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Addendum

TANZANIA

The Government of Tanzania has submitted for the information of contracting parties, in connexion with the work of one of the Committees of GATT, texts of orders amending and bringing up to date the régime applicable to imports. There follows the text of Government Notice No. 278, of 19 July 1968, as amended through 17 July 1969.

OPEN GENERAL LICENCE

1. This Notice may be cited as the Open General Licence, 1968.
2. Subject to the provisions of this Licence, the importation of all goods originating from the countries specified in the First Schedule hereto is hereby authorized under this Open General Licence.
3. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 2:
 - (a) the goods specified in the Second Schedule hereto and originating from Kenya or Uganda, may be imported only by the State Trading Corporation or by any person or persons for whom the State Trading Corporation is acting as agents;
 - (b) goods specified in the Third Schedule hereto and originating from Kenya or Uganda, may be imported only by the Tanzania Shoe Company Limited or by any person or persons for whom the Tanzania Shoe Company Limited is acting as agents.
4. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 2, this Open General Licence shall not apply to:
 - (a) goods originating from outside Kenya and Uganda and specified in the Fourth Schedule hereto;
 - (b) goods originating from Kenya and Uganda and specified in the Fifth Schedule hereto.

5. For the purposes of this Open General Licence, goods shall be accepted as originating from Kenya and Uganda if such goods can be accepted as so originating under Article 11 of the Treaty for East African Co-operation, a copy of which is set out in the Schedule to the Treaty for East African Co-operation (Implementation) Act, 1967.

6. The licensing procedure specified in the Sixth Schedule hereto shall be followed in cases of goods for which import licences are necessary.

7. The Open General Licence and Imports Licensing Procedure published as General Notice No. 2441 of 1967 as Gazette Extraordinary of 1 December 1967 is hereby cancelled.

FIRST SCHEDULE

All Commonwealth countries.

All GATT Member countries, except Japan.

All countries with which bilateral trade agreements have been negotiated and ratified viz, Poland, Yugoslavia, USSR, Burundi, Bulgaria, Federal Republic of Germany, Czechoslovakia, The People's Republic of China, Hungary, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

SECOND SCHEDULE

BTN number	Description of goods
02.02	Dead poultry (that is to say, fowls, ducks, geese, turkeys and guinea fowls) and edible offals thereof (except liver), fresh, chilled or frozen
04.02	Milk and cream, (other than fresh milk) preserved, concentrated, or sweetened
08.12	Dried fruits
15.13	Margarine, imitation lard and other prepared edible fats
16.02	Tinned meat
16.04	Canned fish
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid
17.04)	Chocolates and confectionery
18.06A)	
20.01/20.06	Tinned fruit
20.02	Tomato purée
20.05	Jams and marmalades
21.04/21.05	Soups and sauces

SECOND SCHEDULE (cont'd)

BTN number	Description of goods
21.06	Natural yeast and baking powders
21.07B	Ice cream
22.05A	Wine of fresh grapes, still wines and grape must in bottle or otherwise
22.05B	Champagne and other
22.06	Vermouth and other wines of fresh grapes flavoured with aromatic extracts, in bottle or otherwise
22.07	Other fermented (for example, cider, perry and mead)
22.09A	Spirits, for example, brandy, vodka, whisky, rum, gin, geneva and concentrates of such spirits
22.09B	Liqueurs and other spirituous beverages and concentrated extracts
25.23B	Portland and other building cement
32.09	Cement-based paint commonly known as SNOWCEM
33.06B	Dentifrices, including denture cleaners and fixative pastes and powders
34.01	Soap including medicated soap
34.02	Organic surface - active agents, surface-active preparations and washing preparations, whether or not containing soap
34.05	Scouring powder and polishes
36.06	Matches, excluding Bengal matches
40.11	Tyres made for motor vehicles designed or used for the purpose of carriage of passengers or goods, where such tyres have the rim diameter of not less than 11 inches and not more than 21 inches, whether such tyres are intended for use on motor vehicles or otherwise and whether such tyres have been previously used or not; bicycle tyres
40.11C	Tubes to fit tyres described in the preceding item
44.15	Hardboard
51.04	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (continuous)
53.11/13	Woven fabrics of sheep's or lambs' wool, of horsehair or of other animal hair
55.07/09	Woven fabrics of cotton
56.07	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste)
57.01/04A	Jute fibre
57.09/12A	Jute fabrics, woven, including hessian and sacking in the piece
57.09/12B	Sisal fabrics
59.04	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, plaited or not, of jute or of sisal
59.06	Sewing, knitting and embroidery thread
61.02A	Khangas and the like (not including saris) made of cotton, man-made fibres, silk and other fibres
62.02A	Bed sheets, bedspreads, chorsa, tablecloths and towels
62.03	Bags and sacks of jute or of sisal
68.12	Articles of asbestos - cement, of cellulose fibre cement or the like

