

NOTICE 437 OF 2003
BOARD ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE TARIFF APPLICATIONS: LIST 3/2003

The following application concerning the Customs and Excise Tariff has been received by the Board on Tariffs and Trade. Any objection to or comment on this representation should be submitted to the Chairman, Board on Tariffs and Trade, Private Bag X753, Pretoria, 0001, within six weeks of the date of this notice. Attention is drawn to the fact that the rate of duty mentioned in the application is that requested by the applicant and that the Board may, depending on its findings, recommend a lower or higher rate of duty.

Rebate of duty on:

"Aluminium foil laminated to polyethylene, classifiable under tariff subheading 7607.19.90.1, for the manufacture of bottle capsules for wine and spirits".

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Applicant:

Baja Capsules Industries (Pty) Ltd, P.O. Box 2737, Cape Town, 8000.

[Note: The applicant indicated that there was no satisfactorily laminated foil in the SACU. Quality problems had been experienced with local suppliers. Ready-made capsules were being imported at a rate of duty of five per cent, whereas the raw material required to manufacture the capsules locally has a duty of 15 per cent.

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