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TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS 1950

Tariff Concessions Which the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Requests from GUATEMALA

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The attached list of requests is subject to alteration in the light of information which the Government of the United States may obtain pursuant to its formal public notice of intention to undertake trade-agreement negotiations with the Government of Guatemala. Such public notice is required under the Trade Agreements Act of 1934, as amended, the legislative authority under which the United States undertakes these tariff negotiations.

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LIST OF REQUESTS

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Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Present rate of duty in Quetzales per Gross Kilogram	Proposed rate of duty
211-1-3-1	Bacon and ham in unspecified containers	0.20	0.20
211-1-4-2	Sausages, poultry, game birds and unspecified meats, in hermetically sealed containers, preserved or prepared in unspecified forms, with or without vegetables	0.30	0.20
211-2-2-1	Concentrated liquid soups and concentrated and evaporated soups in the form of powders, pastes or tablets	0.30	0.20
211-3-1-1	Hog lard	0.05	0.05
211-3-2-2	Dried, powdered milk and cream without admixture of other substances	Free	Free
211-3-2-3	Dried, powdered milk and cream mixed with other unspecified substances	Free	Free
211-3-2-4	Evaporated or condensed milk and cream	Free	Free
211-3-2-6	Butter from milk, of all kinds, fresh salted, melted or in any other form, in all kinds of containers	0.20	0.20
211-3-2-7	Unspecified cheese in unspecified containers	0.15	0.15
211-4-4-1	Sardines, prepared in oil or sauces	0.075	0.075
211-4-4-3	Unspecified fish, preserved in oil, in sauce or in their own liquid, raw, cooked or pickled	0.15	0.15
211-4-4-4	Unspecified shellfish, preserved in oil, in sauce or in their own liquid, raw, cooked or pickled	0.15	0.15
212-2-0-4	Wheat flour	0.03	0.015
212-3-0-2	Unspecified cereals, raw, in rolled, crushed or pearled grains or prepared in similar forms	0.04	0.04 <sup>1/</sup>

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212-3-0-3	Unspecified cereals toasted or cooked in any form	0.05	0.05
212-3-0-6	Malt and germinated grains of unspecified cereals	0.01	0.01
212-3-0-9	Malted or lactated flours and foods with a base of unspecified cereals, for infants and invalids	0.20	0.10
212-5-0-1	Fresh grapes	0.03	0.03
212-5-0-5	Unspecified fresh fruit	0.15	0.03
212-5-0-6	Unspecified dried or evaporated fruits, peeled or unpeeled, in any kind of container	0.15	0.075
212-8-2-2	Savory sauces of all kinds, in unspecified containers	0.30	0.15
212-8-3-2	Concentrated extracts and juices, liquid or in paste, of herbs, fruits and artificial flavors for the manufacture of carbonated beverages, soft drinks, etc.	0.40	0.30
212-8-3-3	Unspecified flavoring extracts for culinary uses, with or without alcohol, and fruit essences for the preparation of soft drinks and carbonated beverages, either natural or synthetic, including those prepared with an ether base and essences for wines, liquors and tobaccos	1.00	1.00
212-9-1-3	Refined cottonseed, corn, soybean and peanut oil	0.06	0.06
212-9-2-4	Unspecified vegetable lards	0.05	0.05
214-1-0-4	Unspecified fruits in syrup or their juice, cooked or not	0.30	0.15
214-1-0-6	Preserved and pickled vegetables, mushrooms, fruits and nuts, unspecified, in unspecified containers	0.30	0.15
214-2-0-1	Soda crackers	0.10	0.10
214-3-0-4	Jellies, confectionery, candy, bonbons, sweets and caramels, unspecified; confectionery of sugar and crystalized fruits, in unspecified containers	0.40	0.30
315-1-0-4	Tallow of cattle for industrial uses	0.02	0.02

