

MEMORANDUM

The Government of the United States refers to the procedures for conducting tariff negotiations agreed upon at the recent meeting in London of the Preparatory Committee of the International Conference on Trade and Employment, whereunder each member would transmit to each other member a preliminary list of tariff concessions which it proposes to request of such other member.

In accordance with this procedure, there is attached hereto a preliminary list of the tariff concessions which the Government of the United States desires from the Government of Norway in the forthcoming trade negotiations scheduled to open at Geneva, Switzerland on April 8, 1947. This list of articles and the specific concessions indicated for each item are subject to alteration in the light of information obtained by the Government of the United States pursuant to its formal notice of intention to undertake trade-agreement negotiations with the Government of Norway and the Governments of seventeen other countries which was issued by the Secretary of State on November 9, 1946.

It should be noted that the tariff description has in some cases been amended to facilitate classification and customs treatment of certain articles proposed for the consideration of tariff concessions. The "base rates" indicated are those contained in the 1942-43 Norwegian Tariff Schedule, since the 1946-47 Schedule was not available for the preparation of the material used as a basis for this preliminary list. The "actual rates" indicated include the two duty surtaxes of 50 percent and 33 1/3 percent wherever applicable.

PROPOSED REQUESTS BY THE UNITED STATES
FOR TARIFF CONCESSIONS FROM NORWAY

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Statistical Number (1938)	Tariff Number (1942-43)	Tariff Description	Rates of Duty in Crowns per Kilogram: (unless otherwise indicated)		
			Present Rates		Proposed
			Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual	Actual Rates
2,1,71	150	1. Intestines:			
2,1,72	151	a. Wholly dry, not salted	3.00	6.00	3.00
2,1,73	152	b. Half dry	0.90	1.80	0.90
		c. Other	0.30	0.60	0.30
2,2,4	143	2. Other fish:			
		a. Salted salmon	0.20	0.40	0.30
		Tare allowance: casks of wood- 20 percent			
		Grain:			
		Milled:			
3,3,7	422	b. Flour:			
		Of wheat	Free	Free	Free;
					removal of State
					Grain monopoly
					restriction on
					sale of branded
					flours
5,1,1	210	Fruit(tree fruits)and berries:			
		1. Fresh:			
		ex a. Oranges and grapefruit	0.02	0.027	0.027
		Tare allowance: cases, 22 percent			

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			Present Rates		Proposed
			Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual	Actual Rates
		Fruit (tree fruits) and berries:			
		ex.d. Apples:			
5,1,4	213	1. August 1 - November 30, inclusive	0.40	0.80	0.20
5,1,6	214	2. December 1 - July 31, inclusive	0.20	0.40	0.10
		ex.d. Pears:			
5,1,5	213	1. August 1 - November 30, inclusive	0.40	0.80	0.20
5,1,7	215	2. December 1 - July 31, inclusive	0.10	0.20	0.10
		2. Dried:			
5,1,10	219	a. Prunes and plums	0.25	0.50	0.10
5,1,13	222	ex.d. Raisins	0.08	0.107	0.08
		Tare allowance: casks, 14 percent; cases, 20 percent; earthen jars, 30 percent			
5,1,24; 5,1,25; 5,1,26 ₂	229	1. Other, including apples, apricots, peaches, pears: and mixtures thereof	0.60	1.20	0.60
		5. Fruits preserved in other ways than those mentioned in sections 3 and 4, including also pineapples, apricots, peaches, plums, and pears, in tins, even with the addition of sugar:			
5,1,32	235	b. Other	0.60	1.20	0.30
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			Present Rates		Proposed
			Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual	Actual Rates
8,0,3	42	Cotton and cotton goods: 1. Cotton Flax, hemp, manila-hemp, aloe fiber, jute and similar textile materials, paper yarn also manufactures thereof: 3. Manufactures of flax and hemp: II. In which the single yarns weight more than 100 grams per 100 meters: B. Rope: 2. Other: a. Untarred	Free	Free	Free
9,0,34	471		0.04	0.08	0.08
Ex. 10,3,25-31:		Clothing, not otherwise specified: 16. Of woven cotton fabric: Women's cotton dresses and men's cotton shirts:			
	ex.63	a. Printed	0.85	5.10	2.55
	ex.64	b. Multi-colored, not printed	0.85	5.10	2.55
	ex.66	c., 2. Of one color	0.65	4.70	2.55
10,5,11	303	Gloves and Mittens: 4. Other gloves of leather and skin	2.00	4.00	2.00
13,1,4; 13,1,5; 13,1,6	199	Fats and tallow: 1. Stearic acid, palmitic acid, together with other high melting point fatty acids used in the manufactures of candles, also paraffin and spermaceti	Free	Free	Free

