# NOTICE 1158 OF 2004 INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION COMMISSION OF SOUTH AFRICA

# <u>GENERAL NOTICE</u> <u>CUSTOMS AND EXCISE TARIFF APPLICATIONS</u> <u>LIST\_7/2004</u>

The following applications concerning the Customs and Excise Tariff have been received by The International Trade Administration Commission of South Africa. (ITAC) Any objections to or comments on these representations should be submitted to the Chief Commissioner, ITAC, 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 Commission may, depending on its findings, recommend lower or higher rates of duty.

### **CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

Please note that if any information is considered to be confidential then a <u>non-confidential vers</u> <u>ion of the information must be submitted</u>, simultaneously with the confidential version. In submitting a non-confidential version the following rules are strictly applicable and parties must indicate:

- D Where confidential information has been omitted and the nature of such information;
- A summary of the confidential information which permits a reasonable understanding of the substance of the confidential information; and
- In exceptional cases, where information is not susceptible to summary, reasons must be submitted to this effect.

This rule applies to all parties and to all correspondence with and submissions to the Commission, which unless indicated to be confidential and filed together with a non-confidential version, will be made available to other interested parties.

If a party considers that any document of another party, on which that party is submitting representations, does not comply with the above rules and that such deficiency affects that party's ability to make meaningful representations, the details of the deficiency and the reasons why that party's rights are so affected must be submitted to the commission in writing forthwith (and at e latest 14 days prior to the date on which that party's submission is due). Failure to do so timeously will seriously hamper the proper administration of the investigation, and such party will not be able to subsequently claim an inability to make meaningful representations on the basis of the failure of such other party to meet the requirements.

# APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF ARTICLE DESCRIPTION ON TARIFF SUBHEADING 2309.90.35

From "feed supplements containing by mass 50 per cent or more of choline chloride" to "feed supplements containing by mass 40 per cent or more of choline chloride".

The application would have an effect of a reduction in the rate of duty from 20 per cent to zero ad valorem.

[ITAC Ref. (24/2003), Enquiries: Mr. M Ngwenya, Tel. (012) 428 7727, Fax (012) 428 7744, email <u>rngwenya@the</u>iti.gov.za]

#### APPLICANT:

Bedson Africa (Pty) Ltd, Corner Axle and Battery Street, Willow Business Park, Silverton Ext 52, Pretoria.

### **REBATE OF THE DUTY ON:**

100 per cent knitted cotton fabric of 150m<sup>2</sup>, for the manufacture of laminated knitted cotton used for medical vests.

#### **APPLICANT:**

Rosschef (Pty) Ltd, P O Box 311, Groenkloof, 0027

[ITAC Ref. T5/2/2/1 (8/2004), Enquiries Mr. C. Grobbelaar, Tel.(012) 428 7754, fax (012) 428 7744].

The following is an extract from the applicant's application:

"Laminated cotton cannot be sourced anywhere else in South Africa and the high import duty makes the end product very expensive. The vests and liners have been approved by SAPO (South African Orthodontist and Prosthetic Association). This implies that the Medical Aid will pay for this product if the patient has funds available."

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