SECOND SCHEDULE (cont'd)

BTN number	Description of goods
69.10	Sinks, washing basins, bidets, water closet pans, urinals, baths and like sanitary fittings
70.20	Woven fabrics of glass fibre
73.21B	Louvre windows and components of iron and steel
73.3SD	Buckets made of iron or steel (not enamelled and not sanitary buckets)
76.08B	Louvre windows and components of aluminium
82.01	Hand tools, e.g. spades, shovels, hoes (jembes), forks and rakes, axes, bill hooks and similar hewing tools, scythes, sickles, hay knives, grass shears, timber wedges and other tools of a kind used in agriculture, horticulture or forestry
83.03	Safes, strong boxes, armoured or reinforced strongrooms, strongroom linings and strongroom doors and cash and lead boxes and the like of base metal
83.07C	Hurricane lanterns
84.01	Steam and hot water boilers
84.02	Steam fittings
84.15	Industrial and domestic refrigerators
84.20	Weighing machinery and weights thereof
84.24	Animal drawn ploughs, parts and accessories thereof
84.56	Concrete mixers
85.20	Electric bulbs and fluorescent tubes and fittings
87.10	Cycles (including delivery tricycles), not motorized
87.12C	Parts and accessories of articles falling within heading 87.10

THIRD SCHEDULE

64.01/04	Footwear
64.05A	Uppers of leather, complete or semi-manufactured

FOURTH SCHEDULE

01.02	Bovine cattle
02.01	Meat of bovine animals (beef, veal)
02.01	Meat of swine (pork)
02.02	Dead poultry (that is to say, fowls, ducks, geese, turkeys and guinea fowls) and edible offals thereof (except liver), fresh, chilled or frozen
02.06	Bacon, ham and other dried, salted or smoked pip
03.01	Fish, fresh, chilled or frozen
04.02	Milk and cream, preserved, concentrated or sweetened
04.03	Butter and ghee (clarified butter)
04.04	Cheese and curd

FOURTH SCHEDULE (cont'd)

BTN number	Description of goods
04.05	Eggs
04.06	Honey, natural
07.01	Onions, potatoes, fresh (not including sweet potatoes)
08.12	Dried fruits
09.01B	Coffee, roasted, including ground, and coffee substitutes containing coffee
09.04	Chillies
09.10	Curry powder
10.01	Wheat (including spelt) and meslin
10.03	Barley
10.05	Maize (corn)
10.06	Rice
10.07	Cereals, other
11.01	Cereal flours
11.02	Cereal groats and cereal meal
12.07A	Pyrethrum flowers
12.07B	Pyrethrum powder
13.01	Turmeric
13.03B	Pyrethrum extract
15.07A	Coconut (copra) oil
15.13	Margarine, imitation lard and other prepared edible fats
16.01	Sausages
16.02	Tinned meat
16.04	Canned fish
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid
17.02B	Honey, artificial
17.04)	
18.06)	Chocolates and confectionery
19.08A	Biscuits
20.01/20.06	Tinned fruit
20.02	Tomato purée
20.05	Jam, marmalades and fruit jellies
21.04/21.05	Soups and sauces
21.06	Natural yeast and baking powders
21.07A	Milk food specially prepared for infants
21.07B	Ice-cream, prepared
22.01A	Waters, including spa waters and aerated waters
22.02A	Lemonade and flavoured waters
22.03	Beer made from malt
22.09A	Gin and geneva
25.22	Lime
25.23	Cement
26.01	Silver and platinum ores and concentrates
27.10B	Motor spirit other than aviation spirit

FOURTH SCHEDULE (cont'd)

BTN number	Description of goods
27.10C	Kerosene, lamp oil and white spirit, including jet fuel
27.10D (1)	Distillate fuels, heavy black, for low-speed marine and stationary engines
27.10 D (2)	Distillate fuels, light amber for high-speed engines
27.10E	Residual fuel oils, black for burning in oil-fired boilers and furnaces
27.11	Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons
27.14	Petroleum bitumen
27.15	Bitumen and asphalt natural
32.09B	Paints, enamels, lacquers, varnishes and distempers, but not including artists' colours
33.04	Mixtures of odoriferous substances
33.06	Toilet preparations, perfumery and cosmetics, but not including dentifrices, toilet waters containing alcohol
33.06B	Dentifrices, including denture cleaners and fixative pastes and powders
34.01	Soap, including medicated soap
34.02	Organic surface-active agents, surface-active preparations and washing preparations, whether or not containing soap
34.05	Polishes, pastes, scouring powders and similar preparations for polishing and preserving leather, wood, metal, glass and other materials
36.05C	Fireworks
36.06	Matches (excluding Bengal matches)
37.07C (3)	Cinematographic film, developed, of a width exceeding 16 mm.
38.11	Insecticides, fungicides, disinfectants (including sheep and cattle dressings) and similar preparations
39.01/06	Artificial resins and plastic materials, cellulose esters and ethers
39.07B	Plastic bottles and jars, common empty including stoppers, lids and caps
39.07E	Sanitary and lavatory appliances of plastic materials
39.07G	Plastic beads and necklaces of beads
39.07AJ (1)	Polythene bags
39.07K	Dustbins of plastic material
39.07L	Other articles of plastic material
40.11A	Bicycle tyres
40.11C (1)	Bicycle tubes
42.02	Suitcases and handbags of vulcanized fibre
44.15	Hardboard
48.14	Envelopes, writing blocks, letter pads and similar paper stationery of the kind used in correspondence
48.16	Boxes, bags and other packing containers of paper or paperboard

