

**No. II. THE DEFENCE (IMPORTATION OF GOODS) REGULATIONS,
1943 TO 1954.**

OPEN GENERAL IMPORT LICENCE No. 20000.

In exercise of the powers vested in me by virtue of the Defence (Importation of Goods) Regulations, 1943 to 1954, I hereby grant to any importer registered under the provisions of the Defence (Registration of Importers and Resellers) Order, 1954, an Open General Import Licence under No. 20000 to import into the Colony in any quantity any of the goods enumerated in the First Schedule hereto and originating in any of the following countries and exported from such country of origin :—

- (a) Australia, New Zealand, Union of South Africa, India, Pakistan, Ceylon, Eire ;
- (b) Austria, Belgium (including overseas dependent territories), Denmark, France (including overseas dependent territories), Greece, Western Germany, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands (including overseas dependent territories), Norway, Portugal (including overseas dependent territories), Sweden, Switzerland and Turkey ;
- (c) Bahrein, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Syria :

Provided that in all cases covered by this licence payment for the goods shall be made in sterling:

Provided further that the goods enumerated in the Second Schedule hereto shall not be imported by virtue of this Open General Import Licence from any of the countries listed at (c) above.

2. This Open General Import Licence is deemed to be a written licence issued by me under regulation 2 (1) (a) of the Defence (Importation of Goods) Regulations, 1943 to 1954, and is subject to the provisions of regulation 2 (1) (b) of the said Regulations.

3. The Open General Licences No. 3000 published under Notification No. 85 in Supplement No. 3 to the *Gazette* of 10th February, 1955, and No. 8400 published under Notification No. 366 in Supplement No. 3 to the *Gazette* of 10th June, 1955, are hereby cancelled without prejudice to anything done or left undone thereunder.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

The Divisions, Groups and Items set out in the second column of this Schedule refer to the Divisions, Groups and Items respectively, which are set out in the Standard International Trade Classification, published in United Nations Statistical Papers Series M. No. 10, Indexed Edition, April, 1953, and this Open General Licence shall not apply to any goods unless such goods are goods to which the corresponding Division, Group or Item of the Standard International Trade Classification applies.

<i>Goods.</i>	<i>Reference in the Standard International Trade Classification.</i>	
1. MEAT AND MEAT PREPARATIONS	Division 01	All items
2. DAIRY PRODUCTS :		
(i) Milk and cream ; fresh	Group 021	All items
(ii) Milk and cream ; evaporated, condensed or dry	Group 022	All items
(iii) Butter	Group 023	All items
(iv) Cheese and curd	Group 024	All items
(v) Natural honey	Group 026	All items
(vi) Ice cream, ice cream powders, malted milk compounds and mixtures, dehydrated products, etc.)	Group 029	All items
3. FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS :	Division 03	All items
4. CEREALS AND CEREAL PREPARATIONS :		
(i) Rice	Group 042	All items
(ii) Prepared breakfast foods : flaked, pearled cereals, etc.	Item 048-01	
(iii) Bread, biscuits, cakes, etc.	Item 048-04	
(iv) Other preparations of cereals for food	Item 048-09	

<i>Goods.</i>	<i>Reference in the Standard International Trade Classification.</i>	
5. TEA, COCOA, SPICES AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF :		
(i) Coffee, coffee extracts, coffee essences and similar preparations containing coffee ..	Group 071	All items
(ii) Cocoa beans, powder, butter and paste ..	Group 072	All items
(iii) Tea, etc.	Group 074	All items
(iv) Spices, including pepper and pimento ..	Group 075	All items
6. MISCELLANEOUS FOOD PREPARATIONS :		
(i) Margarine, shortenings, lard and similar edible fats ..	Group 091	All items
(ii) Miscellaneous (extracts, concentrates, jellies, sauces, baking powder, yeast), excluding vinegar and tomato sauces and ketchups ..	Group 099	Part only
7. BEVERAGES :		
(i) Non-alcoholic beverages ..	Group 111	All items
(ii) Cider and fermented fruit juices (not wine) ..	Item 112-02	
8. TOBACCO AND TOBACCO MANUFACTURES :		
(i) Cigars and cheroots ..	Item 122-01	
(ii) Manufactured tobacco (smoking, chewing, snuff) ..	Item 122-03	
9. CRUDE RUBBER, INCLUDING SYNTHETIC AND RECLAIMED ..	Division 23	All items
10. WOOD, LUMBER, CORK ..	Division 24	All items
11. PULP AND WASTE PAPER ..	Division 25	All items
12. CRUDE MINERALS :		
Natural asphalt and bitumen ; sand ; gravel and crushed stone ; clay ; salt, including salt put up for retail sale ; sulphur ; natural abrasives ; building and monumental stone, not worked ; stone for industrial uses ; asbestos, crude, washed or ground ; mica ; feldspar ; fluorspar ; cryolite ; chiolite ; magnesite ; natural graphite ; and similar crude minerals ..	Division 27	All items
13. ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE :		
(i) Bones, ivory, horns, hoofs, claws, bristles, hair feathers, sponges and similar materials of animal origin ..	Group 292	All items
(ii) Plants and parts of plants, whether ground or not, for use in dyeing, tanning, medicines or perfumery ; bulbs, cuttings, tubers and seeds for planting ; natural gums and resins ; vegetable materials for plaiting ; cut flowers ; saps and extracts ; and other crude vegetable materials, inedible (except broom corn) ..	Group 292	All items (with the exception indicated)
14. MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS :		
(i) Coal, coke and briquettes ..	Group 311	All items
(ii) Petroleum, crude and partly refined ..	Group 312	All items
(iii) Petroleum products ..	Group 313	All items
(iv) Gas, natural and manufactured ..	Group 314	All items

