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CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

**The Customs Duties (ECSC) (Quota Relief)
Order 1980**

<i>Made - - - -</i>	<i>12th May 1980</i>
<i>Laid before the House of Commons -</i>	<i>13th May 1980</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	<i>14th May 1980</i>

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 1 of the Customs and Excise Duties (General Reliefs) Act 1979(a) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Customs Duties (ECSC) (Quota Relief) Order 1980 and shall come into operation on 14th May 1980.

2.—(1) Up to and including 30th June 1980, a duty of 2 per cent shall be charged on goods which fall within a sub-heading of the common customs tariff of the European Economic Community specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto and are of a description specified in column 2 thereof in the case of a quota (hereinafter referred to as “the quota”) consisting of 40,000 tonnes.

(2) Goods which are imported for the purpose of being exported to member States of the European Economic Communities in the same state as the goods were in when imported into the United Kingdom shall not be treated as forming part of the quota.

12th May 1980.

Cecil Parkinson,
Minister for Trade,
Department of Trade.

SCHEDULE

Tariff Heading (1)	Description (2)
73.13 B.IV. b)1. ex 73.13 B.IV. d)	Tinplate, whether in sheet, plate or coil form. Sheets and plates of iron or steel, whether or not in coils, of a thickness of less than 0.50 mm, electrolytically coated with chrome oxides or with chrome and chrome oxides, the thickness of the coating not exceeding 0.05 micrometres, whether or not varnished, lacquered and/or printed.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order, which comes into operation on 14th May 1980, provides for the opening of a tariff quota, within which customs duty will be reduced to 2 per cent, of 40,000 tonnes of certain tinplate and certain other products known as tin-free steel, imported into the United Kingdom from countries which are not member States of the European Coal and Steel Community in accordance with a Decision of the Commission of the European Communities of 8th May 1980.

The Order provides that goods shall not constitute part of the quota if they are imported for the purpose of being exported to member States of the European Communities in the same state as the goods were in when imported into the United Kingdom.

The implementation and administration of the tariff quota is governed by the Customs Duties (Quota Relief) (Administration) Order 1976 (S.I. 1976/2105).