

No. 6401

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
and
NEW ZEALAND**

**Interim Agreement relating to the General Agreement on
Tariffs and Trade (with schedules). Signed at Geneva,
on 5 March 1962**

Official text: English.

Registered by the United States of America on 29 November 1962.

**ÉTATS-UNIS D'AMÉRIQUE
et
NOUVELLE-ZÉLANDE**

**Accord intérimaire relatif à l'Accord général sur les tarifs
douaniers et le commerce (avec listes). Signé à Genève,
le 5 mars 1962**

Texte officiel anglais.

Enregistré par les États-Unis d'Amérique le 29 novembre 1962.

No. 6401. INTERIM AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND NEW ZEALAND RELATING TO THE GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE.² SIGNED AT GENEVA, ON 5 MARCH 1962

The Government of the United States of America and the Government of New Zealand, having carried on tariff negotiations pursuant to Article XXVIII bis³ of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade² at the 1960-61 Tariff Conference of the Contracting Parties to the General Agreement, and desiring to enter immediately into a definitive agreement without awaiting the preparation of a Protocol embodying the results of that Conference, agree as follows :

I

The provisions of each party's schedule annexed hereto shall be applied by it as if this Agreement were a Protocol of Supplementary Concessions to the General Agreement.

II

The CONTRACTING PARTIES are requested to exercise the same functions with respect to the schedules annexed to this Agreement as they would exercise if these schedules were schedules to the General Agreement.

III

(a) This Agreement shall enter into force upon signature.

(b) The concessions set forth in the schedule of the United States of America shall take effect, except as otherwise provided in that schedule, thirty days after the date on which the United States of America has notified New Zealand of its intention to put such concession into effect⁴.

(c) The concessions set forth in the schedule of New Zealand shall take effect on July 1, 1962.

¹ Came into force on 5 March 1962, upon signature, in accordance with the provisions of article III (a).

² See footnote 2, p. 10 of this volume.

³ United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 278, p. 208.

⁴ Notification given by the United States on 1 June 1962, effective 1 July 1962.

(d) A party which has put the concessions set forth in this schedule into effect shall have the right to suspend or withdraw them in whole or in part until such time as the other party gives such notification.

IV

This Agreement shall terminate at such time as a Protocol to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade embodying the results of the 1960-61 Tariff Conference¹ and incorporating the schedules annexed hereto enters into force.

DONE at Geneva this fifth day of March 1962.

For the Government
of the United States of America :

John W EVANS

For the Government
of New Zealand :

B. D. ZOHRAB

¹ United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vols. 440 and 441, and Vol. 445.

SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

This schedule is authentic only in the English language

Customs Territory of the United States

MOST-FAVORED-NATION TARIFF

(See general notes at the end of this Schedule)

Paragraph*	Description of Products	Rates of Duty	
		A	B
706	Meats, fresh, chilled, or frozen, not specially provided for : Edible animal livers, kidneys, tongues, hearts, sweetbreads, tripe, and brains . .	1.125¢ per lb., but not less than 5.4% ad val.	1¢ per lb., but not less than 4.8% ad val.
763	Grass seeds and other forage crop seeds : White and ladino clover	3.6¢ per lb.	3.2¢ per lb.
1101 (b)	Wools provided for in paragraph 1101 (a), Tariff Act of 1930, and hair of the camel, entered or withdrawn from warehouse by a manufacturer, processor, or dealer upon the filing of a bond to insure that any wool or hair entered or withdrawn thereunder shall be used only in the manufacture of papermakers' felts . . .	Free, subject to the provisions of paragraph 1101(b), Tariff Act of 1930, as amended	
1101 (b)	Wools of whatever blood or origin not finer than 46s (except wools provided for in paragraph 1101 (a), Tariff Act of 1930), entered or withdrawn from warehouse by a manufacturer, processor, or dealer upon the filing of a bond to insure that any wool entered or withdrawn thereunder shall be used only in the manufacture of press cloth, papermakers' felts, camel's hair belting, knit or felt boots, heavy fullered lumbermen's socks, rugs, carpets, or any other floor coverings	Free, subject to the provisions of paragraph 1101 (b), Tariff Act of 1930, as amended	

* The word "Paragraph" refers to the respective paragraphs appearing in the Tariff Act of 1930.