*Goods.**Reference in the Standard International Trade Classification.*

15. ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS (NOT ESSENTIAL OILS), FATS, GREASES AND DERIVATIVES :			
Animal oils and greases ; vegetable oils, edible and inedible (except olive oil and olive kernel oil) : Processed oils and fats : waxes of animal or vegetable origin		Division 41	All items (with the exceptions indicated)
16. CHEMICAL ELEMENTS AND COMPOUNDS :			
(i) Inorganic chemicals such as nitric, hydrochloric and sulphuric acid ; copper sulphate ; caustic soda ; soda ash ; calcium carbide ; hydrogen peroxide ; ammonium potassium and sodium compounds ; etc. (except acetylene, oxygen and carbonic acid gas)		Group 511	All items (with the exceptions indicated)
(ii) Organic chemicals (except acetic acid, alcohols of all types and saccharin)		Group 512	All items (with the exceptions indicated)
17. MINERAL TAR ; CRUDE CHEMICALS FROM COAL, PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS		Division 52	All items
18. DYEING, TANNING AND COLOURING MATERIALS (INCLUDING DISTEMPERS, PRINTERS INK, PREPARED PAINTS, ENAMELS, VARNISHES, DRIERS, ETC.)		Division 53	All items
19. MEDICAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS		Division 54	All items
20. TOILET, POLISHING AND CLEANSING PREPARATIONS :			
(i) Cosmetics, dentifrices and other toilet prepara- tions (except soaps and perfumes)		Item 552-01	Part only
(ii) Perfumed soap, shaving sticks and shaving cream		Item 552-02	Part only
(iii) Waxes, polishes, pastes, etc. (except shoe cream and shoe polish)		Item 552-03	Part only
21. MANUFACTURED FERTILIZERS		Division 56	All items
22. MISCELLANEOUS CHEMICAL MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS :			
(i) Plastic material in primary forms		Item 599-01	
(ii) Insecticides, fungicides, disinfectants, sheep and cattle dressings, etc.		Item 599-02	
(iii) Starches, dextrins, gluten, etc.		Item 599-03	
(iv) Casein, gelatin, glue, etc. (except egg albumen)		Item 599-04	Part only
(v) Other miscellaneous chemical materials and products		Item 599-09	
23. LEATHER AND LEATHER MANUFACTURES :			
(i) Leather, natural, reconstituted and artificial ..		Group 611	All items
(ii) Leather belting ; saddlery and harness ; pre- pared parts for footwear ; other manufactures of leather (not footwear, apparel, travel goods, sports requisites, etc.)		Group 612	All items
24. RUBBER MANUFACTURES		Division 62	All items

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25. WOOD AND CORK MANUFACTURES :

- (i) Veneers : plywood, parquet flooring ; natural, artificial or reconstituted wood in blocks, etc. or cut to shape (except fibreboards)

Group 631 All items (with the exceptions indicated)

- (ii) Boxes, cases, crates, cooperage products, builders' woodwork, and miscellaneous wood manufactures (not furniture, not prefabricated structures)

Group 632 All items

- (iii) Cork and articles made of cork (not crown corks)

Group 633 All items

26. PAPER, PAPERBOARD AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF :

- (i) Paper and paperboard (except building board of paper)

Group 641 All items (with the exception indicated)

- (ii) Articles made of pulp, of paper and of paper-board (except cardboard boxes and cartons) ..