FOURTH SCHEDULE (cont'd)

BTN number	Description of goods
48.18	Exercise books, registers, albums, memorandum blocks and other stationery of paper or paperboard (excluding diaries)
51.04	Woven fabrics of man-made fibre (continuous)
53.11/13	Woollen fabrics, woven (including fabrics of fine hair)
55.03/06	Cotton yarn
55.07/09	Woven fabrics of cotton
56.07	Woven fabrics of man-made fibre (discontinuous or waste)
57.01/04A	Jute fibre
57.09/12	Jute fabrics, woven, including hessian and sacking in the piece
57.09/12B	Sisal fabrics
59.04	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, plaited or not, of jute or sisal
59.05A	Fishing nets and netting
59.06	Sewing knitting and embroidery thread
60.03	Stockings and hose
60.04	Undergarments, knitted or crocheted
60.05A	Articles of apparel, knitted or crocheted
60.05B	Other articles, knitted or crocheted
61.01	Men's and boys' outer garments
61.02	Women's, girls' and infants' outer garments
61.03	Men's and boys' undergarments, including collars, shirt fronts or cuffs
61.04B	Women's, girls' and infants' undergarments, but not including babies' napkins
62.01	Travelling rugs and blankets
62.02A	Bed sheets, bedspreads, chorsa (table and towel)
62.03	Bags and sacks of jute or sisal
62.04	Tarpaulins, tents, awnings, sails, and other made-up canvas goods
63.01	Second-hand shirts of all types whether knitted, or crocheted, or of woven fabric
64.01/04	Footwear
68.12	Articles of asbestos-cement, of cellulose fibre cement or the like
69.10	Sinks, washing basins, bidets, water closet pans, urinals, baths and like sanitary fittings
70.10	Carboys, bottles, jars, flasks and similar containers, stoppers and other closures of glass
70.13	Glass tableware and other articles of glass for household, hotel and restaurant use
70.20	Woven fabrics of glass fibre
71.02	Diamonds, industrial or other
71.07	Gold

FOURTH SCHEDULE (cont'd)

BTN number	Description of goods
73.13	Plates and sheets, coated (excluding tinned plate and sheets) specified below: A (1) Corrugated of a thickness of .014 inches or less A (2) Corrugated of a thickness exceeding .014 inches B Flat, galvanized, of a thickness of .014 inches or less B (2) Flat, galvanized, of a thickness exceeding .014 inches
73.21	Louvre windows and components, of iron and steel
73.31	Nails, wire
73.36A	Pressure stoves and parts thereof
73.38A	Enamel hollow-ware
73.38D	Buckets of iron or steel (not enamelled and not sanitary buckets)
73.40N	Earth pans (Karai)
76.03A	Aluminium corrugated sheets
76.03D	Aluminium flat sheets and plates including circles and coils of a thickness less than .275 inches
76.03D	Aluminium flat sheets and plate and strip, other
76.08B	Louvre windows and components of aluminium
76.15B	Aluminium ware, domestic
76.16	Articles made of aluminium
82.01	Hand tools, e.g. spades, shovels, hoes (jembes), forks, and rakes, axes, bill hooks and similar hewing tools, scythes, sickles, hay knives, grass shears, timber wedges and other tools of a kind used in agriculture, horticulture or forestry
83.03	Safes, strong boxes, armoured or reinforced strongroom, strong-room linings and strongroom doors and cash and lead boxes and the like of base metal
83.07C	Hurricane lanterns
83.13A	Crown corks
84.01	Steam and hot water boilers
84.02	Steam fittings
84.15	Industrial and domestic refrigerators
84.24	Animal-drawn ploughs, parts and accessories thereof
84.56	Concrete mixers
85.03	Cells, dry, for torches, transistor radios, etc.
85.04B	Motor vehicle batteries
85.15A	Radio receiving sets and radiograms
85.15B	Parts of radio receiving sets and radiograms
85.15D	Radio telegraphic and radio telephonic transmission and reception apparatus and parts
85.18B	Capacitors suitable for use as parts of radio receiving sets or radiograms
85.19B	Electrical apparatus for making and breaking electrical circuits, etc. suitable for use as parts of radio receiving sets or radiograms
85.20	Electric bulbs and fluorescent tubes