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Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Present rate of duty in Quetzales per Gross Kilogram	Proposed rate of duty
322-1-0-1	Hops, fresh or dried	0.12	0.12
322-6-0-2	Leaf tobacco, unspecified	1.30	1.30
335-3-0-1	Unspecified lubricating oils	0.08	0.05
335-4-0-1	Lubricating greases, solid or semi-solid at a temperature below 38 degrees C. (100 degrees F.) and containing a minimum of 40% petroleum derivative	0.07	0.07
413-1-0-7	Dentifrices of all kinds	0.25	0.25
414-3-1-1	Ordinary prepared paints, unspecified, for ceilings, floors, walls and other similar uses, (prepared with) water, oils, or a base of tar, petroleum derivatives or asphaltic emulsions	0.10	0.10
414-6-0-4	Unspecified prepared enamels and lacquers	0.15	0.15
415-1-0-5	Unspecified synthetic coloring materials	0.20	0.20
416-0-0-1	Blackening and polishes to clean and shine shoes and leather articles, in paste, cream or liquid	0.30	0.20
421-3-30-5	Hydroxide of soda (caustic soda) for industrial uses in containers of ten kilograms or more	0.02	0.02
421-3-30-7	Silicate of soda for industrial uses, in containers of ten kilograms or more	0.02	0.02
422-1-0-3	Paraffin, ceresine and ozokerite, pure or simply colored, providing that the proportion of the coloring material does not exceed that necessary for coloring the product	0.06	0.06
426-2-0-2	Unspecified opotherapeutic products, substances and extracts in any form or preparation, even as proprietary medicines in their appropriate containers or under registered names	1.00 <sup>1/</sup>	1.00 <sup>1/</sup>
428-2-0-1	Solutions, including colloidal, oils, waters, alcoholates, elixirs, tinctures wines, liquors and syrups, in the form of proprietary medicines	0.50	0.25
428-2-0-11	Unspecified medicinal capsules, tablets etc., in the form of proprietary medicines	1.50 <sup>1/</sup>	1.50 <sup>1/</sup>

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Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Present rate of duty in Quetzales per Gross Kilogram	Proposed rate of duty
428-2-0-15	Effervescent salts and fruit salts in any form	0.50 <u>1/</u>	0.50 <u>1/</u>
428-2-0-22	Ampoules containing unspecified salts or liquids for hypodermic or intra-venous injections	1.00 <u>1/</u>	1.00 <u>1/</u>
428-3-0-12	Unspecified medicinal ointments, in bulk or in the form of proprietary medicines	1.00 <u>1/</u>	0.75 <u>1/</u>
441-0-0-1	Patent leather	0.50	0.50
441-0-0-5	Unspecified tanned leathers	0.50	0.50
442-0-0-18	Leather shoes, unspecified	4.00 <u>1/</u>	2.00 <u>1/</u>
451-5-0-1	Single or plied unbleached cotton yarn for weaving, in cones or skeins	0.10	0.10
Ex 451-5-0-2	Single or plied cotton yarn, bleached, single strand, for weaving, in cones or skeins	0.12	0.12
Ex 451-5-0-2	Single or plied cotton yarn, colored single strand, for weaving, in cones or skeins	0.15	0.15
Ex 451-5-0-5	Plied cotton yarn, bleached, of two or more strands, for industrial uses, in skeins, cardboard cones or other similar containers, provided each contains 10,000 yards or more	0.12	0.12
Ex 451-5-0-5	Plied cotton yarn, colored, of two or more strands, for industrial uses, in skeins, cardboard cones or other similar containers, provided each contains 10,000 yards or more	0.15	0.15
463-1-0-1	Unspecified artificial silk piece goods weighing up to 99.99 grams per square meter	5.00 <u>1/</u>	4.00 <u>1/</u>
463-1-0-2	Unspecified artificial silk piece goods weighing from 100 to 199.99 grams per square meter	4.00 <u>1/</u>	3.00 <u>1/</u>
463-1-0-3	Unspecified artificial silk piece goods weighing 200 grams or more per square meter	3.00 <u>1/</u>	2.50 <u>1/</u>
463-1-0-4	Artificial silk knitted piece goods (jersey, tricot)	5.00 <u>1/</u>	3.00 <u>1/</u>

