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LIST OF BRAZILIAN REQUESTS FOR TARIFF
CONCESSIONS FROM CHINA

<u>Tariff No.</u>	<u>Article</u>	<u>Present Rate</u>	<u>Proposed Rate</u>
71	Raw cotton	10 p.c. ad. val.	Free
309	Cocoa		
	(a) Cocoa beans	35 p.c.	Free
	(b) Others	35 p.c.	Free
311	Coffee		
	(a) Coffee beans	35 p.c.	Free
	(b) Others	35 p.c.	Free

Geneva, May 3rd. 1947.

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Additional Requests to the Government of Brazil
for Reduction of Customs Duty on Commodities
Imported from China.

Tariff No.	Description	Unit of Duty	Minimum Duty	Proposed Reduction
Ex 461	Cotton sheets, coverlets and counterpanes for beds, pillow cases, towels, table napkins, etc., (b) embroidered or trimmed by hand	KAW	Duty on the cloth plus 10%	50% reduction on duty on the cloth and exemption from additional duty.
x 198	Silk bedcovers, counterpanes, pillow cases, sheets and the like embroidered or trimmed by hand	"	"	"
x 217	Ready-made silk clothing embroidered or trimmed by hand	"	Duty on the cloth plus 25%	"
x 511	Flax, jute, hemp and ramie: shells coverlets and counterpanes for beds, pillow-cases, towels, table-napkins, curtains, etc., embroidered or trimmed by hand	"	Duty on the cloth plus 10%	"
x 638	Glassware, n.o.p.f.	"	1.6 cruz.	0.8 cruz.

Le Secrétaire Exécutif de la Délégation Brésilienne présente ses meilleurs compliments au Secrétaire Exécutif Adjoint de la Seconde Session de la Conférence du Commerce et de l'Emploi des Nations Unies et, conformément aux dispositions du Document réservé E/PC/T.51 du 22 avril dernier a l'honneur de lui envoyer ^{une} ~~deux~~ ⁴ copies de la liste d'offres de la Délégation Brésilienne à la Délégation de Chine.

La liste en question a été remise à la Délégation de Chine le 6 Mai.

Genève, le 9 Mai 1947.

PRELIMINARY OFFERS BY THE UNITED STATES OF BRAZIL
ON TARIFF CONCESSIONS TO CHINA

TARIFF N°	DESCRIPTION OF COMMODITIES	Dutiable Unit	Minimum Duty	Duty Offered
9	Bristles of wild hogs, pigs and other swine	Legal Kg	Cr\$ 7.80	Cr\$ 3.90
183	Silk yarn: For weaving: of floss silk Of any other silk: unbleach ed or raw, bleached or natu ral color	" "	8.50	8.50
		" "	22.60	22.60
120	Silk tissue N.S.M., weighing per square metre: Up to 20 grams	Net "	242.40	242.40
	Over 20 and up to 40 grams	" "	226.30	226.30
	Over 40 and up to 100 grams	" "	210.10	210.10
	Over 100 and up to 200 grams	" "	193.90	193.90
	Over 200 grams	" "	177.80	177.80
58	Cinnamon	Gross "	1.60	0.80
87	Tobacco, leaf	" "	12.50	12.50
73	Lace: of any other kind em broidered with any material	Net "	130.00	65.00
194	Antimony or regulus of an timony: For industrial purposes	Legal "	1.10	0.55
	For other purposes		13.30	6.65

NOTE - As stated by the Head of the Brazilian Delegation (Doc.E/PC/T/PV 2/4) and in accordance with Annexure 10 on Multilateral Trade-Agreement Negotiations of the Report of the First Session of the Preparatory Committee, the Brazilian Government reserves its rights to change the form of its tariff or to readjust the duty rates of its tariff to the extent that their protective incidence is not increased.

