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18 SEPTEMBER 1962

**SUBJECT:** TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN JAPAN AND NEW ZEALAND

THE GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN AND THE GOVERNMENT OF NEW ZEALAND HAVE INFORMED THE SECRETARIAT THAT THEY PROPOSE TO ENTER INTO TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS WITH A VIEW TO THE INCORPORATION OF THE RESULTS OF THE NEGOTIATIONS INTO THE GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE. IT IS THEIR INTENTION TO COMMENCE NEGOTIATIONS ON 18 OCTOBER 1962 IN GENEVA.

LISTS OF THE TARIFF CONCESSIONS WHICH JAPAN REQUESTS FROM NEW ZEALAND AND WHICH NEW ZEALAND REQUESTS FROM JAPAN ARE ATTACHED HERETO.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ESTABLISHED PROCEDURES FOR NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN TWO OR MORE CONTRACTING PARTIES (BISD, VOLUME I, PAGE 116), A CONTRACTING PARTY WHICH CONSIDERS THAT IT HAS A SUBSTANTIAL INTEREST IN THE NEGOTIATIONS AND THEREFORE WISHES TO NEGOTIATE WITH ONE OR MORE OF THE PARTIES WHICH HAS ORIGINALLY PROPOSED NEGOTIATIONS SHALL, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE BUT IN ANY CASE NOT LATER THAN 17 OCTOBER 1962, PROPOSE SUCH NEGOTIATIONS TO THE GOVERNMENT OR GOVERNMENTS CONCERNED AND, AT THE SAME TIME, NOTIFY THE SECRETARIAT.

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**OBJET:** NEGOCIATIONS TARIFAIRES ENTRE LE JAPON ET LA NOUVELLE-ZELANDE

LE GOUVERNEMENT DU JAPON ET LE GOUVERNEMENT DE LA NOUVELLE-ZELANDE ONT INFORME LE SECRETARIAT QU'ILS SE PROPOSENT D'ENGAGER DES NEGOCIATIONS TARIFAIRES EN VUE D'INCORPORER LES RESULTATS DE CES NEGOCIATIONS DANS L'ACCORD GENERAL SUR LES TARIFS DOUANIERS ET LE COMMERCE. ILS COMPTENT OUVRIR LES NEGOCIATIONS LE 18 OCTOBRE 1962 A GENEVE.

ON TROUVERA CI-JOINT LES LISTES DES CONCESSIONS TARIFAIRES QUE LE JAPON DEMANDE A LA NOUVELLE-ZELANDE ET DE CELLES QUE LA NOUVELLE-ZELANDE DEMANDE AU JAPON.

CONFORMEMENT AUX PROCEDURES ETABLIES POUR LES NEGOCIATIONS ENTRE DEUX OU PLUSIEURS PARTIES CONTRACTANTES (IBDD. VOLUME I, PAGE 120), TOUTE PARTIE CONTRACTANTE QUI ESTIME AVOIR UN INTERET SUBSTANTIEL AUX NEGOCIATIONS ET QUI DESIRE EN CONSEQUENCE NEGOCIER AVEC UNE OU PLUSIEURS DES PARTIES QUI ONT PROPOSE PRIMITIVEMENT LES NEGOCIATIONS, DEVRA LE PLUS TOT POSSIBLE, MAIS AU PLUS TARD LE 17 OCTOBRE 1962, PROPOSER DE TELLES NEGOCIATIONS A TOUT GOUVERNEMENT INTERESSE ET EN AVISER EN MEME TEMPS LE SECRETARIAT.

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ANNEXESTariff Concessions which Japan Requests from New Zealand

<u>Tariff Item No.</u>	<u>Statistical No.</u>	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Present Rate of duty</u>	<u>Requested Rate of duty</u>
032.010.8	03201.05	Salmon, in airtight conts.	2 1/2d./lb	2d./lb
ex 032.020.9	03201.03	Oysters, in airtight conts.	2 1/2d./lb	2d./lb
032.019.9 ) ex 032.020.9 )	03201.19	Other fish, crustacea and molluscs, n.e.i., in airtight conts.	2 1/2d./lb	2d./lb
053.901.1	05301.04	Peaches, bottled or canned	50%	37.5%
053.901.2	ex 05301.19	Mandarines, bottled or canned	30%	15%
ex 054.201.9	ex 05402.01	French beans	2s.6d./cental	2s.6d./cental
243.310.2	24303.08	Oak, rough hewn or rough sawn	6s./100 suft.	6s./100 suft.
261.300.0	ex 26100.00	Raw silk, not thrown	free	free
ex 512.720.9	ex 51209.49	Monosodium glutamate, not for retail sale	20% (free; for con- fectionary manufacturing 3%; for other industrial use)	free    3%
631.210.1	63102.01 ) 63102.02 )	Plywood	55%	27.5%
652.230.3 ) 652.230.4 )	65202.15	Cotton velveteens and corduroys	42.5%	32.5%
652.292.5	65202.05	Gaberdines, cotton	15%	15%
652.291.2 ) 652.293.5 )	65202.11	Cotton shirting	15%	15%
653.510.5 ) 653.520.6 )	65305.02	Other synthetic fibre fabrics	15%	15%
666.400.2 ) 666.400.3 ) 666.400.5 )	66600.09	China, porcelain ware	7 1/2d./lb+40%	25%
666.500.3 ) 666.500.5 )	66600.01	Pottery tableware	7 1/2d./lb+40%	25%
667.100.0	67204.00	Natural and cultured pearls	5%	5%
732.910.2 ) 732.910.3 ) 732.910.4 )	73202.02	Motor cycles	32.5%	22.5%
861.400.4	86102.14	Cameras, n.e.s.	35%	25%

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861.400.9	86102.16	Parts of cameras	35%	25%
861.500.2	86102.11	Cine cameras	35%	25%
894.230.9	89915.06	Toys, n.e.s.	52.5%	42.5%
894.250.0	89999.26	Carnival articles, entertainment articles; Christmas tree decorations and similar articles for Christmas festivities	52.5%	42.5%
899.340.1	89999.04	Smoker's lighters	50%	37.5%

Tariff Concessions which New Zealand Requests from Japan

0201	Meat of the animals falling within headings Nos. 0101, 0102, 0103 or 0104, fresh or frozen: ex 3. Mutton and lamb	10%	10%
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