

ACCORD GENERAL SUR LES TARIFS DOUANIERS
ET LE COMMERCE

NEGOCIATIONS TARIFAIRES 1955

LISTE PRELIMINAIRE DE DEMANDES

Concessions tarifaires que le Gouvernement de la République d'Haiti demande au Gouvernement des Etats-Unis d'Amérique.

Paragraphe tarif Américain	Description du produit:	Tarif actuel	Tarif proposé		
			1ère année	2ème année	3ème année
58	Huile de vétiver	6 1/4 %	5.94 %	5.63%	5.32%
412	Articles en acajou	16 2/3 %	15.8 %	15%	14.1667%
802	Rhum	\$ 1.75 gal.	1.66 gal.	\$ 1.57 gal.	\$ 1.48 gal.
1023	Sacs à main en sisal	20%	19%	18 %	17 %
1529 (a)	Tresses en fibres autres que coton articles en tresses	45%	42-3/4%	40-1/2%	38-1/4%
1530 (e)	Bottes, souliers ou autres chaussures	17-1/2 %	16.625%	15-3/4%	14.875%
1021	Tapis en paille	40%	20%		

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TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1956

TARIFF CONCESSIONS WHICH THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
REQUESTS FROM HAITI

November, 1955

The attached list of requests is a tentative list and is subject to subsequent addition or alteration in the light of information which the Government of the United States may obtain on further review of its trade with Haiti, and pursuant to its formal public notice of intention to undertake trade agreement negotiations with Haiti, published on September 21, 1955. Such public notice is required under the Trade Agreements Act, as amended and extended, the legislative authority under which the United States undertakes these tariff negotiations.

Attachment:

List of requests.

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Haitian Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Dutiable Unit	Rate of Duty	
			Present	Proposed
			(gourdes)	
	Olive oil, cottonseed oil and oils used in the pre- paration of food:			
Ex 2203	In wooden receptacles -----	Gr. kilo	0.40	(ad val.) 10%
Ex 2204	In receptacles of earthen- ware or tin -----	Net kilo or ad val.	0.50 20%	10%
Ex 2205	In glass receptacles -----	Net kilo or ad val.	0.60 20%	10%
Ex 2206	Vegetable oils, not speci- fied ----- (Request is for ex for soy- bean oil in receptacles over 5 kilos)	Net kilo or ad val.	0.30 20%	10%
2214	Varnishes, driers and lacquers, prepared, including dyes and fillers for wood and other uses, and enamel paint -----	Gr. kilo or ad val.	0.60 20%	0.60 20%
2224	Ready-mixed paints, pure or not of whatever base, not specified	Gr. kilo or ad val.	0.35 20%	0.25 10%
Ex 2202	Lumber, hewn, split or roughly sawn into boards, planks, masts or beams, including rail- way sleepers and ties Of common wood (Request is for ex for Southern pine)	Cubic meter	26.00	15.00
Ex 2204	Lumber boards, planks or beams, planed, tenoned, mortized, tongued or grooved, not specified Of common wood (Request is for ex for Southern pine)	Cubic meter	29.30	17.00

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Haitian Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Dutiable Unit	Rate of Duty	
			Present	Proposed
			(gourdes)	
	Boots and shoes, not specified: Of leather or fabrics, n.e.s.:			
9039	With soles less than 16 cms. long -----	Pair or ad val.	4.00 40%	3.00 30%
9040	With soles 16 to 22 cms. long -----	Pair or ad val.	8.00 40%	6.00 30%
9041	With soles more than 22 cms. long -----	Pair or ad val.	10.00 40%	7.50 30%
11038	Typewriters, dictaphones, mimeo- graphs, hectographs and other machines and apparatus for writing, duplicating or mani- folding manuscript or printed matter; separate parts of such articles; ribbons, pads, stencil sheets, mimeograph silk and like accessories, and stamp pads, not specified -----	Ad val.	20%	15%
11039	Adding (calculating) machines, including combined typewriter and adding (calculating) machines and other computing apparatus, separate parts, accessories and ribbons therefor -----	Ad val.	20%	15%
11041	Cash registers and separate parts -----	Ad val.	20%	15%
11051	Ice boxes and refrigerators, lined with metal or enameled --	Ad val.	10%	10% (Bind)
12011	Lard of pork or of other animal origin, however packed	Net Kilo	0.33	0.20
12103	Wheat flour -----	Net Kilo	0.30	0.30 (Bind)
12124a	Oats cereals prepared for human food -----	Net kilo or ad val.	0.25 20%	0.15 15%

