

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1950

LIST OF REQUESTS

Tariff concessions which the Government of CANADA
requests from the Government of SWEDEN

Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Present Rate of Duty	Proposed Rate of Duty
(Krona)			

ex 67:5	Apples, fresh: from July 1 to December 31 100 Kg. 20 January 1 to January 31 100 Kg. 10	See note
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Note: It is requested that the tariff shall
be 10/100 Kg. from December 1 to
December 31 inclusive.

ex 87	Wheat 100 Kg. 3.70 3.00
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Note: In accordance with Article II, para 4
of the G.A.T.T. the following notes in
respect of item ex 87 are proposed for
discussion.

Note 1 - In each crop year the selling prices of wheat
shall not exceed by more than 2 kronor per 100
Kg. the average landed cost duty-paid of wheat
of comparable kind and quality imported in the
previous crop year; provided, however, that the
domestic selling price per 100 Kg. of such
wheat shall not be required to be reduced in
any crop year by more than 8 kronor per 100 Kg.
or 20 per cent of the domestic selling price in
the previous crop year whichever is the less;
and provided further that when the landed cost
together with the maximum import duty exceeds the
average selling price of the previous crop year
the current sales price may equal the actual
landed cost duty-paid plus 2 kronor per 100 Kg.
but shall not be in excess of this amount.

Note 2 - No mixing regulation shall be authorized which
will require more than a total of 65 per cent
of domestic wheat or similar domestic products
to be mixed with imported wheat in the production
of flour.

Note 3 - The maximum import duty as defined in Article 31,
para 4 of the Havana Charter will apply in Note 1.

Tariff Item No.	Description of Products		Present Rate of Duty	Proposed Rate of Duty
ex 87	Rye, barley, oats	100 Kg.	3.70	2.50
ex 88	Cereal flours: Wheat flour	100 Kg.	6.50	4.20
<u>Note:</u> A monopoly fee not to exceed 2.8 kronor per 100 Kg. and notes similar to the notes under item ex 87 are proposed for item ex 88.				
ex 89	Rolled oats	100 Kg.	3.50	3.50
99	Red clover seed	100 Kg.	20.00	Free
ex 100	Alsike, seed		Free	Free
ex 103	Artificial resin		Free	Free
ex 143:2	Lobster and salmon in tins	100 Kg.	75	50
ex 235	Iron oxide, including artificial		Free	Free
ex 296	Upper leather: in pieces weighing not less than 1 Kg.	100 Kg.	65	65
ex 297	in pieces of less weight	100 Kg.	90	90
ex 871	Stoves of iron	100 Kg.	18	18
ex 1010:2	Wooden frames and slide-bars for storage batteries	100 Kg.	6	6
1139	Buttons: other	100 Kg.	50	30

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Tariff Concessions which the Government of Sweden
requests from the Government of Canada

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Tariff Item No	Description of Products	Present rate of duty		Proposed rate of duty M.F.N. ad valorem
		B.P. ad valorem	M.F.N.	
ex 352	Manufactures of brass n.o.p.: blow lamps for liquid fuel, of pressure type	20 %	20 %	15 %
ex 427	All machinery (of iron and steel) and parts: meat mincers, industrial centrifuges	10 %	25 %	10 %
ex 431 b	Web saws	7½ %	22½ %	10 %
ex 410 1	Hard metal tipped rock drills	5 %	15 %	5 %
ex 427	Hard metal tipped tools	10 %	27½ %	10 %
ex 427 a		free	27½ %	10 %
ex 427 b		free	17½ %	10 %
ex 443(4)	Apparatus designed for cooking: stoves for liquid fuel, of pressure type	15 %	22½ %	15 %
ex 443(5)				
ex 444 a	Lighting fixtures and appliances, n.o.p.: incandescent lamps for liquid fuel, of pressure type	15 %	22½ %	15 %
ex 446 a	Manufactures of iron or steel, n.o.p.: frames for web saws	7½ %	22½ %	10 %
	stainless steel hollow-ware	10 %	25 %	10 %
ex 511 e	Ski poles of steel	20 %	22½ %	10 %

The requests include elimination of the preference or, where the wanted rate is still higher than a preferential rate, binding of the margin of preference between those rates.