Group 642 All items (with the exceptions indicated)

27. TEXTILE YARNS, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS :

- (i) Silk yarn and thread

Item 651-01

- (ii) Yarn of wool and hair

Item 651-02

- (iii) Yarn and thread of flax, hemp and ramie ..

Item 651-05

- (iv) Yarn and thread of man-made fibres and spun glass

Item 651-06

- (v) Yarn of textile fibres mixed with metal ..

Item 651-07

- (vi) Yarn of other textile fibres (not cotton) ..

Item 651-09

- (vii) Cotton fabrics as follows :—

- Grey (unbleached) sheeting

Item 652-01 Part only

- Bleached sheeting and calico

Item 652-02 Part only

- Ticking

Item 652-02 Part only

- Coloured woven dress goods (eponge) ..

Item 652-02 Part only

- Plain dyed drills

Item 652-02 Part only

- Flannelette

Item 652-02 Part only

- Furnishing fabrics (cretonne, damask, marquise, pile, plush)

Item 652-02 Part only

- (viii) Woollen and worsted fabrics of standard type, containing not less than 80 per cent natural wool, and fabrics of fine hair

Item 653-02 Part only

- (ix) Ribbons, trimmings, tapes and bindings, of all fibres

Items 654-02 and 654-03

- (x) Embroidery of cotton in the piece, in strips or in motifs

Item 654-04 Part only

- (xi) Felt and felt articles

Item 655-01

- (xii) Hat bodies

Items 655-02

- (xiii) Rubberized fabrics

and 655-03

- (xiv) Elastic fabrics

Item 655-04

- (xv) Cordage, cables, ropes, twines, nets and similar goods

Item 655-05

- (xvi) Belting, pads, wadding, lampwicks and similar special textile products

Item 655-06

Item 655-09

<i>Goods.</i>		<i>Reference in the Standard International Trade Classification.</i>	
(xvii) Bags and sacks for packing	Item 656-01		
(xviii) Tarpaulins, tents, awnings, sails and other made-up canvas goods	Item 656-02		
(xix) Blankets, travelling rugs and bed-covers of all materials (except quilts)	Item 656-03 (with the exception indicated)		
(xx) Made-up bed-linen ; table linen ; toilet-linen and kitchen-linen	Item 656-04		
(xxi) Made-up curtains and draperies and made-up household articles of textile materials	Item 656-05		
(xxii) Floor coverings and tapestries	Group 657	All items	
28. MANUFACTURES OF NON-METALLIC MINERALS :			
(i) Building and monumental stone-worked	Item 661-03		
(ii) Building materials of asbestos and asbestos-cement	Item 661-09	Part only	
(iii) Clay construction materials and refractory construction materials, such as tiles, tubes and pipes (except bricks and unglazed roof tiles)	Group 662	All items (with the exceptions indicated)	
(iv) Grinding and polishing wheels and stones : abrasive cloths and papers : manufactures of asbestos and refractory products, other than construction materials ; manufactures of mica ; carbon and graphite products ; ceramic wares for chemical and industrial use ; and other small manufactures of non-metallic minerals	Group 663	All items	
(v) Glass	Group 664	All items	
(vi) Glassware	Group 665	All items	
(vii) Pottery, chinaware, porcelain	Group 666	All items	
29. BASE METALS AND SIMPLE FORMS OF BASE METAL (INGOTS, BLOOMS, SLABS, BILLETS, BARS, RODS, PLATES, SHEETS, RAILS, WIRE, PIPES, TUBES, CASTINGS AND FORGINGS) :			
(i) Iron and Steel	Group 681	All items	
(ii) Copper (including brass)	Group 682	All items	
(iii) Nickel	Group 683	All items	
(iv) Aluminium	Group 684	All items	
30. MANUFACTURES OF METALS :			
(i) Finished structural parts made of iron, steel, aluminium or other base metals, including assembled structures	Items 699-01 and 699-02		
(ii) Wire cables, ropes, plaited bands, slings and similar articles of iron, steel, aluminium or other base metals, uninsulated	Items 699-03 and 699-04		
(iii) Wire netting, wire fencing, wire grills, wire mesh and expanded metal (including barbed wire and wire cloth) of iron, steel, aluminium or other base metals	Items 699-05 and 699-06		
(iv) Bolts, nuts, washers, rivets, screws, etc. (except nails)	Items 699-07	Part only	