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Statistical Number (1938)	Tariff Number (1942-43)	Tariff Description	Rates of Duty in Crowns Per Kilogram: (unless otherwise indicated)		
			Present Rates		Proposed
			Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual	Actual Rates
		Oils:			
		2. Volatile:			
13,2,6	650	ex.b. Turpentine oil	0.07	0.14	0.07
13,5,2	653	4. Petroleum jelly and axle grease	0.04	0.08	0.08
		Spirits; all kinds, and isopropyllic alcohol:			
		8. Spirit varnishes and polish			
		Note 2.			
13,6,1	78	b. Ethers and spirit varnish also dry(solidified alcohol) and cellulose lacquer whether modified or not with synthetic resins	0.15	0.30	0.30
		Varnish, drying oil and polish:			
13,6,5	198	2. Containing no spirts, modified with synthetic resins	0.14	0.28	0.28
		Gums and rosins:			
		3. Other:			
13,7,3	293	b. India rubber, gum arabic, gutta-percha, balata, mastic, gum copal, colophony, shellac, and other similar kinds of gums and rosins	Free	Free	Free

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			Present Rates		Proposed
			Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual	Actual Rates
4,0,5,6	744	Soap: 2. Transparent soap, perfumed or not, perfumed soap and soap powder, also other soap in balls, figures and the like, in boxes, cases or pots, including weight of immediate packing	0.50	1.00	0.75
4,0,14; 14,0,16	697	Pomatum, cosmetics, beard wax, rouge, face powder, tooth powder, tooth paste, and similar toilet articles, n.o.s. with immediate packing:	1.50	3.00	1.70
14,0,23	955	Vehicles, carts and sleds: 1.e. Casings for automobile tires, rim bands, and solid tires for motor vehicles	0.30	0.60	0.40
14,0,26,261	294	Gums and resins: 4. India rubber, synthetic rubber and gutta-percha manufactures: a. In plates, including rubberized paper, rods, cords, thread, tubes, hose, rope, blocks, buffers and rollers, even when in combination with textile threads or textiles	Free	Free	Free
14,0,29	295	ex.b. Automobile inner tubes	0.30	0.60	0.40

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TARIFF CONCESSIONS FROM FOREIGN - continued

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Statistical Number (1938)	Tariff Number (1942-43)	Tariff Description	Rates of Duty in Cents per Kilogram (unless otherwise indicated)		
			Present Rates Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual	Proposed Actual Rates
		Wood and manufactures of wood:			
		11. All other manufactures of wood, n.e.s.			
16,0,35	889	d. Compo-board and parquet flooring ("parkett stav")	0.05	0.10	0.075
16,0,2; 16,0,7	897	ex. 1. Hickory and oak unworked	Free	Free	Free
		Dyestuffs, colors and paints:			
17,0,7	186	Ex 1. Bone black, lamp black, graphite, iron liquor and pigments of other kinds	Free	Free	Free
		Celluloid, celloen and similar materials with a cellulose base, also galolith:			
		b. Manufactures:			
		5. Other manufactures, n.e.s. including immediate packing:			
19,2,30,1,30,2	124	Films of all kinds, except X-ray film	2.00	4.00	3.00
30,3,31					
19,2,34	326	Insect powders, also other insecticides, wood and fungus exterminators, provided they are not dutiable under any other tariff item	Free	Free	Free
		Stone and manufactures thereof:			
		4. Grinding stones:			
20,3,62	819	b. Artificial wood pulp grinding stones	5%	10%	10%
			ad valorem	ad valorem	ad valorem
20,5,10	849	Sulphur and sulphur flowers	Free	Free	Free

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Statistical Number (1938)	Tariff Number (1942-43)	Tariff Description	Rates of Duty in Crows per Kilogram: (unless otherwise indicated)		
			Present Rates	Proposed	
			Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual	
		Metals:			
		II. Manufactures			
		C. Of iron:			
		4. Plates:			
22,1,16	552	Ex a. Tinplate	Free	Free	Free
		A. Of various metals			
23,1,108-122		11. Implements and tools not otherwise specified,	10%	10%	15%
23,1,124	532	also parts thereof	ad valorem	ad valorem	ad valorem
23,1,127-130					
		Machines, motors and apparatus for industrial or other technical use, navigation or agriculture, n.o.s., also finished and unfinished parts thereof, n.o.s.			
		C. Other, including machines and apparatus for testing material having a minimum weight of 20 kilograms:			
23,1,141; 24,3, 105; 24,3,2,5	512	1. Mechanical refrigerators completely assembled and parts therefor including electric motors	10% ad valorem	20% ad valorem	10% ad valorem
24,3,53,57; 24,3,54,58; 24,3,55,59; 24,3,56,60; 24,3,61		2. Gasoline, Diesel, kerosene, and crude oil motors and parts therefor	10% ad valorem	10% ad valorem	10% ad valorem
24,3,76		3. Tractors and parts therefor	Free	Free	Free

