

NOTICE 1360 OF 2003

BOARD ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE TARIFF APPLICATIONS: LIST 8/2003

The following applications concerning the Customs and Excise Tariff have been received by the Board on Tariffs and Trade. Any objections to or comments on these representations should be submitted to the Chairperson, 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 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:

1. Toughened (tempered) safety glass, classifiable under tariff subheading 7007.19, for the manufacture of glass-top hobs and glass-top stoves, and
2. Electric heating resistors, classifiable under tariff subheading 8516.80.10, for the manufacture of glass-top hobs and glass-top stoves.

[BTT Reference: T5/2/16/1 (020109), Enquiries Mr D.L. Smith, Tel. (012) 428-7820, Fax. (012) 428-7717]

Applicant:

De'fy Appliances Ltd, PO Box 12004, Jacobs, 4052.

Reduction of the duty on:

Triple-spur gear chain hoists or similar items, classifiable under tariff subheading 8426.19.10 from 10% *ad valorem* to free of duty.

[BTT Reference: T5/2/18/1 (030029), Enquiries Mr D.L. Smith, Tel. (012) 428-7823, Fax. (012) 428-7717]

Applicant:

Bellambie Mining & Industrial (Pty) Ltd, P.O. Box 124185, Alrode, Alberton, 1451.

Rebate of customs duty on:

"Artificial waxes and prepared waxes falling within heading 34.04, for the manufacture of products and preparations of a kind used in the paper industry, falling within heading 38.09"

[BTT Ref. T5/2/7/4/1 (030004), Enquiries: Ms D. Mofokeng, Tel. (012) 428-7823, Fax. (012) 428-7744, e-mail: dudum@dti.pwv.gov.za]

Applicant:

SA Paper Chemicals (Pty) Ltd, P.O. Box 12055, Chloorkop, 1624.

[**Note:** The company (applicant) indicated that there are no local manufacturers of the artificial and prepared waxes]

Rebate of the duty on:

Woven fabrics of a width exceeding 3.7 m, obtained from strip or the like, of filaments of polypropylene, unprinted, entered for the purposes of this item on or before 31 December 2004, for the use as backing in the manufacture of wall-to-wall tufted carpets with a finished width exceeding 3,76 m.

Applicant:

Belgotex Carpets (Pty) Ltd, P.O. Box 3228, Pietermaritzburg, 3200.

[T5/2/11/5/1(030031) Mr C. Grobbelaar, Tel. (012) 428-7754, Fax (012) 428-7744]

[**Note:** The only local supplier of carpet backing and the applicant agreed to assist each other to produce primary and secondary backing with a width of 4.25 meters locally.]

[**Note:** This application is subject to urgent investigation and any objections to or comments should be submitted to the Chairperson, Board on Tariffs and Trade, Private Bag X753, Pretoria, 0001, within four weeks of the date of this notice.]

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