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Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Present rate of duty in Quetzales per Gross Kilogram	Proposed rate of duty
466-1-2-1	Unbleached, unspecified cotton piece goods weighing 80 grams or more per square meter with 130 threads or less per square inch	0.22	0.22
466-1-2-2	Unbleached, unspecified cotton piece goods weighing 80 grams or more per square meter, with 131 to 160 threads per square inch	0.33	0.33
466-1-3-1	Bleached or colored unspecified cotton piece goods weighing less than 80 grams per square meter, with 130 threads or less per square inch	0.80	0.80
466-1-3-2	Bleached or colored unspecified cotton piece goods weighing less than 80 grams per square meter, with 131 to 160 threads per square inch	1.10	1.10
466-1-3-3	Bleached or colored unspecified cotton piece goods weighing less than 80 grams per square meter, with 161 to 240 threads per square inch	1.50	1.50
466-1-4-1	Bleached or colored unspecified cotton piece goods weighing from 80 grams to 149.99 grams per square meter, with 130 threads or less per square inch	0.55	0.55
466-1-4-2	Bleached or colored unspecified cotton piece goods weighing from 80 to 149.99 grams per square meter, with 131 to 160 threads per square inch.	0.65	0.65
466-1-4-3	Bleached or colored unspecified cotton piece goods weighing from 80 to 149.99 grams per square meter, with 161 to 240 threads per square inch	1.00	1.00
466-1-5-1	Bleached or colored unspecified cotton piece goods weighing 150 grams or more per square meter, with 130 threads or less per square inch	0.40	0.40
466-1-5-2	Bleached or colored unspecified cotton piece goods weighing 150 grams or more per square meter, with 131 to 160 threads per square inch	0.50	0.50
466-1-5-3	Bleached or colored unspecified cotton piece goods weighing 150 grams or more per square meter, with 161 to 240 threads per square inch	0.60	0.60

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Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Present rate of duty in Quetzales per Gross Kilogram	Proposed rate of duty
466-4-0-1	Fabrics of cotton with a mixture of wool or other unspecified animal fibers: up to 49.99%	1.00	1.00
468-4-1-2	Unspecified fabrics waterproofed by means of a coating of wax, cellulose, oil, tar or other unspecified products	0.40	0.40
469-2-2-1	Socks and stockings of pure natural silk, or synthetic fiber (including nylon), plain or embroidered	9.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>	9.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>
469-2-3-1	Socks and stockings of pure artificial silk, plain or embroidered	3.75 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>	2.50 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>
469-2-3-4	Socks and stockings of artificial silk, with mixture of cotton, plain or embroidered	3.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>	2.50 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>
Ex 469-4-5-2	Cotton shirts of all kinds, of cloth containing not more than 160 threads per square inch, with or without small adornments or stripes of natural or artificial silk, but without lace or embroidery	1.00	1.00
Ex 469-4-5-2	Cotton shirts of all kinds, of cloth containing more than 160 threads per square inch, with or without small adornments or stripes of natural or artificial silk, but without lace or embroidery	1.75	1.75
469-5-2-2	Unspecified outer clothing made chiefly of artificial silk	15.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>	10.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>
469-5-3-3	Unspecified outer clothing of wool or other unspecified animal fibers, pure or mixed with cotton	7.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>	7.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>
469-5-6-2	Unspecified outer clothing of cotton	4.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>	3.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>
469-6-3-13	Unspecified wearing apparel made of knitted wool fabrics, pure or mixed with cotton, with or without small adornments of other fibers	4.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>	4.00 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>
469-8-5-16	Empty cotton sacks and bags for packing, with or without printing	0.05	0.05
471-1-0-6	Rubber tires, unspecified, and inner tubes for all kinds of vehicles, and rubber for tires	20% ad. val.	20% ad. va.

