1982

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 1 and 4 of the Customs and Excise Duties (General Reliefs) Act 1979<sup>(a)</sup> and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Customs Duties (ECSC) (Quota and Other Reliefs) Order 1981 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1982.

(2) In this Order—

references to a heading or subheading are references to a heading or subheading in the common customs tariff of the European Economic Community;

references to customs duty are references to duty charged by the Customs Duties (ECSC) Order 1981<sup>(b)</sup> in relation to the goods.

2.—(1) Up to and including 31st December 1982, no customs duty shall be charged on goods—

(a) which fall within a heading or subheading specified in Part I of Schedule 1 hereto (certain iron and steel products) and

(b) which originate in any country named in Schedule 2 hereto other than a country named in column 2 of Part III of Schedule 1 hereto.

This paragraph shall not apply in respect of any goods falling within headings 73.08, 73.10 or 73.13 originating in China.

(2) Up to and including 31st December 1982, no customs duty shall be charged on goods—

(a) which fall within a heading or subheading specified in Part II of Schedule 1 hereto (certain iron and steel products) and

(b) which originate in a country named in Schedule 2 hereto.

<sup>(a)</sup> 1979 c. 3.

<sup>(b)</sup> S.I. 1981/1769.

(3) Paragraphs (1) and (2) above shall only apply to goods in respect of which an importer delivers a perfect entry thereof for home use (within the meaning of section 37 of the Customs and Excise Management Act 1979<sup>(a)</sup> and Regulation 13 of the Customs Warehousing Regulations 1979<sup>(b)</sup>) containing an application for relief from customs duty in the United Kingdom on or after 1st January 1982 accompanied by such documents as may be required under the provisions of Regulations of the Commission of the European Communities of 23rd December 1980 (hereinafter referred to as “the Regulations”) (c).

3.—(1) Up to and including 31st December 1982, no customs duty shall be charged on goods falling within a heading or subheading specified in column 1 of Part III of Schedule 1 hereto (certain iron and steel products) which originate in a country named in column 2 in relation to that heading or subheading if they form part of the relevant quota.

(2) For the purposes of paragraph (1) above the “relevant quota” in relation to any heading or subheading means the amount (expressed as a value in pounds) of goods specified in column 3 of Part III of Schedule 1 hereto in relation to the heading or subheading in respect of each of the countries named in column 2 in relation to that heading or subheading.

(3) Article 4 of the Customs Duties Quota Relief (Administration) Order 1976<sup>(d)</sup> shall apply for the purposes of this Article subject to the modification that the application for relief from customs duty shall be accompanied by such documents as may be required under the provisions of the Regulations.

4. For the purpose of this Order goods shall be treated as originating in a country named in column 2 of Part II of Schedule 1 or in Schedule 2 hereto if they are to be regarded as so originating by virtue of the Regulations.

10th December 1981.

*John Biffen,*  
Secretary of State,  
Department of Trade.

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(a) 1979 c. 2.

(b) S.I. 1979/207.

(c) Regulations (EEC) Nos. 3510/80 to 3513/80 (OJ No L368, 31.12.1980).

(d) S.I. 1976/2105.

## SCHEDULE I

## PART I

*Article 2(1)*

## Tariff headings and subheadings

73.07 A.I.	73.15 A.V.b)
73.07 B.I.	73.15 A.V.d)1.aa)
73.08	73.15 A.VI.a)
73.10 A.	73.15 A.VI.c)1.aa)
73.10 D.I.a)	73.15 A.VII.a)
73.11 A.I.	73.15 A.VII.b)2.
73.11 A.IV.a)1.	73.15 A.VII.c)
73.11 B.	73.15 A.VII.d)1.
73.13 A.	73.15 B.I.b)2.
73.13 B.I.	73.15 B.III.
73.13 B.II.b)	73.15 B.IV.
73.13 B.II.c)	73.15 B.V.b)
73.13 B. III.	73.15 B.V.d)1.aa)
73.13 B.IV.b)	73.15 B.VI.a)
73.13 B.IV.c)	73.15 B.VI.c)1.aa)
73.13 B.IV.d)	73.15 B.VII.a)
73.13 B.V. a)2.	73.15 B.VII.b)1.
73.15 A.I.b)2.	73.15 B.VII.b)2.bb)
73.15 A.III.	73.15 B.VII.b)3.
73.15 A.IV.	73.15 B.VII.b)4.aa)

## PART II

*Article 2(2)*

## Tariff headings and subheadings

73.09	73.16 A.II.
73.12 A.	73.16 B.
73.12 B.I.	73.16 C.
73.12 C.III.a)	73.16 D.I.
73.12 C.V.a)1.	