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			Present Rates		Proposed
			Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual	Actual Rates
24,3,93,95, 97		4. Machine tools and parts therefor, metal working	10% ad valorem unless declared exempt	20% ad valorem unless declared exempt	10% ad valorem if not declared exempt
24,3,107		5. Air compressors and parts therefor	10% ad valorem unless declared exempt	20% ad valorem unless declared exempt	10% ad valorem if not declared exempt
24,3,108		6. Power-driven pumps and parts therefor	10% ad valorem unless declared exempt	20% ad valorem unless declared exempt	15% ad valorem if not declared exempt
24,3,113,1131; 24,3,114,1141; 24,3,116,117; 24,3,118,119; 24,3,1191,1192; 24,3,1193; ex 24,4,23		7. Business and office machines, parts and equipment, including cash registers; calculating and adding machines; typewriters; dictating machines, including the necessary equipment therefor; book- keeping, listing and billing machines; card punch- ing, sorting and tabulating machines, parts therefor and supplies including cards; duplicating machines and parts therefor; addressing and postal metering machines; envelope sealing and envelope opening machines and check-writing machines (continued on Page 10)	10% ad valorem unless declared exempt	20% ad valorem unless declared exempt	10% ad valorem if not declared exempt

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			Present Rates		Proposed
			Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual	Actual Rates
24,3,124	513	8. Typesetting machines, including linotype and printing presses	Free	Free	Free
24,3,131		9. Pneumatic tools and parts therefor	Free	Free	Free
24,3,133,139		Machine and transmission belting of all kinds, including sewing belting	5% ad valorem unless declared exempt	10% ad valorem unless declared exempt	10% ad valorem unless declared exempt
		Metals: II. Manufactures: Ex.G. Of copper:			
23,2,11 ₁ ,11 ₂	625	7. Wire and rods, n.o.s.: c. Other, including copper wire	Free	Free	Free
24,2,11,12,13; 24,2,2	951	Vehicles, carts and sleds: Ex 1.a. Passenger automobiles, also bodies and chassis therefor	25% ad valorem	50% ad valorem	25% ad valorem
24,2,3,3 ₁ ,3 ₂ ,4	952	Ex 1.b. Other motor vehicles, also bodies and chassis therefor	12% ad valorem	24% ad valorem	12% ad valorem
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			Present Rates Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual Actual Rates	Proposed Actual Rates
24,2,5	952	Vehicles, carts and sleds: ex.1 b. Aircraft	12%	24%	12%
			ad valorem	ad valorem	ad valorem
24,2,81,9-12 ₂	953	ex.1c. Automobile and aircraft parts, accessories, equipment and motors and parts therefor	20%	40%	20%
			ad valorem	ad valorem	ad valorem
		Electric apparatus and insulated conductors:			
		k. Receiving apparatus, loud-speakers and earphones for broadcasting, also parts therefor, n.o.s.:	20%	40%	20%
24,3,27,28	180	2. Other	ad valorem	ad valorem	ad valorem
					modification of Norwegian electrical standard regulations("N" marking regulations)
24,3,47	164	c. Storage batteries and parts therefor, including containers	0.10	0.20	0.10

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF REQUESTS BY THE UNITED STATES
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Statistical Number (1938)	Tariff Number (1942-43)	Tariff Description	Rates of Duty in Crowns per Kilogram (unless otherwise indicated)		
			Present Rates	Base (1942-43 tariff)	Proposed Actual Rates
		II. Foodstuffs:			
		A. Edible animal products in hermetically sealed containers including weight of immediate packing:			
2,3,3	140	ex 3. <u>Canned meats including luncheon meats and similar types of prepared meats</u>	0.50	1.00	0.50
		Breadstuffs:			
4,1,2	83	1. Of wheat or wheat mixed with other grains, etc.: ex b. <u>Ready to eat cereal products</u>	0.20	0.40	0.20
		Vegetables:			
5,2,12	287	2. In hermetically sealed containers including the weight of the immediate packing: b. Other, including juices, <u>canned soups, canned beans, canned macaroni and canned baby foods</u>	0.35	0.70	0.60
5,1,36	727	Juice of fruit or berries, including artificial juice: 2.c. Other, <u>including blended flavoring concentrate in liquid or dry form, without sweetening, for the preparation of non-alcoholic beverages</u>	0.50	1.00	0.50
6,3,10	ex 843	Confectionary products: <u>Chewing gum</u>	0.50	1.00	0.50
14,18	ex 973	<u>Wax polishes and similar protective finishes</u>	0.30	0.60	0.30
16,16	894	11,h,2 Plywood	0.06	0.12	0.12

