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GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1950

Tariff Concessions Which the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Requests from KOREA

August, 1950

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The attached list of requests is subject to alteration in the light of information which the Government of the United States may obtain pursuant to its formal public notice of intention to undertake trade-agreement negotiations with the Government of KOREA. Such public notice is required under the Trade Agreements Act of 1934, as amended, the legislative authority under which the United States undertakes these tariff negotiations.

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TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1950

LIST OF REQUESTS

Tariff Concessions which the Government of the UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA requests from the Government of KOREA.

Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Present Rate of Duty	Proposed Duty
121 ex-D	Nicotine sulphate	25%	12-1/2%
412 A	Wheat flour	10%	5%
431	Salt, crude and refined	Free	Bind
741	Printed books, periodicals, music and catalogues	Free	Bind
802 ex-A	Ginned cotton having a staple length of 7/8 inch or over but not exceeding 1-1/16 inches	Free	Bind
1209 C I			
ex-A	Black carbon steel sheets	Free	Bind
ex-b and c	Black carbon steel sheets	10%	5%
1506 B I	Motion picture film, positive and negative	40%	2 cents a linear foot


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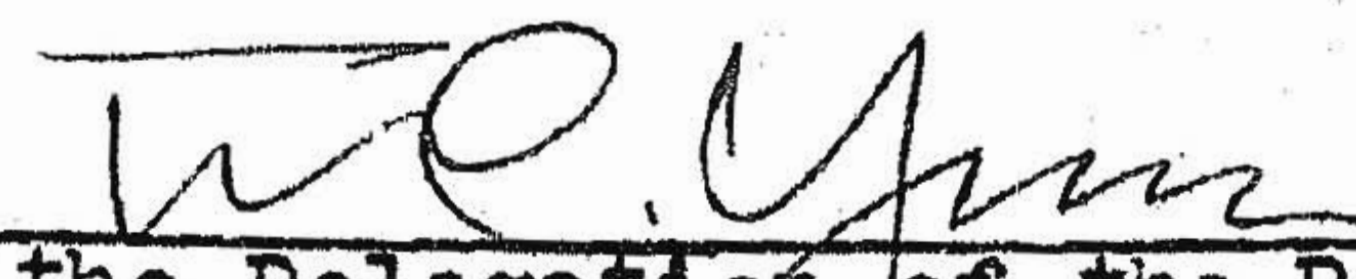
Torquay, November 27, 1950.

ENTRY INTO NEGOTIATIONS

The Delegation of the United States of America and the Delegation of the Republic of Korea inform the Executive Secretary that they have today entered into negotiations.

They accordingly enclose herewith two copies of the lists of offers exchanged.


For the Delegation of the United States


For the Delegation of the Republic of Korea

Enclosures

24th November, 1950.

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1950

LIST OF OFFERS

Tariff Item Nos.	Description of Products	Present Rates of Duty	Concessions Requested	Concessions Offered
121 ex-D	Nicotine sulphate	25% ad. val.	12-1/2%	20% ad. val.
412 A	Wheat flour	10% " "	5% ad. val.	agreed
431	Salt	free	free	binding
741	Printed books, periodicals, music & cata- logues free	free	free	binding
802 ex-A	Ginned cotton	free	free	binding
1209 C 1. ex-a	Black carbon steel sheets	free	free	binding
1209 C 1. ex-b & c.	Black carbon steel sheets	10% ad. val.	5% ad. val.	agreed
1506 B.1.	Motion picture film, positive & negative	40% " "	2 cents a linear foot:	20% ad val.

Tariff Concessions offered by the Government of the Republic of Korea in response to requests received from the Government of the United States of America.

S E C R E T

29th November, 1950.

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1950

LIST OF OFFERS

S U P P L E M E N T A R Y

Tariff Concessions offered by the Government of the
Republic of Korea in response to requests received from
the Government of the United States of America.

Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Present Rate of Duty	Concessions Requested	Concessions Offered
802 ex-A	Ginned cotton	free	free	binding

This above Ginned Gotton should further read:

Length of 7/8 inch or over but not exceeding 1-1/16 inches.

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UNITED STATES OFFERS OF TARIFF CONCESSIONS TO
SOUTH KOREA

United States Delegation
Third Set of Tariff Negotiations Under
The General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
Torquay, United Kingdom

November 24, 1950

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United States Offers of Tariff Concessions to
Korea

Tariff Par.	Stat. Class: (1948)	Description	Rate of Duty	
			Present	Proposed
41	2800.000	Agar-agar	25%	18%
44	8380.630	Iodine, resublimed	10¢ lb.	5¢ lb.
1540	2950.080	Moss and sea grass, eel grass, and seaweed, dyed or manufactured, n.s.p.f.	5%	5% (Bind)
1669	2210.380	Ginseng	Free	Free (Bind)
1722	2921.900	"Other" moss, seaweeds, and vegetable substances, crude or unmanufactured, n.s.p.f.	Free	Free (Bind)
1762	3704.000	Silk waste, n.s.p.f.	Free	Free (Bind)
1763	3702.100	Wild or tussah silk	Free	Free (Bind)

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December 14, 1950.

THIRD SET OF TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS UNDER THE GENERAL AGREEMENT
ON TARIFFS AND TRADE


Completion of Bilateral Negotiations

The Delegation of the United States and the Delegation of Korea inform the Executive Secretary that they have today completed their bilateral negotiations.

They accordingly enclose herewith two copies of the list of concessions agreed upon.

It is understood that the lists may be subject to some modification in the light of other bilateral negotiations still to be concluded.


For the Delegation of Korea


For the Delegation of the
United States

December 14, 1950.

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE
TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1950-1951

List of Bilateral Concessions

The Delegation of the United States, having concluded its bilateral negotiations with the Delegation of Korea, has agreed to accord the following concessions:

Tariff Item No.	Description of Product	Present Rate of Duty	Agreed Rate of Duty	
1 41 K	Agar-agar	25%	18%	✓
2 44 K	Iodine, resublimed	10¢ lb.	5¢ lb.	✓
23 1540 K	Moss and sea grass, eel grass, and seaweed, dyed or manufactured, n.s.p.f.	5%	5% (Bind)	○
24 1669 CAN	Ginseng	Free	Free (Bind)	○
25 1722 CAN	"Other" moss, seaweeds, and vegetable substances, crude or manufactured, n.s.p.f.	Free	Free (Bind)	○
26 1762 K	Silk waste, n.s.p.f.	Free	Free (Bind)	✓
27 1763 K	Wild or tussah silk	Free	Free (Bind)	✓

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December 14, 1950

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1950-1951

List of Bilateral Concessions

The Delegation of Korea, having concluded its bilateral negotiations with the Delegation of the United States of America, has agreed to accord the following concessions:

Tariff Item Nos.	Description of Product	Present Rate of Duty	Agreed Rate of Duty
✓ 121 ex-D	Nicotine sulphate	25% ad. val.	20% ad. val.
✓ 412 A	Wheat flour	10% ad. val.	5% ad. val.
✓ 431	Salt	free	binding
✓ 741	Printed books, periodicals, music & catalogues free	free	binding
✓ 802 ex-A	Ginned cotton having a staple length of 7/8 inch but not exceeding 1-1/16 inches	free	binding
✓ 1209 C 1. ex-a	Black carbon steel sheets	free	binding
✓ 1209 C 1. ex-b & c.	Black carbon steel sheets	10% ad. val.	5% ad. val.
✓ 1506 B.1	Motion picture film, positive & negative	40% ad. val.	20% ad. val.

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