STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

The European Free Trade Association (Origin of Goods) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1965

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The Board of Trade, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by section 1(1) of the European Free Trade Association Act 1960(a), hereby make the following Regulations:—

1. The European Free Trade Association (Origin of Goods) Regulations 1964(b), as amended(c), shall have effect as if for Regulation 6 there were substituted the following:—

"*Consignment*

6.—(1) Goods shall be treated as consigned from a place in the area if it is shown to the satisfaction of the Commissioners—

(*a*) that those goods have been consigned to the United Kingdom from such a place; or

(*b*) that they

(i) have been consigned from such a place to an exhibition outside the area and have been exhibited there, and

(ii) are in the same state as they were in when consigned to the exhibition and have not been used otherwise than for the purpose of exhibiting or demonstrating them at the exhibition since they were so consigned, and

(iii) have been sold or otherwise disposed of by the consignee to a person in the United Kingdom and have been consigned from the exhibition to the United Kingdom during or immediately after the exhibition; or

(*c*) that they

(i) have been consigned from such a place to a Customs warehouse outside the area, and

(ii) have remained continuously in that warehouse and no substitution or addition of other goods has taken place, and

(a) 8 & 9 Eliz. 2. c. 19. (b) S.I. 1964/1966 (1964 III, p. 4296).
(c) The amendment has no relevance to the present Regulations.

(iii) have been consigned to the United Kingdom from that warehouse, and

(iv) are in the same state as they were in when consigned to that warehouse, and

(v) are entered on importation into the United Kingdom within twelve months from the date of their exportation from a place in the area.

(2) In this regulation:—

"exhibition" means a trade, industrial, agricultural or crafts exhibition, fair or similar show or display, but does not include any such exhibition, fair, show or display organised for private purposes in shops or business premises with a view to the sale of goods foreign to the country where the exhibition is held;

"Customs warehouse" means locked premises or an enclosed space, approved by the appropriate Customs authorities, in which goods may be stored under their control without payment of import duties and taxes, but does not include free ports or free zones.".

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(a) shall apply to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. These Regulations may be cited as the European Free Trade Association (Origin of Goods) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1965 and shall come into operation on the 1st October 1965.

21st September 1965.

Douglas Jay,
President of the Board of Trade.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Regulations.*)

These Regulations further amend the European Free Trade Association (Origin of Goods) Regulations 1964 by providing that, subject to the conditions set out in regulation 6(1)(*c*), goods may be treated as consigned from the E.F.T.A. area if they are consigned to the United Kingdom from a Customs warehouse in a non-E.F.T.A. country.

(a) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.