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			Present Rates	Proposed Actual Rates	
21,3.1	257	Glass and glassware: ex 2. <u>Beverage bottles for the retail sale of soft drinks</u>	0.10	0.20	0.10
23,1,1412 14,1,147	590	Metals: II. Manufactures: C. Of iron: 24. Iron manufactures n.o.s.: c. Bronzed, tinned, copper-plated, brass coated, enameled, varnished, glazed, lacquered or painted: 1. Steel furniture: <u>Metal office equipment and metal office furniture, including fire resistant cabinets, safes and vault doors</u>	0.25	0.50	0.25
24,3.113, (and others listed previous- ly)	512	Machines, motors, etc., n.o.s. C. Other, etc. 7. Business and office machines, parts and equipment, including cash registers; calcu- lating and adding machines, typewriters; dictating machines, <u>transcribing machines,</u> <u>cylinder shaving machines and parts and</u> <u>equipment;</u> bookkeeping, listing and billing machines; etc.	10% ad val. unless de- clared exempt	20% ad val. unless de- clared exempt	10% ad val. if not declared exempt

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			Present Rates		Proposed
			Base (1942-43 tariff)	Actual	Actual Rates
24,3,124	(To be ascertained)	8. Typesetting machines, including linotype and printing presses, and special printing trade equipment consisting of metal mounting and registering bases, dieing out machines, fountain ink dividers, and rotary book systems for rotary letter presses	Free	Free	Free
		Apothecary wares, i.e., goods intended for retail sale solely by apothecaries, not otherwise specified:			
25, 1	15	c. Other	Free	Free	Free, and modification of Norwegian regulations requiring information on cost, profits and selling price of pharmaceuticals and poisons imported and registered in Norway.

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List of Products
on which Norway requests tariff concessions
by the United States.
(Statistical figures from 1938)

Commodity number and tariff position.	Commodity	Imports in U. S. A.	Requested rate	Remarks
2000 717(c)	Dried Cod.)	Total: 2,880,000 lbs. Norway: 1,772,000 "	Binding 1 1/4 c/lb.	
2290 717(c)	Other dried fish)		Binding 5/8 c/lb.	
300 718(a)	Sardines in Oil) (Valued over 9 c per lb.)	Total: 21,850,000 lbs. Norway: 15,847,000 " Portugal: 3,852,000 "	10 % ad val.	Present tax on herring oil contents in tin to be abolished.
700 718 (a)	Other fish in Oil	Total: 380,900 lbs. China: 96,800 " Japan: 77,900 " Norway: 48,800 "	10 % ad val.	
700 718 (b)	Kippered herring.	Total: 9,150,000 lbs. Norway: 7,243,000 " U.K.: 893,000 "	Binding 12 1/2 %	
300 718(b)	Fish Cakes, Balls and Pudding	Total: 1,648,000 lbs. Norway: 1,067,000 " Japan: 531,000 "	Binding 12 1/2 %	
500 500 700 719(4)	Salted Herring	Total: 28,321,000 lbs. Iceland: 7,167,000 " Norway: 6,752,000 " New Found- land: 4,252,000 "	Free entry	To apply for small as for large containers.
500 719(4)	Salted Mackerel	Total: 5,878,000 lbs. Canada: 3,290,000 " Norway: 1,630,000 "	1/2 c/lb.	

Commodity number and tariff position.	Commodity	Imports in U. S. A.	Requested rate.	Remarks
79500 721(d)	Canned Cod Roe (boiled)	Total: 77.450 lb. Norway: 63.500 "	Binding 15 %	
38200 1519(c)	Silver Fox Skins	Total: 16.468 skins Canada: 8.685 " Norway: 4.015 " U.K. 3.396 "	Free Entry	
303500 52 Sec 2491 TRC	Whale Oil	Norway 13.152.000 (Sole supplier)	3 ¢ per gal. Tax free	Duty and tax together makes rate prohibitive Abolishing tax essential
308.000 52 Sec 2491 TRC	Herring Oil	Japan: 1.605 lbs. (Sole supplier)	2 1/2 ¢ per gal. Tax free	As for whale oil.
276000 1780	Fish Meal		Binding free entry	
1.075500 733	"Flat Bread"		Free	Norwegian specialty should not be treated differently from rye crisp (yeast- leavened).
280.210 412	Wood Flour	Total: 8.453.000 lb Norway: 6.458.000 "	12 1/2 %	
280.790 412	Skis and accessories		16 2/3 %	
810.000 1302	Cellwool		Free entry	A new raw ma- terial equi- valent to cotton should as such have free entry.

