

NOTICE 991 OF 2003**BOARD OF TARIFFS AND TRADE****CUSTOMS AND EXCISE TARIFF APPLICATIONS: LIST 7/2003**

The following application concerning the Customs and Excise Tariff has been received by the Board on Tariffs and Trade. Any objections to or comments on this representation should be submitted to the Chairperson, Board of 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 rates of duty mentioned in the applications are those requested by the applicants and that the Board may, depending on its findings, recommend lower or higher rates of duty.

Rebate of the full duty on:

Segmental ball plug valves, positioner and actuator contained in a single housing for use by the pulp and paper industry.

Applicant:

Monitor Instruments (Pty) Ltd, PO Box 305, Milnerton, 7435.

[BTT Reference: T5/2/18/1(020002) Enquiries: Mr D. L. Smith, tel. 012 428-7820, fax 012 428-7717]

Reduction of the duty on:

Printing blankets with micro grounded surface in standard gauges of 1 mm but not exceeding 2,58 mm and elasticity or stretching capability of not exceeding 0,7% at 500 N/5cm, classifiable under tariff heading 40.08, from a rate of duty of 15 per cent to free.

Applicant:

Hi Tech Graphics, Unit 4, Canstone Park 1277, Umgeni Road, Durban, 4001.

[BTT Reference: T/5/2/7/5/1(030019) Enquiries: C. Grobbelaar, tel. (012) 428 7754, fax (012) 428 7744]

Note: The duty payable on imported printing blanket will result in the industry being forced to increase its prices, thereby affecting the consumer.

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