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Haitian Tariff Item No.	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Dutiable Unit</u>	<u>Rate of Duty</u>	
			<u>Present</u> (gourdes)	<u>Proposed</u>
12126	Biscuits and crackers of cereal or pulse flour, sweetened or not -----	Net kilo or ad val.	0.50 20%	0.40 15%
13109a	Tobacco, cut or granulated, in containers other than tin or in tins of more than 1/2 kilo, or when not for direct use of consumer -----	Net kilo or ad val.	8.00 60%	6.00 60%

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SUPPLEMENTAL TARIFF CONCESSIONS WHICH THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA REQUESTS FROM HAITI

December 1955

The attached list of supplemental requests is a tentative list and is subject to subsequent addition or alteration in the light of information which the Government of the United States may obtain on further review of its trade with Haiti, and pursuant to its formal public notice of intention to undertake trade agreement negotiations with Haiti, published on September 21, 1955, and the supplemental notice published on December 9, 1955. Such public notice is required under the Trade Agreements Act, as amended and extended, the legislative authority under which the United States undertakes these tariff negotiations.

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Supplemental list of requests.

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SUPPLEMENTAL REQUESTS

Supplemental Tariff Concessions which the Government
of the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Requests from
the Government of HAITI

<u>Tariff Item No.</u>	<u>Description of Products</u>	<u>Dutiable Unit</u>	<u>Rate of Duty</u>	
			<u>Present</u>	<u>Propose</u>
			(gourdes) <u>1/</u>	
12428(Ex.)	Pork and beans	Gr. kilo or ad val.	0.50 20%	0.35 15%
12431	Canned or potted soups and broths	Gr. kilo or ad val.	0.35 20%	0.25 15%
12444	Canned vegetables	Gr. kilo or ad val.	0.25 20%	0.20 15%

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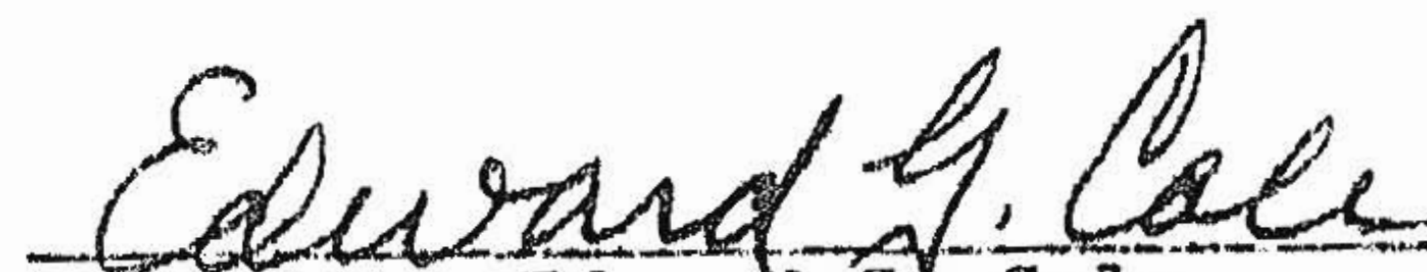
La Délégation de Haïti et la Délégation des Etats-Unis d'Amérique informent par la présente le Secrétaire Exécutif que leurs négociations bilatérales ont pris fin aujourd'hui.

Elles joignent, en conséquence, à la présente lettre, quarante exemplaires des deux listes de concessions sur lesquelles elles se sont mises d'accord.

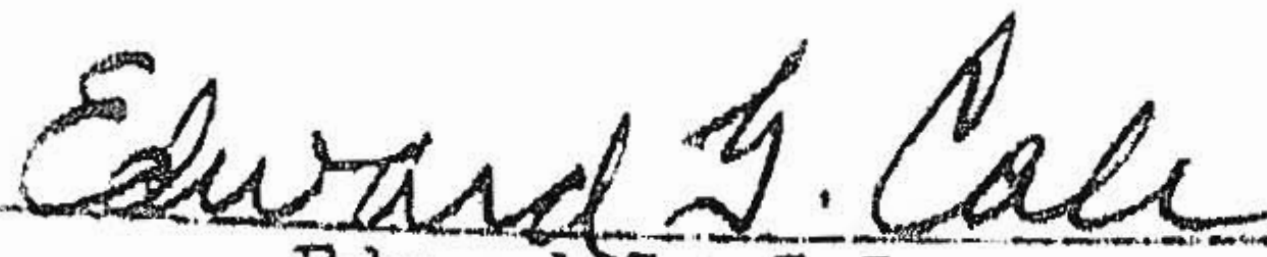
Il est entendu que les listes de concessions pourront faire l'objet de quelques modifications, compte tenu des autres négociations bilatérales qui doivent encore être conclues ou de la phase multilatérale finale des négociations tarifaires.