Commodity number and tariff position.	Commodity	Imports in U. S. A.	Requested rate	Remarks.
8003.400 301	Pig Iron with Vanadium content over 1/10 %	Norway: 850 tons (Sole supplier)	75 ¢ per ton only	Vanadium content has not been added but is present in ore.
812.100 302 (a)	Ferromanganese (less than 1 % C)		Free entry	As raw
812.200 302 (d)	Ferromanganese (Between 1 % and 4 % C)		" "	materials should
812.300 302 (d)	Ferromanganese (Over 4% C)		" "	have free
822.700 302 (e)	Manganese Silicon (other)		" "	entry
822.000 302 (d)	Ferrochrome (over 3 % C)		" "	
822.100 302 (k)	Ferrochrome (less than 3 % C)		" "	
825.100 302 (i)	Ferrosilicon (Between 30 and 60% Si.)		" "	
825.200 302 (i)	Ferrosilicon (Between 60 and 80% Si.)		" "	
825.300 302 (i)	Ferrosilicon (Between 80 and 90% Si.)		" "	
825.400 302 (i)	Ferrosilicon (over 90% Si.)		" "	
802.100 374	Aluminium crude.	Total: 27.512.000 lbs. Norway: 5.907.000 France: 2.217.000	" "	
803.550 335	Fishhooks	Total: 290.805 Norway: 216.943	22 1/2%	

Norwegian Delegation

Mr. Knight

of Mr. Lay 3rd.
1917.

Dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of the
10th inst. regarding the
exchange of concessions.

Very respectfully,
Erik Collander

I take pleasure in informing you
that the Norwegian Delegation met with the United
States Delegation ^{yesterday} and exchanged lists of concessions.
I have enclosed a copy of the list of concessions
which we propose to grant to the United States.

Yours sincerely

Erik Collander

Encl. 1 list.

...which New Zealand proposes to grant to U.S.A.

Tariff position 1946/47	Commodity	Present actual rate (including surtaxes) Kr. per kg.	Requested rate £s. per cwt.	Proposed concession (actual rate) £s. per cwt.
Ex150	Intestines, wholly dry not salted (of animal origin)	6.00	4.00	4.00
Ex151	Intestines, half dry (of animal origin)	1.80	0.00	1.80
152	Intestines, other	0.60	0.30	0.45
143	Salted Salmon	0.40	0.30	0.30
424	Wheat flour	Free	Free	Binding
			Removal of Grain Monopoly restrictions on sale of branded flour	No change in Monopoly restrictions
Ex 210	Fresh oranges and grapefruit	0.02+33 1/3%	0.027	Binding
219	Dried prunes and plums	0.50	0.10	Binding
Ex222	Raisins	0.08+33 1/3%	0.08	0.08
229	Dried fruits n.o.p.f. (including apples, apricots, peaches, pears and mixtures thereof)	1.20	0.60	1.00
	5 Fruits preserved in other ways than those mentioned in section 3 and 4, including also pineapples, apricots, peaches, plums and pears, in tins, even with the addition of sugar			
235	b.Other	1.20	0.30	1.00
728	Orange juice	0.60	0.30	Binding
Ex729	Grapefruit juice and mixtures of orange juice and grapefruit juice	1.00	0.30	0.60

Vegetables:

2. In hermetically sealed containers including the weight of the immediate packing:

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Asparagus, tomatoes, artichokes and
peas

1.20

0.60
inclusion of
tomato juice

0.60
asparagus and
artichokes only.
No inclusion of
juices

Ex 86.

Tobacco leaf, not sauced, stemmed
 " " not sauced, unstemmed

4.50 ± 1.0%

not sauced, stemmed
sauce, unstemmed

50

4,05
Bind 12%
tare allowance

Binding
for the rate but
not for the tare
allowance

Box 865

Cigarettes

42

Cotton

22.00

6.00

39

Stearic acid, palmitic acid together with other high melting point fatty acids used in the manufacture of candles, also paraffin and spermaceti

Free

Free

Binding
Binding

Ex 652

Turpentine oil

Free

Free

655

Petroleum jelly and axle grease
Varnish

0. 4

0.07

98

Varnish, drying oil and polish, containing no spirits

0.08

0.08

Binding
0,08
Binding

0.28

0.28

addition to text:
"modified with
synthetic resins"

Binding
No text revision

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Gums and resins:

3. b. India rubber, gum arabic, guttapercha, balata, mastic, gum copal, colophony shellac and other kinds of gums and resins

