

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

RESTRICTED

L/674

11 September 1957

Limited Distribution

Original : French

Schedule II - BENELUX

Section A - Metropolitan territories

Article XXVII - Withdrawal of concessions negotiated with China, the Syro-Lebanese Customs Union, Liberia and the Philippines

The Government of the Benelux countries have informed the Executive Secretary that they intend to withdraw, under the provisions of Article XXVII, from Schedule II (Benelux, Section A - Metropolitan Territories), the following concessions which had been initially negotiated with China, the Syro-Lebanese Customs Union, Liberia and the Philippines.

The names of the countries to which the concession was granted and of the place where it was negotiated have been indicated for each tariff item.

As provided for under Article XXVII, the contracting parties which have a substantial interest in the products concerned may consult with the governments of the Benelux countries.

Item No.	Description of Product	Bound rate of Duty	Country	Place
27	Eggs of poultry or of game :			
	b) Eggs shelled; yolks of eggs:			
	1. suitable for alimentary purposes	5 p.c.	CHN	G
	2. intended for industrial purposes	free	CHN	G
35	Bones, horns, horn-cores, antlers, hoofs, claws, birds' beaks, raw, also simply cut up, split or stretched, but not worked; parings and waste of these materials	free	LS	G

36	Ivory and other animal teeth, tortoise-shell, mother-of-pearl and other shells, whalebone or like bone of other cetaceans, coral and similar substances, raw, also if simply cut up, split or spread out, but not processed; powder, parings and waste of these materials: ex. Mother-of-pearl and other shells (other than tortoise-shells) raw, also if simply cut up, split or stretched, but not worked.....	free	PH	T
51	b) Peas and lentils : ex. Lentils	free	IS	G
58	exe) Pistachio nuts (X)	5 p.c.	IS	G
83	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, whether or not crushed or ground : a) Ground nuts (X)..... k) Other oil seeds and oleaginous fruits ex. Sesamum seeds (X).....	free	CHN	G
88	b) ex. Liquorice roots (X) ex. Calabar beans (X)	free	IS	G
89	a) ex. Seeds of anise, badian, fennel, coriander and cumon (X) e) Apricot and peach stones: 1. Apricot stones, entire (X).....	free	IS	G
93	ex. Gums, natural resins	free	PH	T
94	e) Camphor, including synthetic camphor	free	CHN	G
95	Vegetable materials used in basket-making or sparterie : c) Bamboos, rattans and other fine reeds, raw or peeled, whether or not split, bleached or stained : ex. Rattans, raw or peeled, also if split	free	PH	T
105	Fixed oils, liquid or solid, of vegetable origin, crude, purified or refined : b. China wood ("tung oil"): 1. crude 2. other	5 p.c. 10 p.c.	CHN CHN	G G

323	<u>b)</u> other :				
	ex. Red lauan (Shorea negrosensis),				
	Tanguile (Shorea polysterma)				
	Almon (Shorea eximia)				
	Mayapis (Shorea squamata)				
	Bagtikan (Parashorea plicata)				
	White lauan (Pentacme contorta)				
	Narra (Pterocarpus spp)				
	Dao (Dracontomelum dao)				
	Apitong (Dipterocarpus spp)				
	Guijo (Shorea guiso)				
	Yakal (Shorea spp)				
	Falosapis (Anisoptera spp)				
	Manggasinoro (Shorea philippinensis)	free	PH	T	
412	Other wares of vegetable plaiting material, not elsewhere specified or included, whether or not combined with other materials :				
	<u>b)</u> China mats and similar mats, carpets and other fabrics				
	2. not specified	18 p.c.	CHN	G	
441	Silkworms cocoons	free	CHN	G	
442	Floss silk, floss silk waste, noils and silk waste	free	CHN	G	
443	Silk thread :				
	<u>a)</u> raw silk in skeins (not thrown).....	free	CHN	G	
	<u>b)</u> thrown silk, not prepared for retail sale:				
	1. unbleached (not scoured)	4 p.c.	CHN	G	
	2. scoured, bleached, dyed, printed or clouded	4 p.c.	CHN	G	
458	Embroidery (A.III):				
	<u>a)</u> chemical (aérienne) embroidery and embroidery without visible ground.....	18 p.c.	CHN	G	
	<u>b)</u> other.....	12 p.c.	CHN	G	
544	<u>b)</u> ex. Abaca (Manila hemp) and maguey	free	PH	T	
556	<u>d)</u> of abaca (Manila hemp).....	24 p.c.	PH	T	

608	Hat-shapes of straw, palm fibre, bark, wood- chip, esparto or other similar materials :			
	a) plaited in a simple piece	12 p.c.	CHN	G
	b) other	12 p.c.	CHN	G
611	Hats for men, of straw, palm fibre, bark, wood- chip, esparto or other similar materials :			
	b) of palm fibre :			
	-.....	20 p.c.	CHN	G
	-	18 p.c.	PH	T
	c) other	20 p.c.	CHN	G
800	Metals and alloys, not elsewhere specified or included, in an unworked state :			
	b) Antimony	free	CHN	G