In respect of products listed in Schedules V which are not included above the Swedish Government requests rebinding at a level not higher than that provided for in the said Schedules.



Torquay, October 9, 1950.

ENTRY INTO NEGOTIATIONS

The Delegation of CANADA and the
Delegation of SWEDEN inform the Executive Secretary
that they have today entered into negotiations.

They accordingly enclose herewith
two copies of the lists of offers exchanged. (Canadian
offers to Sweden, copies Nos. 5 and 6).

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TARIFF PROPOSALS BY CANADA

in reply to requests received from Sweden. These proposals represent the Tariff concessions which Canada is prepared to make as part of a reciprocal and mutually advantageous agreement and they may be withdrawn, in whole or in part, in the light of the aggregate results of the Tariff negotiations at Torquay.

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Torquay,
October 9, 1950.

Part I - Most-Favoured-Nation Tariff

<u>Tariff Item No.</u>	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Present Most- Favoured- Nation Rate</u>	<u>Rate Offered</u>
Ex. 203	Non-edible seeds, beans, nuts, berries, plants, weeds, barks, and woods, in a crude state or chipped or ground, and extracts and preparations thereof, all of the foregoing when adapted for dyeing or tanning	Free	Free
Ex. 208t	Permanganate of potash	15 p.c.	15 p.c.
220a	Ex.(1) Chemical preparations, dry, compounded of more than one substance when imported by manufacturers of fluorescent lamps for use exclusively in coating the inside of fluorescent lamps in their own factories	10 p.c.	5 p.c.
Ex. 238e	Cellulose sponges	22½ p.c.	22½ p.c.
305	Flagstone, sandstone and all building stone, not hammered, sawn or chiselled..	12½ p.c.	12½ p.c.
305b	Granite, rough, not hammered or chiselled	12½ p.c.	12½ p.c.
305d	Granite, sawn.....	15 p.c.	15 p.c.
305e	Paving blocks of stone	15 p.c.	15 p.c.
305f	Flagstone and building stone, other than marble or granite, sawn on not more than two sides	15 p.c.	15 p.c.
307b	Granite, n.o.p.	25 p.c.	25 p.c.
307c	Manufactures of granite, n.o.p.	25 p.c.	25 p.c.
326	(2) Glass tableware, n.o.p., and illuminating glassware, n.o.p.	22½ p.c.	22½ p.c.

<u>Tariff Item No.</u>	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Present Most- Favoured- Nation Rate</u>	<u>Rate Offered</u>
329a	Iron ore	Free	Free
Ex.350 Ex.385a Ex.401(g) et al	Electric resistance strip, ribbon, wire, and wire cold rolled after drawing, containing from 19 per cent. to 26 per cent. chromium, 3 per cent. to 7 per cent. al- uminum, .5 per cent. to 4 per cent. cobalt, and remainder iron..	Free	Free
375	Ferro-alloys:- Ex.(f) Ferro-tungsten, when for use in the manufacture of steel or iron	5 p.c.	5 p.c.
376	Sponge iron	Free	Free
382	Hoop, band or strip, of iron or steel:- (c) Cold rolled or cold drawn, .080 inch or less in thickness, n.o.p.	20 p.c.	20 p.c.
386	Sheets, plates, hoop, band or strip, of iron or steel, as here- under defined, under regulations prescribed by the Minister:- (g) Sheets, plates, hoop, band or strip, not tempered or ground nor further manufactured than cut to shape, without indented edges, when imported by manufacturers of saws or straw cutters for use ex- clusively in the manufacture of saws or straw cutters, in their own factories	Free	Free
	(h) Sheets, plates, hoop, band or strip, hardened, tempered or ground, not further manufactured than cut to shape, without in- dented edges, when imported by manufacturers of saws for use exclusively in the manufacture of saws, in their own factories..	7½ p.c.	7½ p.c.
409	Cream separators and complete parts therefor, including steel bowls . .	Free	Free