Free

12) 99

Binding

295 a	4. India rubber and gutta-percha manufactures:			
	In plates, including thin sheets, rubber or rods, cords, thread tubes, hose, rope, blocks, buffers and rollers even if reinforced with threads or textile when these are covered by the material	Free	Free inclusion of synthetic rubber	Binding except for tubes and hoses. No inclusion of synthetic rubber
Ex899	Hickory and oak unworked	Free	Free	Binding
Ex186	Bone black, lamp black, graphite, and other black pigments	Free	Free	Binding
Ex124	Photographical and cinema films of all kinds except X-ray film	4,00	3,00	Binding
327	Insect powders, also other insecticides, weed and fungus exterminators, provided they are not dutiable under any other tariff item	Free	Free	Binding
821	Artificial wood pulp grinding stones	10%	10%	Binding
851	Sulphur and sulphur flowers	Free	Free	Binding
Ex 554	Tinplate	Free	Free	Binding
553	Implements and tools not otherwise specified, also parts thereof	20%	15%	Binding
	Loose parts of wood are dutiable as wood worked			
	Machines, motors and apparatus for industrial or other technical use, navigation or agriculture, n.o.s. also finished and unfinished parts thereof n.o.s.			
	b. Other including machines and apparatus for testing material, having a minimum weight of 20 kilogram			

Ex513	(2) Gasoline, diesel, kerosene, and crude oil motors and parts thereof n.e.p.f.	10%	10%	Binding
Ex513	(3) Tractors and parts therefor	Free		(Applies to tractors usable only for agricultural and forestry purposes and not for motor parts).
513	(7) Business and office machines, parts and equipment, including cash registers, calculating and adding machines, typewriters, dictating machines, including the necessary equipment therefor, bookkeeping, listing and billing machines, card punching, sorting and tabulating machines, parts therefor and supplies including cards, duplicating machines and parts therefor, addressing and postal metering machines, envelope sealing and envelope opening machines, and checkwriting machines. Transcribing machines, cylinder shaving machines and parts and equipment.	20%	10% if not declared exempt	10% a.v. for cash registers, calculating and adding machines, typewriters, bookkeeping machines, card punching, card sorting and tabulating machines, addressing machines, and postal metering machines. Dictating machines are dutiable under tariff No 344 at Kroner 3,00 per kilogram. Willing to reduce duties to Kroner 1,50 per kilogram.
			x) duplicating machines,	
Ex 513	(8) Typesetting machines including linotype and printing presses	Free	Free	Binding (Applies to typographical presses only)
514	Machine and transmission belting of all kinds including sewing belting	10%	10%	Binding

Ex 953	Vehicles, carts and sleds: 1.a. Passenger automobiles, also bodies and chassis therefor.	50%	25%	40%
Ex 954	1.b. Other motor vehicles, also bodies and chassis therefor	24%	12%	Binding
Ex 954	1.b. Aircraft	24%	12%	12%
Ex 955	1.c. Automobile and aircraft parts, accessories, equipment and motors and parts therefor.	40%	20%	30% for automobile and aircraft parts n.o.p.f. (motors for auto- mobiles and air- craft are mention- ed under item 954
Apothecary wares i.e. goods intended for retail sale solely by apothecaries n.o.p.f.				
5	3. Other	Free	Free and modifica- tion of Norwe- gian regulations	Binding. No modification of regulations.

Note.

The concessions enumerated in this list have not yet been agreed by the constitutional authorities of Norway. They are brought forward tentatively and conditional upon the concessions mentioned in the Norwegian list of requests. The possibility of adjusting certain items to the international price situation is also reserved.



DELEGATION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Palais des Nations
Geneva.
August 21, 1947

My dear Mr. Stedel:

I will confirm that, as a consequence of the tariff negotiations between our Delegations, the understanding arrived at in respect of the adjustments in the United States tariff which were sought by Norway is as set forth in the statement attached hereto.

The United States offers are made in consideration of Norway's offers, set forth in your letter to me of 14th date, which meet the requests of the United States.

Our offers of tariff adjustments, which are subject to confirmation by the United States Government, will be made effective pursuant to the procedures agreed upon by the Preparatory Committee for the conclusion of a multilateral trade agreement. These offers, which are in the form of the United States statistical classifications, will appear in the consolidated schedule of the multilateral agreement in the statutory form of the United States Tariff Act.

I wish to take this opportunity to express, on behalf of the United States negotiators, our deep appreciation of the competence and good will that the Norway negotiators evidenced throughout the discussions of our mutual problems. We believe that an agreement reached in this spirit will prove to be mutually advantageous to both countries.

Sincerely yours,

Norman Burns
Norman Burns, Head
United States-Norway
Negotiating Team

Mr. Torfian Stedel, Head
Norway-United States Negotiating Team
Room 480, Palais des Nations
Geneva.