[TRADUCTION — TRANSLATION]

GENERAL NOTES

1. The provisions of this Schedule are subject to the pertinent notes appearing at the end of Schedule XX (Geneva-1947) annexed to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, as authenticated at Geneva on October 30, 1947.

2. Subject to the provisions of this Schedule, to the provisions of this Agreement, and to the provisions of section 350 (a) (4) (B) and (C) of the Tariff Act of 1930, the rates specified in the rate columns in this Schedule will become effective as follows :

(a) Rates in Column A will become initially effective on the day provided therefor in the proclamation by the President of the United States ¹ to carry out the provisions of this Agreement. Rates in Column B will become initially effective in each case upon the expiration of a full period of one year after the related rate in Column A became initially effective. A rate shall be considered as becoming initially effective as indicated above even though such rate reflects no change in rate of duty, and notwithstanding duty on the product or products concerned is temporarily suspended.

(b) For the purposes of subparagraph (a) above, the phrase "full period of one year" means a period or periods aggregating one year exclusive of the time, after a rate becomes initially effective, when, by reason of legislation of the United States or action thereunder, a higher rate of duty is being applied.

NOTES GÉNÉRALES

1. Les dispositions de la présente liste sont assujetties aux notes appropriées figurant à la fin de la liste XX (Genève 1947) annexée à l'Accord général sur les tarifs douaniers et le commerce et authentiquée à Genève le 30 octobre 1947.

2. Sous réserve des dispositions de la présente liste, de celles du présent Accord et de celles de l'article 350 a, 4, B et C du tarif des États-Unis (loi de 1930), les taux indiqués dans les colonnes A et B de la présente liste entreront en vigueur aux dates suivantes :

a) Les taux de la colonne A entreront originairement en vigueur à la date prévue à cet effet dans la proclamation du Président des États-Unis¹ portant mise en application des dispositions du présent Accord. Les taux de la colonne B entreront originairement en vigueur, dans chaque cas, à l'expiration d'une période complète d'un an à compter de la date d'entrée en vigueur initiale du taux correspondant de la colonne A. Un taux sera considéré comme entrant originairement en vigueur selon les indications qui précèdent, même si ce taux ne représente aucune modification des droits et même si les droits sur le produit ou les produits en question sont temporairement suspendus.

b) Aux fins de l'alinéa a, l'expression « période complète d'un an » signifie une période d'un an ou plusieurs périodes représentant un an au total, compte non tenu du temps pendant lequel, après la date d'entrée en vigueur initiale d'un taux, des droits plus élevés auront été appliqués en vertu de la législation des États-Unis ou de mesures prises en application de ladite législation.

¹ Rates effective 1 July 1962. See Proclamation 3468 of 30 April 1962; 27 Fed. Reg. 4238, 4241.

¹ Taux applicables à partir du 1^{er} juillet 1962. Voir Proclamation 3468 du 30 avril 1962.

SCHEDULE OF NEW ZEALAND

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NEW ZEALAND MOST-FAVOURLED-NATION TARIFF

Note : The concessions listed below will apply as from
1 July 1962

<i>Tariff Item Number</i>	<i>Description of Products</i>	<i>Rates of duty as from 1 July 1962</i>
	Glucose :	
061.900.2	Dry	Free
	Unmanufactured tobacco, including scrap tobacco and stems :	
	For manufacturing in a bonded tobacco factory licensed under the Tobacco Act 1908 into :	
121.020.0	Tobacco, cigarettes, snuff	3s. 4d. per lb.
	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, plaited or not :	
655.610.1	Suited for use as fishing lines or in the manufacture of nets and netting, as may be approved by the Minister and under such conditions as he may prescribe	20%
	Parts of engines :	
	Pistons, cylinder sleeves, piston rings :	
711.501.1	For use in cylinders having a nominal bore not exceeding 4 inches, except such pistons, cylinder sleeves, and piston rings as may be approved by the Minister and under such conditions as he may prescribe	50%
ex 719.660.0	Signalling apparatus, automatic and other, for use with ships, railways, tramways, or for mining.	20%
	Portable electric battery and magneto lamps, other than lamps falling within items 729.420.5 and 729.420.6 :	
812.430.2	Signalling lamps	20%