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DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE

Imposition of Duties(Confirmation of Orders)Bill, 1953

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

- I. The purpose of the Bill is to confirm the undermentioned eleven Orders made under the Emergency Imposition of Duties Act, 1932.
 - Emergency Imposition of Duties (No.296)(Stainless Steel Couplings, etc.) Order, 1952, which came into operation on the 12th December, 1952, imposed a customs duty of 50% ad valorem, full rate, 33 3% ad valorem, preferential rate (U.K. and Canada) on completely or partially manufactured articles of stainless steel which are plug cocks or couplings, joints or other similar fittings suitable for use with tubes or pipes.
 - Emergency Imposition of Duties(No.297)(Television Sets) Order, 1952, which came into operation on the 1st January, 1953, reduced the rates of customs duty on Television Sets from 75% ad valorem, full rate, 50% ad valorem, preferential rate to 37½% ad valorem, full rate, 25% ad valorem, preferential rate(U.K. and Canada).
 - Emergency Imposition of Duties(No.298)(Combs and Hair Slides) Order, 1952, which came into operation on the 1st January, 1953 brought plastic hair slides within the scope of the Customs duty of 37% ad valorem, full rate, 25% ad valorem preferential rate on combs and amended the duty to exclude articles made of metal, glass, wood, stone or mother of pearl.
 - (iv) Emergency Imposition of Duties(No.299)(Tarpaulins)
 Order.1953, which came into operation on the 13th
 February,1953, brought Tarpaulins and similar covers
 whether such covers are or are not impregnated with
 pitch, tar or any other chemical substance within
 the scope of the existing customs duty of 50% ad
 valorem, flat rate on Tarpaulins.
 - (v) Emergency Imposition of Duties(No.300) (Woven Cotton Piece Goods) Order, 1953, which came into operation on the 20th February, 1953, imposed a customs duty of 60% ad valorem, full rate, 40% ad valorem, preferential rate (U.K. and Canada) on woven cotton piece goods not exceeding two inches in width e.g. tapes, bindings, webbings, etc.
 - Emergency Imposition of Duties(No.301) (Artificial Silk Piece Goods) Order, 1953, which came into operation on the 20th February, 1953, extended the scope of the Customs duty of 50% ad valorem, full rate, 33 3% ad valorem, preferential rate, on certain

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artificial silk woven piece goods by (a) reducing the minimum price limit from 1/6 to 1/3 per square yard and (b) reducing the width for patterned piece goods from 60 inches to 53 inches.

- (vii) Emergency Imposition of Duties (No.302XSanitary Wear)
 Order, 1953, which came into operation on the 20th
 February, 1953, brought certain articles of sanitary
 wear within the scope of the customs duty of 75% ad valorem,
 full rate, 50% ad valorem, preferential rate on Personal
 Clothing and Wearing Apparel.
- (viii) Emergency Imposition of Duties (No.303) (Cotton Ply Karn) Order, 1953, which came into operation on the 25th February, 1953 imposed a duty of 60% ad valorem, full rate, 40% ad valorem, preferential rate on cotton ply yarns by removing the exemption provisions in the existing duty for yarns imported for use in weaving, hosiery or braiding machines.
 - (ix) Emergency Imposition of Duties (No. 304) (Iron and Steel Bars and Sections) Order, 1953, which came into operation on the 3rd March, 1953, brought rounds, rods, squares, and angles of increased dimensions and flats of reduced width, within the scope of the existing customs duty of 37% ad valorem, full rate, 25% ad valorem, preferential rate, on iron and steel rounds or rods, squares, flats and angles.
 - (x) Emergency Imposition of Duties (No.305) (Paper) Order, 1953, which came into operation on the 17th April, 1953, extended the scope of the duty of 45% ad valorem, full rate, 23-1/3° ad valorem, preferential rate (U.K. and Canada) on Unprinted Paper

(a) by reducing the lower weight limit from 12 lbs. to 9 lbs. per ream.

(b) by removing the exclusions from duty for the following papers: -

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tinted bank paper and
manifold bank paper.

(xi) Emergency Imposition of Duties (No. 306)(Root Crop).

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