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52	0803.000	Sperm oil, crude	2 1/2¢ gal.	1 1/4¢ gal.
	0803.500	Whale oil, n.s.p.f.	6¢ gal. + 3¢ lb. ex- cise tax	3¢ gal. + 1 1/2¢ lb. excise tax
301	Note after 6004.500; also 6250.201- 6250.204	Alloy content of iron in pigs and iron kentledge, spiegel- cisen containing less than 30 percent manganese and more than 1 percent carbon, wrought and cast scrap iron, scrap steel, hammer scale, roll scale, and mill scale: Vanadium content in excess of 1/10% Tungsten content in excess of 2/10% Molybdenum content in excess of 2/10% Chromium content in excess of 2/10%	Per lb. alloy content	
			81	50¢
			72¢	50¢
			65¢	65¢
			3¢	1 1/2¢
302(c)	6212.100	Ferromanganese, 30% or more manganese: Containing not over 1 percent carbon	1 7/8¢ lb. Mn. content + 15¢	15/16¢ lb. Mn. content + 10¢
302(d)	6212.200	Containing over 1 percent and less than 4 percent carbon	1 7/8¢ lb. Mn. content	15/16¢ lb. Mn. content
	6212.300	Containing not less than 4 percent carbon	1¢ lb. Mn. content	11/16¢ lb. Mn. content

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302(c)	6212.700	Manganese silicon containing over 45 percent manganese	1 1/2¢ lb. Mn. content + 15%	1¢ lb. Mn. content + 10%
412	4280.210	Wood flour	25%	12 1/2%
	4280.790	Manufactures of wood, or of which wood is the component material of chief value: Skis, and equipment ordinarily used in conjunction therewith, and parts thereof, and snowshoes	33 1/3%	16-2/3%
717(c)	0062.000	Fish, dried and unsalted:		
		Cod, haddock, hake, pollock and cusk	1 1/4¢ lb.	5/8¢
	0062.290	Other, except shark fins	5/8¢ lb.	5/8¢
718(a)		Fish prepared or preserved in any manner, when packed in oil or in oil and other substances:		
		Sardines:		
	0063.200	Valued not over 9¢ lb.	44%	See below
	0063.300	Valued over 9¢ lb.	30%	See below
		Sardines, neither skinned nor boned:		
		Valued not over 13¢ lb.		44%
		Valued over 13¢ but not over 18¢ lb.		30%
		Valued over 18¢ but not over 23¢ lb.		20%
		Valued over 23¢ lb.		15%

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			Present	Proposed to Norway
718(b)		Fish, prepared or preserved in any manner, in airtight containers weighing, with contents, not more than 15 lb. each (except fish packed in oil or in oil and other substances):		
	0067.300	Fish cakes, balls, and pudding	12 1/2%	12 1/2%
718(b)		Fish, not in oil and other substances in air-tight containers weighing, with contents not over 15 lb. each:		
	0067.700	Sardines and other herring	12 1/2%	12 1/2%
720(a)(2)		Fish, smoked or kippered, not in oil and not in air-tight containers, weighing, with contents 15 lb. or less each:		
		Herring:		
	0075.100	Whole or beheaded:		
	0075.200	Hard dry-smoked	5/8¢ lb.	1/2¢ lb.
		Other	1 1/4¢ lb.	1¢ lb.
721(c)	0078.500	Fish paste and fish sauce	20%	15%
721(d)	0079.500	Caviar and other fish roe, except sturgeon:		
		Boiled, packed in air-tight containers	15%	15%
1514	5470.300	Artificial abrasives in grains, or ground, pulverized, refined or manufactured	1¢ lb.	1¢ lb.

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Tariff Par. No.	1946 Stat. No.	Article	Rate of Duty	
			Present	Proposed to Norway
1535	9420.550	Fish hooks, n.e.s.	45%	35%
1641	8503.000	Nitrogenous fertilizer materials: Calcium nitrate (nitrate of lime)	Free	Free
1681	0707.000	Fox (other than silver or black)furs, except platinum or platina fox furs	Free	Free
1685	8501.100 8501.500	Nitrogenous fertilizer materials: Ammonium nitrate and ammonium nitrate mixtures (not including materials containing phosphoric acid or potash)	Free	Free
1730(b)		Animal and fish oils, fats, and greases, n.e.s.:		
	0804.000	Cod oil	Free	Free
	0805.000	Cod-liver oil	Free	Free
1780	0980.230	Cod-liver oil cake and cod-liver oil-cake meal	Free	Free

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Geneva, August 21st, 1927.
Enclosure.

My dear Mr. Burns,

I take pleasure in submitting to you herewith a list of adjustments in the Norwegian Tariff which are sought by the United States and which the Norwegian Delegation has agreed to offer as a consequence of the tariff negotiations in Geneva. Our offers are made in consideration of your Delegation's offers to us set forth in the annex to your letter to me of this date.