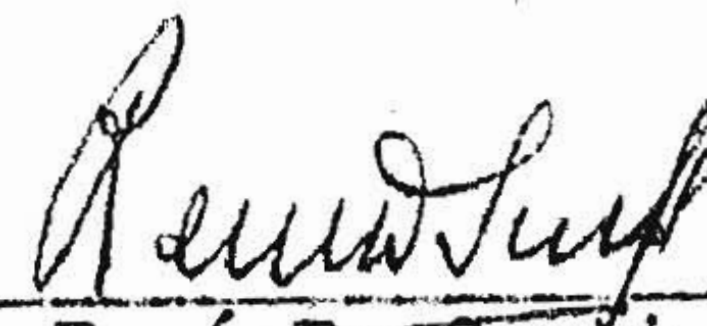
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1956 TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS--GENEVA

United States Tariff Concessions Agreed to
in Bilateral Negotiations with
Haiti

March 19, 1956

U.S. Tariff Par. No.	1954 Statistical Class No.	Statistical description of product	Jan. 1, 1955 rate of duty	Rate of duty		
				1st stage	2d stage	3d stage
58	2290.410	Essential or distilled oils, not containing alcohol: Vetivert	6.25%	5.75%	5.50%	5.00%
412	4280.490	Forks, spoons, trays, bowls, platters, lamp bases, bookends, and similar household wares, n.e.s., wholly or in chief value of mahogany	16-2/3%	15.50%	15.00%	14.00%

NOTE: The above descriptions of products are subject to such changes in terminology as may be necessary in the translation of the statistical descriptions into definitive United States tariff nomenclature to be set forth in the consolidated United States schedule of concessions to be annexed to the 1956 Protocol of Supplementary Concessions.

Reductions in duty will be made in three annual stages, the first stage to become effective not later than June 30, 1956. In the event that any specified rate becomes effective and subsequently becomes ineffective by reason of action taken pursuant to paragraph 3(ii) of the said Protocol of Supplementary Concessions or any other reason, the later stages of reductions will not be made effective until the rate which became ineffective has been restored and has been in effect for a total period of one year.

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Liste des concessions accordées aux Etats-Unis
par la République d'Haïti

Position du Tarif	Nomenclature	Droits actuels	Concessions		Pays
			demandées	offertes	
11015 b)	Réfrigérateurs, électriques ou autres, appareils à conditionnement d'air, leurs parties et accessoires	10 %	10 %	5 %	US
11038	Machines à écrire, dictaphones, miméographes et autres machines et appareils à écrire ou à reproduire en deux ou en plusieurs copies les manuscrits et les imprimés; parties détachées de ces articles; rubans, tampons, feuilles à stencils soie à miméographes et accessoires analogues et tampons pour cachets, non dénommés ad val.	20 %	15 %	15 %	US
11039	Machines à calculer, y compris les machines à écrire et à calculer en combinaison, et autres appareils à calculer, parties détachées accessoires et rubans pour ces articles ad val.	20 %	15 %	15 %	US
11041	Caisses enregistreuses et leurs parties détachées ad val.	20 %	15 %	15 %	US
11051	Glacières et frigorifères, revêtus à l'intérieur de métal ou d'émail ou non ad val.	10 %	10 %	7.5%	US
12124 a)	Céréales d'avoine préparées pour l'alimentation humaine K.N.	0.25	0.15	0.15	US
	. . . . . ad val.	20 %	15 %	15 %	
12126 a)	Biscuits en farine de céréales ou légumineuses, sucrés ou non. K.N.	0.50	0.40	0.50	US
	. . . . . ad val.	20 %	15 %	20 %	
Note : Cette position ne s'applique pas aux pains, petits pains et autres types de produits assimilables aux pains					
12428 a)	Haricots et viandes de porc en conserves K.N.	0.50	0.35	0.35	US
	. . . . . ad val.	20 %	15 %	15 %	
12431	Potages et bouillons en boîtes de fer-blanc ou en terrines K.N.	0.35	0.25	0.25	US
	. . . . . ad val.	20 %	15 %	15 %	
12444	Tomates y compris pâte et purées, maïs, petits pois, courges, choux et légumes, non dénommés, conserves de toutes formes autres qu'au vinaigre K.N.	0.25	0.20	0.20	US
 ad val.	20 %	15 %	15 %	

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