

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON
TARIFFS AND TRADE

No. 11

SECRET/262
17 March 1980

Original: English

ARTICLE XXVIII:5 NEGOTIATIONS

Schedule XVIII - South Africa

Attached hereto is a report on the results of renegotiations between South Africa and the United States concerning concessions the modifications or withdrawals of which were notified in the following documents: SECRET/233, 234, 235, 236, 239, 240, 248, 252, 253, 258.

The delegations of South Africa and the United States have concluded their negotiations under Article XXVIII:5 for the modification or withdrawal of concessions provided for in Schedule XVIII as set out in the report attached.

Signed for the Delegation
of South Africa

Signed for the Delegation
of the United States of
America

26 February 1980

SECRET

RESULTS OF NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA UNDER ARTICLE XXVIII FOR
THE MODIFICATION OR WITHDRAWAL OF CONCESSIONS IN
THE SCHEDULE OF SOUTH AFRICA

CHANGES IN SCHEDULE XVIII - SOUTH AFRICA

A. CONCESSIONS TO BE WITHDRAWN

Tariff Item Number	Description of Products	Rates of Duty bound in Existing Schedule
ex 29.14	Monocarboxylic acids and their anhydrides, halides, peroxides and peracids, and their halo= genated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives: Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether acetate, ethylene glycol monobutyl ether acetate, ethylene glycol monoethyl ether acetate	Free
ex 37.01	Photographic plates and film in the flat, sensitised, unexposed, of any material (excluding paper, paperboard or cloth): Orthochromatic plates and film in the flat Lithographic plates of aluminium, sensitised, unexposed Radiographic plates and film	Free Free Free
ex 37.02	Film in rolls, sensitised, unexposed, perforated or not: Orthochromatic film in rolls, of a length not exceeding 500 m and a width not exceeding 1 050 mm	Free
ex 39.01	Condensation, polycondensation and polyaddition products, whether of not modified or poly= merized and whether or not linear (for example, phenoplasts, amino= plasts, alkyds, polyallyl esters and other unsaturated polyesters, silicones): Epoxide resins, whether or not esterified	20%

ex 84.23	: Excavating, levelling, tamping, : boring and extracting machinery, : stationary or mobile, for earth, : minerals or ores (for example, : mechanical shovels, coal-cutters, : excavators, scrapers, levellers : and bulldozers); pile-drivers, : snow-ploughs, not self propelled : (including snow-plough attach= : ments):	:	:
	: Scrapers	:	Free
ex 84.34	: Machinery, apparatus and access= : ories for type-founding or type= : setting; machinery (excluding : machine tools of heading No. : 84.45, 84.46 or 84.47) for : preparing or working printing : blocks, plates or cylinders; : printing type, impressed flongs : and matrices, printing blocks, : plates and cylinders; blocks, : plates, cylinders and lithographic : stones, prepared for printing : purposes (for example, planed, : grained or polished):	:	:
	: Lithographic plates of : aluminium, unsensitised : (excluding offset duplicating : masters)	:	3%
ex 90.17	: Medical, dental, surgical and : veterinary instruments and : appliances (including electro= : medical apparatus and ophthalmic : instruments):	:	:
	: Blood (including plasma) : transfusion equipment, wholly : or chiefly of plastic material	:	Free
	: Tubing, with fittings, of : plastic material, identifiable : for use with kidney machines	:	Free
	: Bags of plastic material for : the packing of blood, plasma : and intravenous solutions	:	Free
	: Indwelling cannulae of : artificial plastic material : fitted with internal trocar : needles of stainless steel for : intravenous transfusion or : infusion (whether or not fitted : with valves)	:	Free

B. CONCESSIONS TO BE MODIFIED

Tariff Item Number	Description of Products	Rates of Duty at present in force	Rates of Duty to be bound
ex 37.08	Chemical products and flash light materials, of a kind and in a form suitable for use in photography: Other than packed for retail sale The concession:	5%	2 ¹ / ₂ %
ex 84.06	Internal combustion piston engines: Outboard motors shall be replaced by:	5%	
ex 84.06	Internal combustion piston engines: Outboard engines The concession:		2 ¹ / ₂ %
ex 84.18	Centrifuges; filtering and purifying machinery and apparatus (excluding filter funnels, milk strainers and the like), for liquids or gases: Laundry centrifuges (excluding domestic type) shall be replaced by:	3%	
ex 84.18	Centrifuges; filtering and purifying machinery and apparatus (excluding filter funnels, milk strainers and the like), for liquids or gases: Laundry centrifuges (excluding types with a dry mass loading capacity not exceeding 7kg) The concession:		Free
ex 84.55	Parts and accessories (ex- cluding covers, carrying		