## PART III

## Article 3

<i>Tariff headings and subheadings</i> (1)	<i>Country of Origin</i> (2)	<i>Amount of Quotas</i> (3)
73.07 A.I. 73.07 B.I.	Brazil	£406,769
73.08	Brazil Republic of Korea Venezuela Yugoslavia	£328,408
73.10 A. 73.10 D.I. a)	Argentina Brazil Republic of Korea Venezuela	£203,539
73.11 A.I. 73.11 A.IV. a)1. 73.11 B.	Yugoslavia	£77,856
73.13 A. 73.13 B.I. 73.13 B.II. b) 73.13 B.II. c) 73.13 B.III. 73.13 B.IV. b) 73.13 B.IV. c) 73.13 B.IV. d) 73.13 B.V. a)2.	Argentina Brazil Republic of Korea Yugoslavia	£557,923
73.15 A.I. b)2. 73.15 A.III. 73.15 A.IV. 73.15 A.V. b) 73.15 A.V. d)1.aa) 73.15 A.VI. a) 73.15 A.VI. c)1.aa) 73.15 A.VII. a) 73.15 A.VII. b)2. 73.15 A.VII. c) 73.15 A.VII. d)1. 73.15 B.I. b)2. 73.15 B.III. 73.15 B.IV. 73.15 B.V. b) 73.15 B.V. d)1.aa) 73.15 B.VI. a) 73.15 B.VI. c)1.aa) 73.15 B.VII. a) 73.15 B.VII. b)1 73.15 B.VII. b)2.bb) 73.15 B.VII. b)3 73.15 B.VII. b)4.aa)	Brazil Republic of Korea Yugoslavia	£680,775

## SCHEDULE 2

## PART I

## INDEPENDENT COUNTRIES

Afghanistan	Korea, Republic of
Algeria	Kuwait
Angola	Lao, Peoples Democratic Republic
Argentina	Lebanon
Bahamas	Lesotho
Bahrain	Liberia
Bangladesh	Libya
Barbados	Madagascar
Belize	Malawi
Benin	Malaysia
Bhutan	Maldives Islands
Bolivia	Mali
Botswana	Mauritania
Brazil	Mauritius
Burma	Mexico
Burundi	Morocco
Cambodia	Mozambique
Cameroon	Nauru
Cape Verde Islands	Nepal
Central African Republic	Nicaragua
Chad	Niger
Chile	Nigeria
China	Oman
Colombia	Pakistan
Comoros	Panama
Congo, People's Republic of	Papua New Guinea
Costa Rica	Paraguay
Cuba	Peru
Cyprus	Philippines
Djibouti	Qatar
Dominica	Rwanda
Dominican Republic	Samoa
Ecuador	São Tomé and Príncipe
Egypt	Saudi Arabia
El Salvador	Senegal
Equatorial Guinea	Seychelles & Dependencies
Ethiopia	Sierra Leone
Fiji	Singapore
Gabon	Soloman Islands
Gambia	Somalia
Ghana	Sri Lanka
Grenada	St. Lucia
Guatemala	St Vincent
Guinea	Sudan
Guinea Bissau	Surinam
Guyana	Swaziland
Haiti	Syria
Honduras	Tanzania
India	Thailand
Indonesia	Togo
Iran	Tonga
Iraq	Trinidad and Tobago
Ivory Coast	Tunisia
Jamaica	Tuvalu
Jordan	Uganda
Kenya	United Arab Emirates
Kiribati	Upper Volta

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Uruguay	Yemen
Vanuatu	Yugoslavia
Venezuela	Zaire
Vietnam	Zambia
Yemen, Democratic	Zimbabwe

## PART II

COUNTRIES OR TERRITORIES DEPENDENT OR ADMINISTERED OR FOR WHOSE EXTERNAL RELATIONS MEMBER STATES OF THE COMMUNITY OR THIRD COUNTRIES ARE WHOLLY OR PARTLY RESPONSIBLE

American Oceania(a)  
Australian Antarctic Territories  
Bermuda  
British Antarctic Territories  
British Indian Ocean Territory  
Brunei  
Cayman Islands and Dependencies  
Christmas Island, Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Heard Island and McDonald Islands, Norfolk Island  
Falkland Islands and Dependencies  
French Polynesia  
French Southern and Antarctic Territories  
Gibraltar  
Hong Kong  
Macao  
Mayotte  
Netherlands Antilles  
New Caledonia and Dependencies  
New Zealand Oceania (Cook Islands, Niue Island, Tokelau Islands)  
Pitcairn  
St Helena and Dependencies  
Turks and Caicos Islands  
Virgin Islands of the United States  
Wallis and Futuna Islands  
West Indies

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(a) American Oceania includes: Guam, American Samoa (including Swain's Island), Midway Islands, Johnston and Sand Islands, Wake Island and the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (the Caroline, Marianas and Marshall Islands).

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, which comes into operation on 1st January 1982, provides for reliefs from customs duty on certain iron and steel products originating in the developing countries named in Schedule 2 to the Order in accordance with a Decision of the representatives of the governments of the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community meeting in Council of 7th December 1981 (O.J. No. L365). The reliefs are provided under the Community's Generalised Tariff Preference Scheme for Developing Countries.

The Order provides for exemption from duty for goods specified in Part I of Schedule 1 originating in the countries named in Schedule 2 other than those countries also named in column 2 of Part III of Schedule 1 except that such exemption shall not apply to goods falling within tariff headings 73.08, 73.10 or 73.13 originating in China (Article 2(1)). The Order also provides for exemption from duty for goods specified in Part II of Schedule 1 originating in the countries named in Schedule 2 (Article 2(2)). These exemptions apply with effect from 1st January 1982 up to and including 31st December 1982. The Order also provides for duty-free tariff quotas for the same period for goods listed in Part III of Schedule 1 originating in certain countries named in column 2 of Part III of Schedule 1 (Article 3).

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