



No. 15 of 1923.

AN ORDINANCE

Relating to Duties of Customs.

J. H. P. MURRAY.

[L.S.]

27th December, 1923.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Territory of Papua with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the *Customs (Export) Tariff* (No. 2), 1923. Short title.
2. This Ordinance shall commence on the first day of January, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-four. Commencement.
3. The *Customs (Export) Tariff*, 1922-1923, is repealed. Repeal.
4. The *Customs Ordinance*, 1909-1916, is incorporated and shall be read as one with this Ordinance. Incorporation.
5. Notwithstanding anything contained in the *Customs (Export) Tariff*, 1920, there shall be charged collected and paid to the use of the King for the purposes of the Territory of Papua on all copra dutiable under that Ordinance and exported from the Territory during the period of six calendar months commencing on the first day of January, Temporary reduction of duty on copra.

Customs (Export) Tariff (No. 2), 1923.

One thousand nine hundred and twenty-four a duty at the rate of Fifteen shillings on every ton of such copra instead of the duty on copra at the rate set out in the Schedule to such last-mentioned Ordinance.

Reversion to
original duty.

6. On and from the first day of July, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-four there shall be charged collected and paid to the use and for the purposes aforesaid on all copra exported from the Territory on and after the last-mentioned date the full amount of duty on copra at the rate set out in the Schedule to the *Customs (Export) Tariff, 1920*, as if this Ordinance had not been passed.

Passed in Council this twenty-seventh day of December, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

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