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SCHEDULE V - CANADA

Results of Renegotiations

On 15 January 1957 the Intersessional Committee granted authority to Canada to enter into renegotiations under Article XXVIII:4 for the modification of the concession on Item 83(a) in Part I of Schedule V. The negotiation was conducted with the United States. No other contracting party claimed an interest.

The Government of Canada has submitted the attached announcement of the results of the negotiations; these involve modification of concessions in Schedule XX (United States) as well as in Schedule V.

LISTE V - CANADA

Résultats des négociations

Le 15 janvier 1957, le Comité d'intersession a autorisé le Canada à engager des négociations au titre de l'article XXVIII, paragraphe 4, en vue de la modification de la concession reprise à la position 83 a) de la première partie de la Liste V. Cette négociation s'est effectuée avec les Etats-Unis d'Amérique. Aucune autre partie contractante ne s'est déclarée intéressée.

Le gouvernement du Canada a transmis le texte ci-joint des résultats des négociations qui ont pour effet de modifier des concessions reprises à la Liste XX (Etats-Unis d'Amérique) et à la Liste V.

5 April 1957

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NEGOTIATIONS UNDER ARTICLE XXVIII

RESULTS OF NEGOTIATIONS

The Delegations of Canada and United States of America have concluded their negotiations for the modification of concessions provided for in Schedule V and the consequent modification of concessions provided for in Schedule XX as set out in the report attached.

Signed for the Delegation
of Canada

Signed for the Delegation
of United States of America

RESULTS OF NEGOTIATIONS UNDER ARTICLE XXVIII FOR THE
MODIFICATION OF CONCESSIONS IN THE
SCHEDULE OF CANADA INITIALLY NEGOTIATED WITH THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CHANGES IN PART I OF SCHEDULE V

CONCESSIONS TO BE MODIFIED

<u>Tariff Item Number</u>	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Rates of Duty Bound in Existing Schedules</u>
83	Potatoes, as hereunder defined:- (a) In their natural state:- August 1 to June 14, inclusive..... June 15 to July 31, inclusive.....per one hundred pounds	Free 37-1/2 cts.

CONCESSIONS TO BE SUBSTITUTED

<u>Tariff Item Number</u>	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Rates of Duty to be Bound</u>
83a	Potatoes, in their natural state, n.o.p.....per one hundred pounds	37-1/2 cts.
83b	New Potatoes harvested between January 1 and June 14 (excluding mature potatoes which have been stored in the ground and harvested during that period).....January 1 to June 14, inclusive	Free

MODIFICATION OF CONCESSIONS
ORIGINALLY NEGOTIATED WITH CANADA IN THE
SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES
AS COMPENSATORY ADJUSTMENT FOR ABOVE CANADIAN ACTION

CHANGES IN PART I OF SCHEDULE XX

CONCESSIONS TO BE MODIFIED

Tariff Act of 1930, para- graph	Description of Products	Rate of Duty
771	White or Irish seed potatoes, certified by a responsible officer or agency of a foreign government in accordance with the official rules and regulations of that government to have been grown and approved especially for use as seed, in containers marked with the foreign government's official certified seed potato tags	37-1/2¢ per 100 lb.
	<p><u>Provided</u>, That the quantity of such potatoes entitled to entry at such rate of duty shall not exceed --</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">for the period from January 1 to September 14, inclusive, in 1948, 2,500,000 bushels of 60 pounds each, less the quantity of such potatoes entered and subject to duty at a tariff-quota rate during the period from September 15 to December 31, inclusive, in 1947, or</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">for any 12-month period beginning on September 15 in 1948 or any subsequent year, 2,500,000 bushels of 60 pounds each;</p> <p>and any such potatoes not subject to that rate of duty shall be dutiable at</p>	75¢ per 100 lb.
771	White or Irish potatoes, other than certified seed potatoes, as defined in the preceding item	37-1/2¢ per 100 lb.

Provided, That the quantity of such potatoes entitled to entry at such rate of duty shall not exceed --

for the period from January 1 to September 14, inclusive, in 1948, 1,000,000 bushels of 60 pounds each, less the quantity of such potatoes entered and subject to duty at a tariff-quota rate during the period from September 15 to December 31, inclusive, in 1947, or

Tariff Act of 1930, paragraph	Description of Products	Rate of Duty
771 (cont'd)	for any 12-month period beginning on September 15 in 1948 or any subsequent year, 1,000,000 bushels of 60 pounds each; and any such potatoes not subject to that rate of duty shall be dutiable at	75¢ per 100 lb.
	<u>Provided further,</u> That if for any calendar year the production of white or Irish potatoes, including seed potatoes, in the United States, according to the estimate made as of September 1 by the United States Department of Agriculture, is less than 350,000,000 bushels of 60 pounds each, an additional quantity of such potatoes, other than certified seed potatoes, equal to the amount by which such estimated production is less than 350,000,000 bushels may be entered during the 12-month period beginning on September 15 of that year at	37-1/2¢ per 100 lb.
	<u>Provided further,</u> That in computing the quantities of imports specified in the two foregoing provisos white or Irish potatoes produced in the Republic of Cuba shall not be included.	

CONCESSIONS TO BE SUBSTITUTED

Tariff Act of 1930, paragraph	Description of Products	Rate of Duty
771	White or Irish seed potatoes, certified by a responsible officer or agency of a foreign government in accordance with the official rules and regulations of that government to have been grown and approved especially for use as seed, in containers marked with the foreign government's official certified seed potato tags....	37-1/2¢ per 100 lb.

Tariff Act of 1930, paragraph	Description of Products	Rate of Duty
771 (cont'd)	<u>Provided</u> , That not more than 1,900,000 bushels of 60 pounds each of such potatoes entered during any 12-month period beginning on September 15 in any year shall be dutiable at 37-1/2 cents per 100 pounds; and any such potatoes entered during any such 12-month period in excess of 2,500,000 bushels of 60 pounds each shall be dutiable at	75¢ per 100 lb.
771	White or Irish potatoes, other than certified seed potatoes as defined in the preceding item	37-1/2¢ per 100 lb.
	<u>Provided</u> , That not more than 600,000 bushels of 60 pounds each of such potatoes entered during any 12-month period beginning on September 15 in any year shall be dutiable at 37-1/2 cents per 100 pounds; and any such potatoes entered during any such 12-month period in excess of 1,000,000 bushels of 60 pounds each shall be dutiable at....	75¢ per 100 lb.
	<u>Provided further</u> , That if for any calendar year the production of white or Irish potatoes, including seed potatoes, in the United States, according to the estimate made as of September 1 by the United States Department of Agriculture, is less than 350,000,000 bushels of 60 pounds each, an additional quantity of such potatoes, other than certified seed potatoes, equal to the amount by which such estimated production is less than 350,000,000 bushels shall be added to each of the quantities specified in the preceding proviso in this item for the purpose of determining the application of the rates provided for in this item during the 12-month period beginning on September 15 of that calendar year; and	
	<u>Provided further</u> , That in computing the quantity of imports specified in the foregoing provisos to this item, white or Irish potatoes produced in the Republic of Cuba shall not be included.	