CONCESSIONS ON ITEMS NOT IN EXISTING SCHEDULE

	: cases and the like) suitable:		
	: for use solely or princip=		
	: ally with machines of a		
	: kind falling within		
	: heading No. 84.51, 84.52,		
	: 84.53 or 84.54:		
	: Parts of calculating	5%	
	: machines and cash		
	: registers (excluding		
	: parts of computers)		
	: shall be replaced by:		
ex 84.55	: Parts and accessories (ex=		
	: cluding covers, carrying		
	: cases and the like) suitable		
	: for use solely or princip=		
	: ally with machines of a		
	: kind falling within		
	: heading No. 84.51, 84.52,		
	: 84.53 or 84.54:		
	: Parts of calculating		2 1/2%
	: machines and cash		
	: registers		
ex 90.09	: Image projectors (excluding		
	: cinematographic projectors);		
	: photographic (excluding		
	: cinematographic) enlargers		
	: and reducers:		
	: Image projectors	7 1/2%	4%
ex 90.10	: Apparatus and equipment of		
	: a kind used in photographic		
	: or cinematographic labora=		
	: tories, not falling within		
	: any other heading in this		
	: Chapter; photo-copying		
	: apparatus (whether incorp=		
	: orating an optical system		
	: or of the contact type) and		
	: thermo-copying apparatus;		
	: projection screens:		
	: Apparatus and equipment	7 1/2%	4%
	: of a kind used in photo=		
	: graphic laboratories		

Unwrought magnesium

Molybdenum, unwrought or wrought, and articles thereof

D. NEW CONCESSIONS ON ITEMS NOT IN EXISTING SCHEDULE

Tariff Item Number	Description of Products	Rates of Duty at present in force	Rates of Duty to be bound
ex 28.46	Borates and perborates: Sodium borates (including borax)	Free	Free
ex 29.02	Halogenated derivatives of hydrocarbons: Chlordane	10%	5%
ex 29.04	Acyclic alcohols and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives: Ethylene glycol	Free	7 ¹ / ₂ %
35.04	Peptones and other protein substances (excluding enzymes of heading No. 35.07) and their derivatives; hide powder, whether or not chromed	10%	6%
ex 39.01	Condensation, polycondensation and polyaddition products, whether or not modified or polymerised, and whether or not linear (for example, phenoplasts, aminoplasts, alkyds, polyallyl esters, and other unsaturated polyesters, silicones): Polyethylene terephthalates: Plates, sheets, film, foil and strip	20%	Free
ex 77.01	Unwrought magnesium; magnesium waste (excluding shavings of uniform size) and scrap: Unwrought magnesium	Free	Free
81.02	Molybdenum, unwrought or wrought, and articles thereof	Free	Free

ex 84.08	Other engines and motors:		
	Gas turbines (excluding aircraft engines, parts of aircraft engines, marine propulsion engines and motor vehicle engines):	Free	Free
ex 84.45	Machine-tools for working metal or metal carbides (excluding machines falling within heading No. 84.49 or 84.50):		
	Sharpening, trimming, trueing, grinding, polishing, lapping, dressing or surfacing machines and similar machines operated by means of grinding wheels or other abrasive or polishing products, with micrometric adjustments for measuring 10 microns or better	Free	Free
ex 84.51	Typewriters (excluding typewriters incorporating calculating mechanisms); cheque-writing machines:		
	Cheque-writing machines	20%	12 ¹ / ₂ %
ex 85.12	Electric instantaneous or storage water heaters and immersion heaters; electric soil heating apparatus and electric space heating apparatus; electric hair dressing appliances (for example, hair dryers, hair curlers, curling tong heaters) and electric smoothing irons; electro-thermic domestic appliances; electric heating resistors (excluding those of carbon):		
	Electric heating resistors suitable for industrial ovens and furnaces	Free	Free
ex 90.07	Photographic cameras; photographic flashlight apparatus and flashbulbs (excluding discharge lamps of heading No. 85.20):		

:	:	:	:
:	Photographic flashbulbs	30c per	Free
:	:	100	:
ex 90.09:	Image projectors (excluding	:	:
:	cinematographic projectors);	:	:
:	photographic (excluding	:	:
:	cinematographic) enlargers	:	:
:	and reducers:	:	:
:	Photographic enlargers	15%	7 ¹ / ₂ %
:	and reducers, not of a	:	:
:	kind used in the prep-	:	:
:	aration of printing	:	:
:	plates or cylinders	:	:
ex 92.12:	Gramophone records and	:	:
:	other sound or similar	:	:
:	recordings; matrices for	:	:
:	the production of records,	:	:
:	prepared record blanks,	:	:
:	film for mechanical sound	:	:
:	recording, prepared tapes,	:	:
:	wires, strips and like	:	:
:	articles of a kind commonly	:	:
:	used for sound or similar	:	:
:	recording:	:	:
:	Prepared sound and	10%	Free
:	similar recording media	:	:
:	(excluding gramophone	:	:
:	recordings, matrices for	:	:
:	the production of records,	:	:
:	magnetic tape, magnetic	:	:
:	disc packs and sound	:	:
:	recordings on tape or	:	:
:	wire put up in cassettes)	:	:
:	:	:	:

NOTE

The South African Government has taken note of the importance the United States attaches to appropriate and prompt action by the Government of South Africa to bring its current import control measures into full conformity with its GATT obligations.

In this regard the South African Government wishes to confirm its policy to liberalise its quantitative restrictions progressively as it succeeds with its negotiations under Article XXVIII, which are aimed at securing the necessary freedom to grant a reasonable measure of tariff protection on a selective basis to deserving South African industries.

The South African Government accordingly undertakes to guarantee the free issuance of import licenses with respect to the items incorporated in the attached results of its negotiations with the Government of the United States of America under Article XXVIII.

This undertaking is given without prejudice to South Africa's future rights under the General Agreement. It is understood that the Government of the United States reserves its rights under the General Agreement with respect to quantitative restrictions not specifically covered by this undertaking.