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473-2-0-3	Paper for books and printing containing more than 30% chemical wood pulp, cotton pulp or pulp of other fibers or straw, in sheets measuring 43 cm. or more on the smallest side, neither ruled nor printed	0.05	0.05
473-2-0-6	Paper covered on one or both sides by a coating of white lead, sulphate of barite, kaolin, talc, etc., for typographic and lithographic works (glazed paper)	0.05	0.05
473-3-1-1	Cellophane paper (transparent cellulose)	0.10	0.10
473-3-1-2	Paraffined, waxed or oiled paper, vegetable parchment paper, imitation parchment paper, (paper treated superficially with sulphuric acid), unspecified waterproof paper, including tympanes for printing presses	0.05	0.05
473-3-1-3	Unspecified papers of any color with or without advertising, in sheets or rolls	0.03	0.03
473-6-0-12	Paper bags for packing, with or without printing	0.15	0.10
473-6-0-13	Liners for sacks, and sacks for packing agricultural or industrial products	0.05	0.05
473-6-0-28	Cups, little boxes and sanitary containers for ice cream and beverages, of paraffined or waterproofed paper or pasteboard, with or without printing or advertising, and covers	0.15	0.15
481-4-0-3	China sanitary ware, such as toilets, urinals, bidets, washstands, stationary sinks, etc., even if imported with their respective accessories, complete or not	0.03	0.03
482-2-0-4	Glass liters or other bottles, halves and quarters of the same, to be closed with cork stoppers or crown seals of tin and cork, used as containers for beer, carbonated beverages and liquors	0.01	0.01
482-2-0-5	Unspecified glass bottles, jars or other containers with or without specified tops, including those with hermetic spring closures, and demijohns, lined or not	0.03	0.03

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Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Present rate of duty in Quetzales per Gross Kilogram	Proposed rate of duty
Ex 482-2-0-30	Glass goblets and tumblers, machine-made, of any capacity, shape and size	0.10	0.05
483-1-0-4	Bare iron or steel wire, with any finish, up to caliber 18 B. and S. Birmingham	0.03	0.02
483-3-1-9	Unspecified furniture of iron or steel with or without ornaments of other ordinary metals	0.10	0.10
483-3-2-1	Unspecified sanitary articles of iron or steel with any finish	0.06	0.06
483-3-3-1	Cookstoves, ovens, serpentine hot water heaters and the grates, broilers and little ovens that form an integral part of cookstoves, made chiefly of iron or steel, with any finish	0.06	0.06
483-3-4-4	Safety razor blades	4.00 <sup>1/</sup>	3.00 <sup>1/</sup>
483-3-4-11	Nuts, washers, screws, bolts and clamps of iron and steel, for any purpose	0.08	0.08
483-3-4-14	Ironwork and locks of all kinds, finished in any manner, made chiefly of iron or steel, including casters with rubber parts exclusively for furniture	0.18	0.18
483-3-4-42	Lamps and lanterns of various kinds made chiefly of iron or steel, with any finish	0.25	0.25
483-3-4-65	Tanks of a capacity of more than 1,000 liters, and silos, disassembled or not	0.02	0.02
484-1-2-1	Kitchen pans and utensils made chiefly of aluminum	0.30	0.30
484-2-2-6	Copper wire and cable covered with unspecified insulating or protecting materials	0.12	0.12
484-2-3-3	Stopping or regulating cocks and valves made chiefly of copper, bronze or brass for pipes less than 3 inches in interior diameter	0.25	0.25
484-2-6-4	Locks and unspecified hardware therefor, made chiefly of copper, bronze or brass, nickeled or not	0.35	0.35