<u>Tariff Item No.</u>	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Present Most- Favoured- Nation Rate</u>	<u>Rate Offered</u>
409i	Scythes, sickles or reaping hooks, hay or straw knives, edging knives, hoes, pronged forks, rakes, n.o.p.	Free	Free
409p	Pasteurizers for dairying purposes and complete parts thereof	15 p.c.	15 p.c.
410L	Ore crushers, rock crushers, stamp mills, grinding mills, rock drills, percussions coal cutters, coal augers, rotary coal drills, n.o.p., and complete parts of all the fore- going, for use exclusively in mining, metallurgical or quarrying operations	15 p.c.	15 p.c.
414d	Adding machines	17½ p.c.	17½ p.c.
414e	Complete parts of adding machines ..	15 p.c.	15 p.c.
Ex. 427b	Ball and roller bearings	17½ p.c.	17½ p.c.
429	Cutlery of iron or steel, plated or not:- (d) Knives, n.o.p.	20 p.c.	20 p.c.
430a	Hinges and butts, of iron or steel, coated or not, n.o.p.; hinge and butt blanks, of iron or steel per one hundred pounds and	75 cts. 20 p.c.	75 cts. 20 p.c.
431a	Axes	15 p.c.	15 p.c.
Ex. 431b Ex. 446a	Web saws and parts thereof	22½ p.c.	22½ p.c.
431f	Files and rasps	25 p.c.	25 p.c.
467	Window shade or blind rollers.....	22½ p.c.	22½ p.c.
511e	Ski poles	22½ p.c.	20 p.c.
601	Fur skins of all kinds, not dressed in any manner	Free	Free

Part II - Preferential Tariff

<u>Tariff Item No.</u>	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Present British Preferential Rate</u>	<u>Rate Offered</u>
220a	Ex.(i) Chemical preparations; dry, com- pounded of more than one substance when imported by manufacturers of fluorescent lamps for use exclusively in coating the inside of fluorescent lamps in their own factories	5 p.c.	Free
Ex.238e	Cellulose sponges	17½ p.c.	17½ p.c.
307b	Granite, n.o.p.	20 p.c.	20 p.c.
307c	Manufactures of granite, n.o.p. . . .	20 p.c.	20 p.c.
Ex.431b Ex.446a	Web saws and parts thereof	7½ p.c.	7½ p.c.
467	Window shade or blind rollers	12½ p.c.	12½ p.c.

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GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1950

LIST OF OFFERS

Tariff Concessions offered by the Government of SWEDEN in response to requests received from the Government of CANADA

Tariff No.	Stat. No.	Description of Products	Present Rates of Duty	Concessions Requested	Concession Offered
ex 67:7	ex 130:3	Apples, fresh: From December 1 to December 31	20:-	10:-	Concession given at Annecy
ex 86	170	Oats	Free	(2:50)	No offer
ex 87	176	Rye	3:70	2:50	No offer
ex 87	177	Wheat	3:70	3:-	No offer
ex 87	178	Barley	3:70	2:50	No offer
ex 88	184	Cereal flours: Wheat flour	6:50	4:20	No offer
89	187	Rolled oats	3:50	Bind	No offer
99	212	Red clover seed	20:-	Free	No offer
ex 100	213	Alsike clover seed	Free	Bind	No offer
ex 142:3	ex 317	Preserves: Lobster and salmon in tins	75:-	50:-	Concession given at Annecy
ex 235	561	Earth-colours and mineral colours, n.s.m.: Red ocher, including artificial	Free	Free	Bind
		Hides and skins etc.: Dressed: Other kinds: Upper leather: In pieces weighing not less than 1 kg:			
ex 296	ex 660	Coloured	65:-	Bind	No offer
ex 296	ex 662	Other (than lacquered)	65:-	Bind	No offer
ex 297	ex 663	In pieces of less weight: Coloured	90:-	Bind	No offer
ex 297	ex 665	Other (than lacquered)	90:-	Bind	No offer

