

SOUTH AFRICA

IN

(5) CANADA.

(a) Requests for the reduction of Canadian Import Duties.

Commodity	Canadian Tariff	Customs Duty Payable in Canada	Duty Applicable to S. Africa	Sales Tax	Special Excise Tax on Imports	Nature of Concession Desired
Astrakhan skins	603	10% 15% 15%	15%	3%	3%	Transfer of this commodity from Tariff Item No. 603 to Tariff Item No. 604. (Astrakhan skins wholly or partly dressed) and removal of import duty as well as all other taxes and charges.
Whisky	162	80% Ad valorem plus 42½ cents per gal. 80% plus 42½ cents per gal. 80% plus 42½ cents per gal. 80% plus 42½ cents per gal.	80% plus 42½ cents per gal.	8%	3%	Reduction of import duties to 40% ad valorem plus 20 cents per gallon as well as removal of all other taxes and charges on imports.

CANADIAN DELEGATION
TO THE
SECOND SESSION OF THE
PREPARATORY COMMITTEE OF THE
UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE
ON
TRADE AND EMPLOYMENT



Mr. Zisner
DÉLÉGATION DU CANADA
À LA
DEUXIÈME SESSION DE LA
COMMISSION PRÉPARATOIRE DE LA
CONFÉRENCE DES NATIONS UNIES
DU
COMMERCE ET DE L'EMPLOI

Palais des Nations,
Geneva,
September 9, 1947.

J. A. Lacarte, Esquire,
Deputy Executive Secretary,
Second Session of the Preparatory Committee
of the United Nations Conference on
Trade and Employment,
Palais des Nations,
Geneva.

Dear Mr. Lacarte:

Further to my two letters of August 18th
and August 23rd and in accordance with document E/PC/T/172
of August 15th, I enclose herewith copy of letter sent by
us to the South African Delegation including a statement
of Canadian tariff concessions which this Delegation is
making to South Africa.

We have held only one negotiation meeting
with South Africa, namely, on September 3rd.

Since the two items on which agreement was
reached appear in the Canadian Tariff there is, therefore,
no South African schedule of concessions.

Yours faithfully,

A. E. Carilland
Secretary

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Palais des Nations,
Geneva, Switzerland,
September 3, 1947.

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Dear Dr. Beyleveld:-

In consideration of our tariff reduction on
vermouth (ex Item 162) from 80 p.c. ad valorem under all
tariffs to 20 cents per gallon on:

"Vermouth, aperitif and cordial wines containing
twenty-four per cent. or less of proof spirit,
whether imported in wood or in bottles"

we understand that you have agreed to release Canada in
respect of the bound margin of 10 cents per pound on
carpet wools described as follows:

"Wool, in the grease, not including wool of the
sheep of the type commonly known as karakul,
when imported by carpet manufacturers for use
exclusively in the manufacture of carpets, in
their own factories."

Yours faithfully,

(H. B. McKinnon)

H. B. McKinnon,
Head, Negotiating Team,
Canadian Delegation.

Dr. A. J. Beyleveld,
South African Delegation,
Room 462, Palais des Nations,
Geneva, Switzerland.

S.A.D. 111/10.
S.A.D. 108/14.
S.A.D. 142.
S.A.D. 141.

South African Delegation to
Conference on I.T.E.,
Palais des Nations,
Geneva.

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4th September, 1947.

THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, I.T.O.

I have to advise you that negotiations between the Union of South Africa and Canada were concluded at one meeting held on the 3rd instant.

~~The items on which agreement was reached~~ appear in the Canadian tariff and relate to the reduction in the duty on vermouth and to the surrender of the preference on carpet wool. There is therefore no South African schedule and the relevant items will appear in the Canadian schedules.


LEADER: SOUTH AFRICAN DELEGATION.