

MEMORANDUM

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MR. PICKERING:

On April the 25th, in reply to a question by Mr. Gordon Graydon, (Peel) Mr. Ilesley stated that any change in the Customs Act would have to be effected by amendment, <sup>x</sup> not merely by change in the regulations. Although the question was receiving some consideration, no change was contemplated.

The Commissioner of Customs today confirmed this statement *as being the present position.*

R. H. M.

May 16, 1938

*x - This ch. be done only by a public or part. bill - not by a private bill.*

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