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Tariff No.	Stat. No.	Description of Products	Present Rates of Duty	Concessions Requested	Concession Offered
871	1538	Stoves of iron: Oilstoves	18:-	Bind	Bind/5 %
871	1539	Cooking apparatus etc.	18:-	Bind	Bind/5 %
1010:2 ex 1840		Wooden separators for storage batteries	6:-	Bind	Bind/10 %
		Artificial plastics, not classified under any other heading: Unwrought:			
1110-	2038:7-				
1111	2038:18	Other kinds	10 %	Free	No offer
1139	2071	Buttons, not covered, other	50:-	30:-	No offer

Note. Where offers are given in the form of A/B the offered rate of duty is A, but the Swedish government shall be free, at any time, to abolish that rate and put into force a rate of duty not exceeding B (cp. general note 1 to Schedule XXX of the Annecy Protocol).



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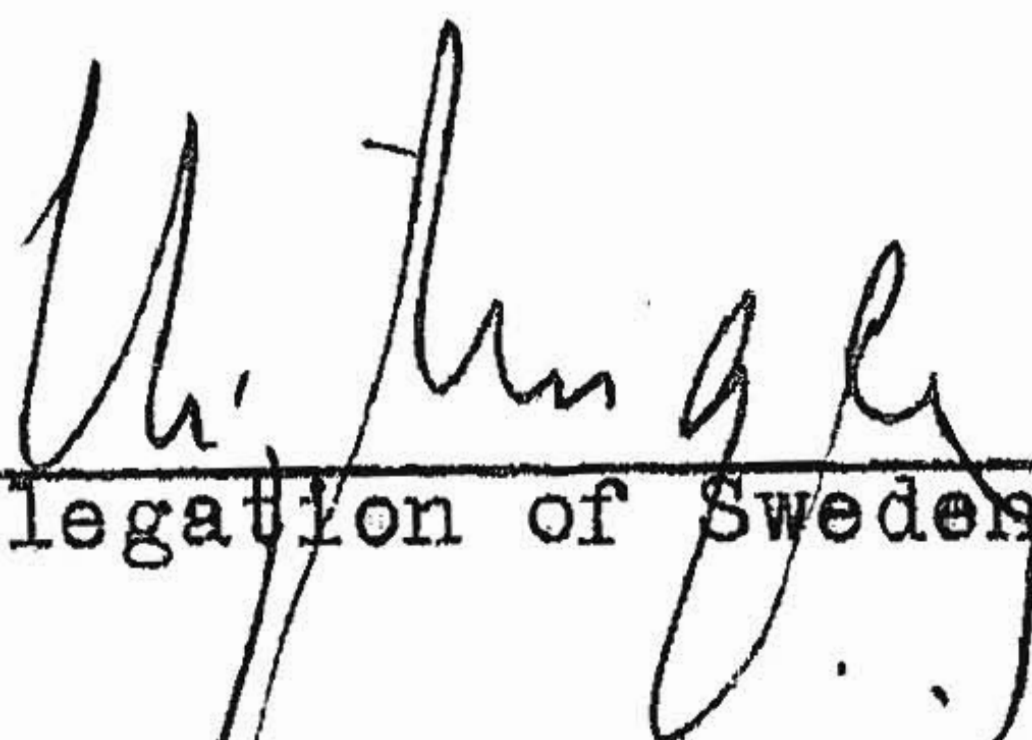
Princes Hotel
Torquay
February 9, 1951

Dear Sir:

In accordance with document GATT/TN.2/A/6, dated 12 October, 1950, the Delegation of Canada and the Delegation of Sweden wish to inform the Negotiations Officer that they have completed bilateral tariff negotiations. Two copies of the lists of concessions agreed on are enclosed herewith. Each Delegation is forwarding a copy of its list of concessions to each other Delegation with which it has entered into negotiations.

Yours faithfully


for the Delegation of Canada


for the Delegation of Sweden

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TARIFF CONCESSIONS BY CANADA TO SWEDEN
(Final)

These proposals represent the Tariff concessions which Canada is prepared to make as part of a reciprocal and mutually advantageous agreement and they may be withdrawn, in whole or in part, in the light of the aggregate results of the Tariff negotiations at Torquay.