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Tariff Item No.	Description of Products	Present rate of duty in Quetzales per Gross Kilogram	Proposed rate of duty
485-2-0-8	Fountain pens of unspecified materials, with gold points	8.00 <sup>1/</sup>	8.00 <sup>1/</sup>
491-1-3-1	Passenger automobiles of all kinds and of any list price	20% ad.val.	20% ad.val
491-1-3-3	Automotive trucks and buses of all kinds and chassis for same, with capacity of not more than two tons	0.05	0.05
491-1-3-4	Automotive trucks and buses of all kinds and chassis for same, with capacity of (over two tons but) not more than three tons	0.10	0.10
491-1-3-12	Trailers for cargo, for use with trucks or tractors	0.05	0.05
491-1-3-20	Jeeps	0.05	0.05
491-1-4-1	Frames, steering wheels, and springs (for automobiles)	0.05	0.05
491-1-4-6	Motors for automotive vehicles	0.10	0.10
491-1-4-8	Headlamps and lights, horns, radiator and hub caps	0.50	0.30
491-1-4-13	Unspecified spare parts and accessories for motor vehicles	0.20	0.20
491-4-1-1	Electric motors of over 1/4 H.P.	0.05	0.05
491-4-1-4	Generators or dynamos of any capacity, separate or coupled with the correspond- ing motor or turbine	0.05	0.05
491-4-1-11	Dry cells of all kinds and for all pur- poses and galvanic batteries and spare electrodes for the same	0.05	0.05
491-4-2-1	Unspecified electric ovens or heaters, stoves, toasters, water heaters, etc., and their unspecified parts and acces- sories	0.10	0.10
491-4-5-3	Hand lamps, either for dry cells or powered by a small hand operated magneto	0.40	0.40
491-4-5-4	Incandescent bulbs of all kinds and any voltage	0.20	0.20

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491-4-6-3	Compact and cabinet wireless telephone, telegraph and television receiving apparatus, with or without record player, and record players alone	0.25	0.25
491-4-6-5	Oscillating tubes (valves, lamps)	1.00	1.00
491-4-6-6	Measuring and testing apparatus for radio tubes and circuits, and for the detection of extraneous noises; antennas, amplifiers and unspecified spare parts and accessories	0.25	0.25
491-4-7-4	Unspecified electrical materials for producing, conducting or consuming electric current	0.15	0.15
491-6-4-1	Sewing and embroidering machines, including those driven by electric motors, and their spare parts and accessories	0.15	0.15
491-6-7-1	Typewriters, unspecified, and apparatus for reproducing manuscripts and type-scripts, for office use, electric or not	0.25	0.25
491-6-7-2	Portable typewriters and their cases	0.50	0.50
491-6-7-3	Calculating machines with or without special stands and combination type-writing and calculating machines, with or without covers or cases, electric or not	0.50	0.50
491-6-7-6	Unspecified office machinery, electric or not	0.50	0.50
491-8-0-3	Refrigerators for domestic use, consisting of a chest with an electric motor forming a single unit, or with chemically produced cold, including the small machines driven by a hand crank for producing ice	0.15	0.15
491-8-0-6	Cash registers, electric or not, with or without cabinets or stands	0.30	0.30
492-1-0-1	Hoes, mattocks, axes, spades, short machetes, pruning hooks machetes and bill hooks, of all kinds, polished or not, without sheaths	0.01	0.01

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492-2-0-14	Unspecified hand tools for artisans	0.15	0.15
493-0-0-13	Phonographs, dictaphones and linguaphones of all kinds, their unspecified parts and accessories, and records and cylinders for the same	0.50	0.50
494-1-0-1	Unspecified scientific instruments and apparatus and their accessories and parts	0.25	0.25
494-4-0-1	Photographic and motion picture cameras of all kinds, with or without cases, lenses, and filters	20% ad.val.	20% ad.val.
494-4-0-5	Projection apparatus for motion pictures and magic lanterns and their unspecified parts and accessories	0.50	0.50
494-4-0-9	Sensitized film of all kinds	0.40	0.40
498-2-0-35	Exposed motion picture films	1.00	1.00
498-2-0-36	Unspecified office supplies of ordinary materials, including fountain pens with unspecified points	0.50	0.50
498-2-0-41	Toys for favors and those of unspecified classes and materials, including Christmas tree ornaments	0.50	0.30
498-2-0-100	Miscellaneous articles of wearing apparel and personal use, made of synthetic plastics	2.00 <u>1/</u>	1.00 <u>1/</u>

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ADDENDUM TO THE LIST OF JUNE 26, 1950

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427-2-0-16	Compound chemical products, not medicinal, for industrial, agricultural or domestic use, not specified, including alkaline and synthetic detergents	0.10	0.10

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