The above adjustments in the Norwegian Tariff are subject to confirmation by the Norwegian Government after the Norwegian Storting has given its approval and will be made effective in accordance with the provisions of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade upon ratification of that Agreement by the Storting.

Permit me to express, on behalf of the Norwegian negotiators, our sincere appreciation of the good will and understanding shown by the members of your negotiation team during our discussions and of the friendly atmosphere which prevailed during all of them.

Sincerely yours,

(Torfinn Aftedal)
Acting Head,
Negotiation Team,
Norwegian Delegation.

Mr. Norman Burns,
Head, United States- Norway
Negotiating Team,
Geneva.

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15	Apothecary wares i.e. goods intended for retail sale solely by apothecaries n.c.p.f. c. Other	Free	Binding
42	Cotton	Free	Binding
Ex 75 } Ex 78 }	Varnishes and polishes containing spirit or ether, whether modified or not with synthetic resin (including cellulose laquer), when unfit for use as beverages.....	0.30	Binding
Ex 124	Photographical and cinema films of all kinds, unexposed	4.00	Binding
143	Salted Salmon	0.40	0.30
Ex 150	Intestines, wholly dry not salted (of animal origin)	6.00	4.50
Ex 151	Intestines, half dry (of animal origin)	1.80	1.35
152	Intestines, other	0.60	0.45
Ex 186	Bone black, lamp black, graphite, and other black pigments	Free	Binding
199	Stearic acid, palmitic acid together with other high melting point fatty acids used in the manufacture of candles, also paraffin and spermaceti	Free	Binding

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Ex 210	Fresh oranges and grapefruit	0.02 + 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ %	Binding
213	Apples	Aug.1-Mar.15 0.80	(Aug.1-Feb.15- 0.80 (Feb.16-Mar.15-0.40
214	Apples	Mar.16-July 31 0.40	Mar. 16-July 31 -0.20
213 }	Pears	Aug.1-Mar.15 0.80	Aug. 1-Jan.15 - 0.80
215 }		Mar.16-July 31 0.20	Jan. 16-July 31- 0.20
219	Dried prunes and plums	0.50	0.25
Ex 222	Raisins	0.08 + 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ %	0.08
229	Dried fruits n.e.p.f. (including apples, apricots, peaches, pears and mixtures thereof)	1.20	0.60
	5. Fruits preserved in other ways than those mentioned in section 3 and 4, including also pineapples, apricots, peaches, plums and pears, in tins, even with the addition of sugar		
235	b. Other	1.20	0.60

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	Vegetables:		
	2. In hermetically sealed containers including the weight of the immediate packing:		
Ex 287	Asparagus and artichokes	1.20	0.60
	Gums and resins:		
294	3.b. India rubber, gum arabic, guttapercha, balata, mastic, gum copal, colophony shellac and other kinds of gums and resins	Free	Binding
	4. India rubber and gutta-percha manufactures:		
Ex 295 a	In plates including thin sheets of rubber, rods, cords, thread, rope, blocks, buffers and rollers even if reinforced with threads or textile when these are covered by the material	Free	Binding
Ex 296	Auto tubes of natural or synthetic rubber	0.60	Binding
327	Insect powders, also other insecticides, weed and fungus exterminators, provided they are not dutiable under any other tariff item	Free	Binding
Ex 344	Dictating machines	3.00	1.50
424	Wheat flour	Free	Binding
Ex 513	Tractors and parts therefor (Applies to tractors usable only for agricultural and forestry purposes and not for motor parts)	Free	Binding

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Ex 513	Pneumatic tools of types not being produced in Norway	Free	Binding
514	Machine and transmission belting of all kinds including sewing belting	10%	Binding
Ex 554	Tinplate	Free	Binding
Ex 652	Turpentine, oil	0.14	0.08
699	Perfumes, cosmetics, dentifrices, etc.	3.00	Binding
728	Orange juice	0.60	0.50
Ex 729	Grapefruit juice and mixtures of orange juice and grapefruit juice	1.00	0.50
Ex 729	Vegetable juices (incl. tomato juice)	1.00	0.60
851	Sulphur and sulphur flowers	Free	Binding

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	" " not sauced, unstemmed	4.50			Binding
Ex 865	Cigarettes	12.00			Binding
Ex 899	Hickory and oak unworked	Free			Binding
Ex 953	Passenger automobiles, also bodies and chassis therefor	50%	a.v.	30%	a.v.
Ex 954	Automobile trucks, also bodies and chassis therefor, and motors for automobiles and aircraft	24%	a.v.	20%	a.v.
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Ex 955	Automobile and aircraft parts n.c.p.f.	40%	a.v.	25%	a.v.
Ex 957	Automobile casings of natural and synthetic rubber	0.60			Binding
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