NOTICE 17 OF 2005 INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION COMMISSION OF SOUTHAFRICA

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE TARIFF APPLICATIONS

<u>LIST 1/2005</u>

The International Trade Administration Commission of South Africa (ITAC) has received the following applications concerning the Customs and Excise Tariff. Any objection to or comment 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 rate of duty mentioned in the application is that requested by the applicant and that the Commission may, depending on its findings, recommend a lower or higher rate of duty.

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

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

- P Where conjidential information has been omitted and the nature *𝖛* such information;
- □ A summary of the confidential information which permits a reasonable understanding of the substance of the confidential information; and
- **P** 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 nonconfidential version, will be made mailable to other interested parties.

If a party considers that any document **d** 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 **d** the deficiency and the reasons why that party's rights are **so** affected must be submitted to the commission in writingforthwith (and at the latest **I4** daysprior 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 **d** thefailure **d** such other party to meet the requirements.

REBATE OF THE DUTY ON:

Ceramic gas burner complete, classifiable under tariff subheading 6914.90, grid (chrome plated wire), classifiable under tariff subheading 7321.90, motor driven gas burner complete, classifiable under tariff subheading 7321.90, enameled reflectors, classifiable under tariff subheading 7321.90, aluminium pipes (in lengths not bend), classifiable under tariff subheading 7608.10, gas valve complete, classifiable under tariff subheading 8481.80.01, gas regulator complete, classifiable under tariff subheading 8481.80.01, gas regulator with electric heating elements, classifiable under tariff subheading 8536.50.50, and ignition wire, classifiable under tariff subheading 8544.49, for the manufacture of gas heaters (7321.81.00) and electrically fan assisted gas heaters (8516.29.90).

Applicant:

Nu-World Industries (Pty) Ltd 35-3rd Street Wynberg Sandton Johannesburg 2090 –

<u>Reason for the application</u>: "The components which Nu-World Industries (Pty) Ltd intends to manufacture are not manufactured locally and a rebate on the duty payable on the imported components will assist the applicant to become more competitive against imports as well as to export to *SADC* and SUBSAHARAN AFRICA."

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2. Cotton fibers, not carded or combed, ginned but not further processed, of a length exceeding 28,00 mm but not exceeding 35,9 mm classifiable under tariff subheading 5201.00.20, in such quantities, at such times and subject to such conditions as the Director General: Agriculture, may allow by specific permit.

Applicant: South African Cotton Textile Manufacturers Association. P 0 Box 53 Bruma 2026

<u>Reason for the application</u>: **"Various types of** cotton that **are** required for special qualities **as** well **as** for niche products are not available in *SADC* and would therefore have to be imported **from** elsewhere. **Most of** these products are for quality garments destined for the local and export markets where yarn quality **is** a critical consideration."

[ITAC Ref. **T5/2/2/1 (26/2004)**, Enquiries: Mr. **C** Grobbelaar, Tel. **(012) 394 3672**, Fax no. **(012) 394 0516**]

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