

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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The following communication has been received from the Government of Norway.

With reference to Article 4 in the trade agreement between Norway and the European Economic Community, the Norwegian Government hereby notifies that as from 24 October 1975, Norway has abolished customs duties for products originating from the member countries of EEC and EFTA as concerns the following tariff headings in the Norwegian Customs Tariff.

Number of item	Description of goods	Tariff rate
ex 22.09	Compound alcoholic preparations (known as concentrated extracts) for the manufacture of beverages	NKr 6.90 per kg.
ex 84.06	Motors for automobiles falling within heading Nos. 87.01a, 87.02 and 87.03	10 per cent
ex 87.02	Motor vehicles for the transport of persons, goods or materials (including sports motor vehicles)	
	a. Buses	30 per cent ¹
	B. Other	8 per cent

¹For buses under heading No. 87.02a and which are entitled to preference tariff treatment in accordance with the agreement with the EEC, customs duties shall be calculated on the basis of the value of the body and according to the reduced tariff rate applied for bodies of buses of heading No. 87.05.

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Number of item	Description of goods	Tariff rate
ex 87.03	Special purpose motor lorries and vans (such as breakdown lorries, fire-engines, fire-escapes, snow-ploughs, spraying lorries, crane lorries, mobile workshops, searchlight lorries and mobile radiological units), but not including the motor vehicles of heading No. 87.02	8 per cent
ex 87.04	Chassis fitted with engines, for the motor vehicles falling within heading Nos. 87.01, 87.02 and 87.03, except for tractors	8 per cent
ex 87.05	Bodies for motor vehicles for the transport of persons, except bodies for buses	15 per cent

The internal tax on cars has at the same time been increased in order to compensate the loss of State revenue caused by the abolition of the customs duties.