CHINESE DELEGATION TO THE PREPARATORY COMMITTEE OF THE
UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON TRADE AND EMPLOYMENT

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Oct 11, 1947

Dear Sir,

I have the honour to inform you
that the Tariff Negotiating Teams of
Brazil and China met and exchanged
their lists of offers this afternoon.

Enclosed herewith is a copy of
the list of China's offers to
Brazil, for which please send me
a receipt.

Yours faithfully,



(C. Y. Hsieh)
Secretary

China's Negotiating Team

Deputy Executive Secretary,
The Secretariat.

Enclosure

Offer of Tariff Concessions by China in Response
to the Requests of

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Concessions herein listed may be amended or withdrawn
by the Chinese Delegation in the course of negotiation

Tariff No.	Article	Present Rate	Proposed Rate	Offer
9	Cocoa			
	(a) Cocoa beans	35%	Free	30%
	(b) Others	35%	Free	30%
1	Coffee			
	(a) Coffee beans	35%	Free	30%
	(b) Others	35%	Free	30%

**DÉLÉGATION
DES ÉTATS-UNIS DU BRÉSIL**

Le Secrétaire Exécutif de la Délégation du Brésil présente ses compliments au Secrétaire Exécutif Adjoint de la Commission Préparatoire de la Conférence du Commerce et de l'Emploi et a l'honneur de lui remettre ci-inclus copie de la lettre adressé par le Chef de la Délégation du Brésil au Chef de la Délégation de Chine, concernant la liste finale des offres brésiliennes, dont deux copies sont aussi jointes.

L'accord entre les deux pays ayant été fait, la Délégation du Brésil considère définitivement achevées ses négociations bilatérales avec la Chine sur les concessions tarifaires.

• La Délégation du Brésil aimerait recevoir, aussitôt possible, en deux exemplaires, les traductions françaises de cette liste.

Genève, le 18 septembre 1947.

REVISED LIST OF TARIFF CONCESSIONS BY THE UNITED
STATES OF BRAZIL TO CHINA

TARIFF ITEM	COMMODITY DESCRIPTION	UNIT	PRESENT RATE OF DUTY	RATE OFFERED
	<u>Class II</u>			
	HAIR, FUR AND FEATHERS			
	Raw or prepared			
9	Bristles, goat, wild boar, pig and other swine	L. K.	10,92	2,70
	<u>Class IX</u>			
	PLANTS, LEAVES, FLOWERS, AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE, SEEDS, ROOTS, PEELS, RUTTER AND SPICES			
258	Barks and wood:			
258/1	Cinnamon (including cassia lignea)	G. K.	2,24	0,20
267	Tobacco:			
267/3	Leaf	G. K.	17,50	17,50
	<u>Class XV</u>			
	FLAX, JUTE, HEMP AND RAMIE			
	Manufactured wares			
511	Sheets, coverlets and coun- terpanes for beds, pillow- cases, towels, table-nap- kins, and similar articles of this item, only made of flax, in the form of fi- nished articles or to be cut out			
511/2	Embroidered or trimmed (in- cluding drawnthread and cross-stitches made by hand) - the same duties as the embroidered cloth used plus 10 %.			Reduction of 10 % on custom duties
	<u>Class XXIII</u>			
	METALLOIDS AND SUNDRY ME- TALS			
894	Antimony or regulus of an- timony in discs, ingots or lumps:			
894/1	For industrial and other purposes	L. K.	1,54	Free
894/2	For analysis or scientific use	L. K.	18,62	Free

Geneva, September 18th, 1947.

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Final Offer of Tariff Concessions by China in
Response to the Requests of
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(This List Supersedes all previous lists of
Tariff Concessions)

Tariff & Code No.	Description	Rate of Offer
309/10	Cocoa Beans	30%
311/11	Coffee Beans, Raw	30%

N.B. The Code Numbers herein given refer to those appearing in the Guide to the Import Tariff and Classification of Returns, Revised Edition, July, 1940.
