

MEMORANDUM FOR CABINET

by

MINISTER OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISMThe Import Duties (Assimilation) (No. 2) Regulations, 1962

Section 11 of the Import and Export Duties Ordinance (Cap. 122) provides that goods which are not specifically mentioned in the Second and Third Schedules of the Ordinance shall, for import duty purposes, be assimilated to those goods to which they bear greater analogy. The assimilations shall be made by the Governor by regulations published in the Government Gazette.

2. It is proposed, in virtue of the said section, to assimilate paper in sheets, treated with silicone and having an adhesive on the inner side, to paper specially intended for use as cover to books, pamphlets, magazines, periodicals, etc., printed locally. Such paper is intended for industrial purposes and forms an integral part of a book cover; it is considered that such paper should be released free of duty if the Comptroller of Customs is satisfied that the paper is to be used solely for the purpose described above.

3. The Attorney General's Office has prepared the attached draft Legal Notice in order to give effect to the proposals, and Honourable Ministers are invited to advise the Governor to make the regulations contained in the draft notice.

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IMPORT AND EXPORT DUTIES ORDINANCE (CAP. 102)

The Import Duties (Assimilation)(No. 2) Regulations, 1962

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Import and Export Duties Ordinance, the Governor has made the following regulations:-

- Citation 1. These regulations may be cited as the Import Duties (Assimilation)(No. 2) Regulations, 1962.
- Assimilation of certain goods for purposes of Section 4 of Cap. 102. 2. The goods enumerated in the item in the Second Column of the Schedule to these regulations shall, for the purposes of the provisions contained in section 4 of the Import and Export Duties Ordinance, be assimilated to the goods in the corresponding item in the Third Column of the Schedule, subject to the proviso to such item contained in the Third Schedule to the Import and Export Duties Ordinance.

THE SCHEDULE

Item	Assimilated Goods	Goods to which they are assimilated
1	Paper in sheets treated with silicone and having an adhesive on the inner side.	Paper, cover - i.e. paper specially intended for use as cover to books, pamphlets, magazines, periodicals, etc. printed locally, but not to include ordinary coloured paper of the type generally used for decorations, wrapping, etc.