<i>Goods.</i>	<i>Reference in the Standard International Trade Classification.</i>	
(v) Needles and pins	Item 699-08	
(vi) Safes, strong room fittings and strong boxes ..	Item 699-11	
(vii) Hand tools	Item 699-12	
(viii) Household utensils of iron and steel, aluminium and other base metals	Items 699-13, 699-14, 699-15	
(ix) Knives, forks and spoons	Item 699-16	
(x) Other cutlery	Item 699-17	
(xi) Hardware of metal	Item 699-18	
(xii) Stoves, grates, ranges, etc. (not electric) ..	Item 699-22	
(xiii) Anchors, metal boxes, cases, chains, clasps, hooks, horse-shoes, ornaments, plates, rings, springs, thimbles, traps and other miscellaneous metal manufactures (except structures and crown corks)	Item 699-29	Part only
31. MACHINERY (OTHER THAN ELECTRICAL) AND ACCESSORIES :		
(i) Agricultural machinery and implements ..	Group 712	All items
(ii) Tractor parts	Group 713	Part only
(iii) Office machinery	Group 714	All items
(iv) Pumps for liquids	Item 716-01	
(v) Pneumatic tools operated by hand or otherwise	Item 716-05	
(vi) Printing type, printing plates, photogravure apparatus and other printing accessories ..	Item 716-07	Part only
(vii) Ball, needle or roller bearings	Item 716-14	
(viii) Machine parts	Item 716-15	Part only
32. ELECTRIC MACHINERY APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES :		
(i) Electric batteries	Item 721-02	
(ii) Bulbs, arc lamps and tubes for electric lighting	Item 721-03	
(iii) Radio receiving sets and parts thereof ; radio valves	Item 721-04	Part only
(iv) Apparatus (other than radio) for telegraphy and telephony	Item 721-05	
(v) Electric cookers, heaters, irons, kettles, stoves and other electrothermic apparatus	Item 721-06	
(vi) Electric appliances for motor vehicles, cycles, etc.	Item 721-07	
(vii) Electric bells, buzzers, alarms	Item 721-08	Part only
(viii) Electric apparatus for medical purposes and radiological apparatus	Item 721-11	
(ix) Electric cleaners, fans, stoves, washing machines and other portable electric tools and appliances	Item 721-12	
(x) Insulated cables and wires for electricity ..	Item 721-13	
(xi) Accumulators, storage batteries, insulators, plugs, sockets, switches	Item 721-19	Part only
33. TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT :		
(i) Railway vehicles	Group 731	All items
(ii) Bodies, chassis, frames and parts for road motor vehicles (not engines or chassis with engines mounted)	Items 732-06 and 732-07	
(iii) Bicycles and other road vehicles other than motor vehicles	Group 733	All items

<i>Goods.</i>	<i>Reference in the Standard International Trade Classification.</i>	
34. PREFABRICATED BUILDINGS : SANITARY, PLUMBING, HEATING AND LIGHTING FIXTURES AND FITTINGS :		
(i) Prefabricated buildings and their assembled panels and parts, of all materials	Item 811-01	
(ii) Central heating apparatus (furnaces, boilers, radiators, conduits and parts)	Item 812-01	
(iii) Sinks, washbasins, baths, bidets, and other sanitary and plumbing fixtures	Item 812-02 and 812-03	
(iv) Lamps, lanterns and lighting fixtures of all materials	Item 812-04	
35. FURNITURE AND FURNISHING FIXTURES	Division 82	All items
36. TRAVEL GOODS, HANDBAGS, WALLETs, PURSES, POCKET BOOKS, ETC.	Division 83	All items
37. CLOTHING :		
(i) Socks and stockings of wool	Item 841-01	Part only
(ii) Outerwear, underwear, and nightwear, knitted or made of knitted fabrics	Items 841-02 and 841-03	
(iii) Outerwear, underwear and nightwear, other than knitted (except shirts)	Items 841-04 and 841-05	Part only
(iv) Overcoats, greatcoats	Item 841-05	
(v) Leather coats and other leather clothing ..	Item 841-06	
(vi) Mackintoshes, raincoats and other clothing or rubberised, oiled and similar impermeable materials including plastic	Item 841-07	
(vii) Hats, caps and other headgear	Items 841-08 and 841-11	
(viii) Gloves and mittens	Item 841-12	
(ix) Handkerchiefs, armbands, ties, scarves, shawls, collars, corsets, suspenders and similar articles of clothing	Item 841-19	
38. FOOTWEAR :		
(i) Rubber boots, galoshes, rubber bathing slippers, waders	Item 851-04	
(ii) Gaiters, leggings, puttees, spats	Item 851-09	Part only
39. INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS : PHOTOGRAPHIC GOODS : WATCHES AND CLOCKS :		
(i) Optical instruments and appliances (binoculars, microscopes, goggles, sunglasses, spectacles, etc.)	Item 861-01	
(ii) Photographic and cinematographic apparatus and appliances	Item 861-02	
(iii) Surgical, medical and dental instruments and appliances	Item 861-03	
(iv) Measuring, controlling and scientific instruments and appliances (balances, gauges, measures, meters, rules, survey instruments, etc.)	Item 861-09	
(v) Photographic and cinematographic supplies (unexposed films and plates ; sensitised paper ; photographic chemicals, etc.)	Group 862	All items
(vi) Watches, clocks and their parts	Group 864	All items

