

6. (a) CANADA-DOMINICAN REPUBLIC TRADE AGREEMENT

A Trade Agreement between Canada and the Dominican Republic was signed by His Majesty's Minister to the Dominican Republic at Ciudad Trujillo on the 8th of March, 1940.

(b) Order in Council P.C. No. 1029, respecting Canada-Dominican Republic Trade Agreement, approved

AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE AT OTTAWA

THURSDAY, the 14th day of March, 1940.

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR IN COUNCIL

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for External Affairs, with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance, represents that a Trade Agreement between Canada and the Dominican Republic, providing for the reciprocal exchange of most-favoured-nation treatment in tariff matters as well as for concessions on specific Canadian products was signed at Ciudad Trujillo on March 8, 1940;

That the Trade Agreement provides that the concessions on specific Canadian products shall be extended as from date of signature of the agreement; and

That the Government of the Dominican Republic have agreed, pending ratification of the Trade Agreement, to apply provisionally the other provisions of the Trade Agreement on the basis of reciprocity;

Therefore His Excellency the Administrator in Council, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State for External Affairs, with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance and under authority of Sections 4 and 11 of the Customs Tariff, is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

1. Articles the growth, produce or manufacture of the Dominican Republic shall not, on importation into Canada, be subjected to higher duties or charges than those levied on the like articles the growth, produce or manufacture of any other foreign country.
2. In order to secure the advantages aforesaid, such articles shall be conveyed without transshipment from the Dominican Republic, or from a port of a country enjoying the benefits of the British Preferential or Intermediate Tariff, into a customs port of Canada.
3. This Order shall enter into force from the date of its publication in the *Canada Gazette*.

(Sgd) H. W. LOTHROP,

Acting Clerk of the Privy Council.