FOURTH SCHEDULE (cont'd)

BTN number	Description of goods
85.21B	Valves and transistors suitable for use as parts of radio receivers or radiograms
87.10	Cycles, not motorized, complete
87.12C	Cycle parts
90.16	Measuring instruments
94.01	Chairs and other seats, etc.
94.03	Other furniture and parts thereof
98.05	Writing and drawing chalk

FIFTH SCHEDULE

02.01/6	Meat and edible meat offals
04.01	Milk and cream, fresh (including buttermilk, skimmed milk, sour milk, sour cream and whey)
04.05	Eggs
07.01	Onions, potatoes, fresh (not including sweet potatoes)
07.05	Beans, peas, lentils and other leguminous vegetables, split or dry
07.06A	Cassava roots
08.01A (1)	Pineapples, fresh
08.01B	Cashew nuts, raw
08.09	Passion fruit, fresh
09.01A	Coffee, raw
09.04	Capsicum, dried
10.01	Wheat (including split)
10.05	Maize (corn)
10.06	Rice
10.07A	Millet and grain sorghum
11.01B	Maize flour
12.01A	Copra
12.01B	Cottonseed, groundnuts, sunflowerseed, sesame seed and castor seed
12.07A	Pyrethrum flowers
13.01	Wattle bark and Bixa
27.10B	Motor spirit other than aviation spirit
27.10C	Kerosene, lamp oil and white spirit, including jet fuel
27.10D (1)	Distillate fuels, heavy black, for low-speed marine and stationary engines
27.10D (2)	Distillate fuels, light amber for high-speed engines
27.10E	Residual fuel oils, black for burning in oil-fired boilers and furnaces
27.11	Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons
27.14	Petroleum bitumen
27.15	Bitumen and asphalt natural
36.05C	Fireworks
55.01/02	Cotton (including seed cotton) not carded or combed
57.01/04B	Sisal fibre, sisal tow and sisal flume tow

SIXTH SCHEDULE

Licensing Procedure

- (a) Applications for licences - Applications for specific import licences must be made to the Imports Controller, P.O. Box 2774, Dar es Salaam, on the approved form C.I. 27, in quadruplicate, obtainable from the Imports Controller, and accompanied by three copies of the indent, etc. which must clearly state the description of the goods, the price per unit, the country of origin or manufacture and the country of consignment. Import licences are issued to the importer in original and duplicate, supported by a stamped and numbered copy of the indent in each case. The original is required for clearance of the goods through the customs on arrival in the country and as authority for obtaining any foreign exchange required. The duplicate licence is provided for use by the supplier and for compliance with any formalities required by the country of supply.
- (b) Foreign exchange - A specific numbered import licence for goods of foreign origin is valid only for the exchange of the country whose name appears prefixed to the number of the licence. An import licence is granted for the importation of goods only and may not be used as a means of obtaining foreign currency for any other purpose. If the value of the goods covered by the licence is less than the amount of foreign currency stated on the licence the importer is not permitted, without special authority from the Imports Controller, to use the balance to pay for other goods, but any foreign money credited and thus established must be declared as required under the Exchange Control Ordinance (Cap. 294).
- (c) Expiration of licences - Specific import licences are valid only for the period shown on the licence. Extension of this period of validity must not be assumed as automatic and in all cases importers should apply to the Imports Controller for any extension required within the validity of the licence.
- (d) Other legislation - The possession of an import licence does not authorize the importation of goods, the importation of which is prohibited under the East African Customs Management Act, 1952, or other legislation, and nothing in this Notice shall be construed as exempting anyone from complying with any legislation in force.
- (e) Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore stated in this Schedule all applications to import the goods specified in the Second Schedule and originating outside Kenya and Uganda shall be submitted to the State Trading Corporation, and may be imported only by or through the State Trading Corporation.
- (f) Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore stated in this Schedule all applications to import the goods in the Third Schedule and originating outside Kenya and Uganda shall be submitted to the Tanzania Shoe Company Limited and may be imported only by or through the Tanzania Shoe Company Limited.

(g) Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore stated in this Schedule all applications to import "cinematographic film, developed" shall be submitted to the National Development Corporation, P.O. Box 2669, Dar es Salaam, and may be imported only by or through the National Development Corporation.

(h) Licences may be granted for the importation of shirts originating from outside Kenya and Uganda only where the f.o.b. value of the shirts is T Sh 250 per dozen or more.