*Goods.**Reference in the Standard International Trade Classification.*

40. MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURES :

(i) Musical instruments, gramophones (not radio gramophones) and gramophone records ..	Group 891	All items
(ii) Printed matter (books, periodicals, music, pictures and designs, labels, greeting cards, calendars, publicity material, etc.)	Group 892	All items
(iii) Candles, tapers, etc.	Item 899-01	
(iv) Matches	Item 899-02	
(v) Umbrellas, parasols, walking sticks, etc. ..	Item 899-03	
(vi) Ornamental feathers ; artificial flowers ; articles of human hair, etc.	Item 899-04	
(vii) Fancy carved articles of natural materials (not jewellery)	Item 899-06	
(viii) Articles of plastics (table, household, decorative, etc.)	Items 899-07, 899-11	
(ix) Articles of basketware or wickerwork	Item 899-12	
(x) Refrigerator parts	Item 899-08	Part only
(xi) Brushes (not brooms)	Item 899-13	Part only
(xii) Sports goods : toys : games : baby carriages, perambulators	Items 899-14 and 899-15	
(xiii) Pipes ; cigarette holders : narghiles, etc. ..	Item 899-18	
(xiv) Combs, hairslides, slide fasteners (not zippers) ; powder-puffs ; scent-sprayers, smokers' lighters, vacuum bottles, flasks and jugs ; slates for writing	Item 899-99	Part only

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Goods of which the import from Bahrein, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Saudi Arabia, Sudan and Syria is **not** authorised under this Open General Licence.

*Reference in First Schedule**Goods.**Reference in the Standard International Trade Classification.*

2. DAIRY PRODUCTS :

(iii) Butter	Group 023	All items
(iv) Cheese and curd	Group 024	All items
(v) Natural honey	Group 026	All items

36. TRAVEL GOODS, HANDBAGS, WALLETs, PURSES, POCKET BOOKS, ETC.

Division 83 All items

37. CLOTHING :

(ii) and (iii) Outerware, underwear and nightwear of all fabrics

Items 841-02, 841-03, 841-04 and 841-05

40. MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURES :

(ix) Articles of basketware or of wickerwork .. Item 899-12

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1955.

(M.P. 11157/55.)

A. F. BATES,
Financial Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

(This Note is not part of the Licence but is intended to explain its general purport).

This Open General Licence replaces Licences No. 3000 and 8400. Its effect is to widen the range of goods which may be imported without specific licence so that nearly all goods for which licences have in recent months been freely granted are now included in the Open General Licence. The only items formerly on Open General Licence for which specific licences will in future be required are cardboard boxes and cartons.

Many of the goods now included in the Open General Licence (such as, for example, fresh and dried meat ; honey ; bones ; plants, seeds and bulbs ; live animals and various drugs) are subject to a licence under the hand of the Director of Agriculture or other appropriate Authority, as the case may be. The fact that any such goods are included in this Open General Licence does **not** mean that import will be permitted unless the importer holds the necessary licence from the appropriate Authority.

**No. 12. THE DEFENCE (IMPORTATION OF GOODS)
REGULATIONS, 1943 TO 1954.**

OPEN GENERAL IMPORT LICENCE No. 16000.

The above Open General Import Licence is hereby amended by the deletion therefrom of the First and Second Schedules thereto and the substitution therefor of the following Schedules :—

Gazettes :
Supplement
No. 3:
3.11.1955
1.12.1955
15.12.1955.

“ FIRST SCHEDULE.—(Clause 1).

Almonds (kernels) ;
Bananas ;
Chickpeas (Revithia) ;
Cowpeas (Louvia).

SECOND SCHEDULE.—(Clause 3).

Almonds (kernels) until 29th February, 1956 ;
Bananas until 24th January, 1956 ;
Chickpeas (Revithia) until 29th February, 1956 ;
Cowpeas (Louvia) until 29th February, 1956.”

Dated this 4th day of January, 1956.

(M.P. 11157/55.)

D. A. PERCIVAL,
Director of Commerce and Industry.