

Liste de demandes de concessions adressées par la Grèce à :

14.- CEYLAN.-

Tabacs, raisins secs (Corinthe) raisins secs (Sultanine), figues, caroubes, graines de caroube, olives, huile d'olive, vins de raisins, brandy, oplophane, térébenthine, émeri, cigarettes, tapis, glands, cédrats, extraits tannants, tissus de soie, safran et poteries et articles de faïence.

C E Y L O N

1942 TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS.

EXEMPTIONS REQUESTED FROM GREECE.

COMMODITY.		PRESENT DUTY.		REQUEST
Tea	180 met.	drachmas per 100 kilos		Free
Copra	15	ditto.		10 met drachmas per 100 kilos:
Coconut Oil	70	ditto		20 ditto
Desiccated Coconut	20	ditto		5 ditto
Graphite	1	ditto		Free
Coconut Beans	25	ditto		Bind
Coconut	250	ditto		100 met. drachmas: per 100 kilos:

Preliminary list of offers of tariff concessions to be made
by Ceylon to Greece.

Item Number in Greek List.	Tariff Item Number.	Commodity.	Present Rate of Duty.		Offer.
			Pref.	Gen.	
1	125	Tobacco (unmanufactured.)	Rs. 19.35 per lb.	Rs. 22.35 per lb.	Reduce the mar- gin of preference to Rs.2.25 per lb without binding duties.
4	66	Fruit, dried or otherwise preserved without sugar - dried figs.	60%	65%	<u>Pref.</u> 45% <u>Gen.</u> 45%
5	67	Fresh fruit other than apples and grapes - olives, mandarines, oranges and cedars.	50%	60%	30% 35% (from 1st November to 30th June) and 30% 40% (from 1st July to 31st October).
6	74	Fresh Grapes.	50%	60%	25% 30% (from 1st June to 31st June) and 25% 35% (from 1st Feb. to 31st May).
7	93	Olive Oil.	20%	20%	10% 10%
12	426	Turpentine.	17½%	27½%	16½% 22%
14	391(iii)	Acid n.e.s. - Sulphuric Acid.	17½%	27½%	11% 22%
14	398	Chemicals n.e.s. tartarique de calcium.	17½%	27½%	16½% 22%
16	231	China and porcelainware n.e.s.	25%	35%	22% 27½%

ALL CONCESSIONS-LIST IN REPLY

TO CAYMAN REQUESTS

<u>T R I F F N o</u>	<u>IT E M S</u>	<u>P r e s e n t D u t y</u> <u>i n M e t . D r a c h .</u> <u>p e r 1 0 0 F i l o s</u>	<u>O f f e r s</u> <u>i n M e t . D r a c h .</u> <u>p e r 1 0 0 F i l o s</u>
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1)	Tea	180	No Concession
2) 16c8	Copra shelled	20	15
3) 16 I	Copra unshelled	12	10
4)	Coconut Oil	70	70
5) 16c	Desiccated Coconut	-	Unknown
6) 56d	Oraphit	1	1
7) 34n	Cocoa beans	25	Binding
8)	Cocoa	250	180

GREEK CONCESSIONS-LIST IN REPLY
TO CEYLON REQUESTS

<u>Tariff No</u>	<u>ITEMS</u>	<u>Present Duty</u> <u>in Met. Drach.</u> <u>per 100 Kilos</u>	<u>Offers</u> <u>in Met. Drach</u> <u>per 100 Kilos</u>
1)	Tea	180	No Concession
2) 16c2	Copra shelled	20	15
3) 16 I	Copra unshelled	12	10
4)	Coconut Oil	70	70
5) 16a	Dessicated Coconut	-	Unknown
6) 56a	Graphit	I	I
7) 34a	Cocoa beans	25	Binding
8)	Cocoa	250	180

EXPLANATORY NOTE ON THE GREEK OFFERS

1) CEYLON TEA.

As Greece does not produce tea, it is obliged to import it abroad. The duty imposed is entirely fiscal and not protective, and so does not influence importation.

The importation of Ceylon tea is only a commercial matter, as there is a preference for Ceylon tea.

No concession is possible on this item.

2) COPRA SHELLS.

The duty is 20 met. drach. and not 35 M.D.

A reduction from 20 to 15 M.D. is conceded.

3) COPRA UNSHELLED.

A reduction from 12 to 10 M.D. is conceded.

4) COCONUT OIL.

No concession is possible on this item as Greece is an oil producing country and has an important Oil industry ; For this reason we have made a concession on the duty for Copra which is a raw material.

5) DESSICATED COCONUT.

We never imported this item, so it is unknown product to us. But if it is used for candies the duty is not important.

6) GRAPHITE.

The duty is very small and does not impede importation. We do not think that a reduction can be made.

7) COCOA BEANS.

The requested binding is accepted.

8) COCOA.

We accept reduction of duty from 250 to 180 M.D.

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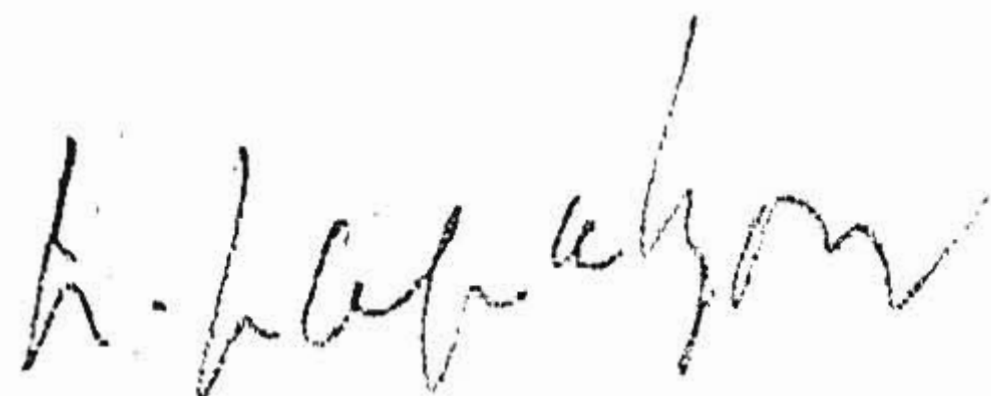
The Executive Secretary.

Third Session of the Contracting Parties to GATT,
ANNECY.

TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS - GREECE / CEYLON

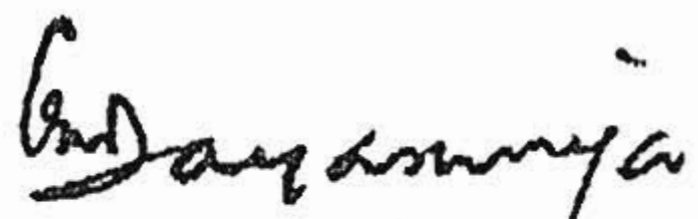
We have the honour to inform you that following upon an exploratory meeting it is agreed that in view of the limited extent of trade between Greece and Ceylon there is at present no scope for tariff negotiations but that each country will extend most-favoured-nation treatment to the other.

For Greece :



P. PAPATSONIS, Vice-President of Delegation

For Ceylon :



C.E.P. Jayasuriya, Ceylon Delegation.

Annecy,

27 th July, 1949.