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Customs Act 1901-1960.

NOTICE (No. 40) OF TARIFF PROPOSALS.

IN pursuance of section 273EA of the Customs Act 1901-1960, I, Allen Fairhall, Minister of State for Supply, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of State for Customs and Excise, hereby give notice that I intend, within seven sitting days of the House of Representatives after the date of the publication of this notice in the Gazette, to propose in the Parliament—

- (a) that the Schedule to the Customs Tariff 1933-1962 be amended as set out in the Schedule to this notice; and
- (b) that the proposed Customs Tariff alteration referred to in this notice operate on and from the twenty-first day of September, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-two.

THE SCHEDULE. IMPORT DUTIES.

Tariff Items.	British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
DIVISION V.—TEXTILES, FELTS AND FURS, AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF, AND ATTIRE.			
120. By omitting paragraph (3) of sub-item (B) and inserting in its stead the following paragraph:—			
“ (3) Bed sheets, pillow cases, of cotton or containing a mixture of fibres in which cotton predominates—			
(a) Bed sheets ad val.	22½ per cent.	45 per cent.	50 per cent.
(b) Pillow cases in sizes larger than 18 inches in length or 15 inches in width and having a value for duty not exceeding £1 13s. 4d. per dozen ad val.	22½ per cent.	45 per cent.	50 per cent.
and, in addition, a temporary duty of per dozen	£2 10s.	£2 10s.	£2 10s.
less ad val.	150 per cent.	150 per cent.	150 per cent.
provided that, in respect of such goods in direct transit to Australia on 14th August, 1962 which are entered for home consumption on arrival, no additional temporary duty shall be payable.			
(c) Other ad val.	22½ per cent.	45 per cent.	50 per cent.”

Dated this twentieth day of September, 1962.

ALLEN FAIRHALL

Minister of State for Supply, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of State for Customs and Excise.