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TORQUAY,
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TARIFF CONCESSIONS BY CANADA TO SWEDEN

Part I - Most-Favoured-Nation Tariff

<u>Tariff Item No.</u>	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Present Most- Favoured- Nation Rate</u>	<u>Rate Offered</u>
386 Ex.382(c) Ex.382(d)	Sheets, plates, hoop, band or strip, of iron or steel, as hereunder defined, under regulations prescribed by the Minister:- (g) Sheets, plates, hoop, band or strip, not tempered or ground nor further manufactured than cut to shape, without indented edges, when imported for use exclusively in the manufacture of saws or straw cutters..	Free; 20 p.c.; 27½ p.c.	Free
	(h) Sheets, plates, hoop, band or strip, hardened, tempered or ground, not further manufactured than cut to shape, without indented edges, when imported for use exclusively in the manufacture of saws	7½ p.c.; 20 p.c.; 27½ p.c.	7½ p.c.
Ex.410L Ex.427 Ex.711	Inserts of tungsten carbide to be brazed to rock drills, when imported by manu- facturers for use only in their own factories in the manufacture of hard metal tipped rock drills	15 p.c.; 20 p.c.; 25 p.c.	10 p.c.
429 Ex.357	Cutlery of iron or steel, plated or not:- Ex.(a) Knife blades or blanks, and table forks of German silver or of iron or steel, in the rough, not handled, ground nor otherwise manu- factured; spoon blanks of German silver or of iron or steel, not further manufactured than stamped to shape	7½ p.c.; 25 p.c.	7½ p.c.
Ex.431b Ex.446a	Web saws and parts thereof	22½ p.c.	20 p.c.
511e	Ski poles	22½ p.c.	20 p.c.

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Part II - Preferential Tariff

<u>Tariff</u> <u>Item</u> <u>No.</u>	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Present</u> <u>British</u> <u>Preferential</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>Rate</u> <u>Offered</u>
Ex.410L Ex.427 Ex.711	Inserts of tungsten carbide to be brazed to rock drills, when imported by manufacturers for use only in their own factories in the manufacture of hard metal tipped rock drills	5 p.c.; 10 p.c.; 15 p.c.	5 p.c.
429 Ex.357	Cutlery of iron or steel, plated or not:- Ex.(a) Knife blades or blanks, and table forks of German silver or of iron or steel, in the rough, not handled, ground nor otherwise manufactured; spoon blanks of German silver or of iron or steel, not further manufactured than stamped to shape	Free; 15 p.c..	Free
Ex.431b Ex.446a	Web saws and parts thereof	7½ p.c.	7½ p.c.

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GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADETARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1950/51LIST OF BILATERAL CONCESSIONS

The Delegation of Sweden having concluded its bilateral negotiations with the Delegation of Canada has agreed to accord the following concessions.

Tariff No.	Stat. No.	Description of Products	Present Rates of Duty Kr. per 100 Kg.	Agreed Rates of Duty (1)	
				A	B
				Kr. per 100 Kg.	Ad valorem
		Preserves of meat or of other parts of animals:			
		Fish or shellfish:			
x 142:3	ex 317	Other:			
		Boiled salmon in tins	75:-	50:-	
		Earth colours and mineral co- lours n.s.m.:			
x 235	561	Ferric oxide	Free	Free	
		Electrical fans or ventilators, vacuum cleaners, floor poli- shers, grinding, polishing and drilling machines; also other electromechanical combinations, weighing not more than 100 kg. each:			
x 1006	ex 1830:	Force feed furnace burners			
	4	for fuel oil <u>ad val.</u>	10 %	10 %	
		Accumulators:			
		Other:			
		Unmounted cells and parts thereof, not included in Tariff No. 1009:2 and con- sisting of a material other than rubber:			
1010:	ex 1840	Wooden separators for			
2		storage batteries	6:-	6:-	10 %

1) Note. The applicable rates of duty are set forth in column A, but, in any case where a rate of duty is indicated in column B, the Swedish Government shall be free, at any time, to abolish the rate of duty set forth in column A and put into force a rate of duty not exceeding the rate of duty indicated in column B.

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