I assent.

(L.S.)

ĊENSU TABONE
President

27th July, 1989

ACT No. XXII of 1989

AN ACT to amend the Revenue (Safeguard) Act (Cap. 62).

BE IT ENACTED by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the House of Representatives, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the Revenue (Safeguard) (Amendment) Act, 1989, and shall be read and construed as one with the Revenue (Safeguard) Act, hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

Cap. 62.

Substitution of section 2 of the principal Act.

2. Section 2 of the principal Act shall be substituted by the following:—

"New or increase of Customs duties etc.

2. (1) Whenever notice is given by a Minister to the Clerk of the House of Representatives of a bill having for its object the imposition of a new duty or the increase of an existing duty, such new duty or increase of duty shall be levied and collected by the Comptroller of Customs as from the day on which a Proclamation has been issued to the effect that notice as aforesaid has been given.

(2) For the purposes of this Act the term "duty" means and includes Customs duty, any charge leviable on goods on their importation into Malta and Excise duties.".

Amendment of section 3 of the principal Act.

3. In subsection (1) of section 3 of the principal Act for the words "four months" there shall be substituted the words "six months".

Addition of new section to the principal Act.

4. Immediately after section 4 of the principal Act there shall be added the following new section:

"Mode of collection of duty.

5. Where in any bill as is referred to in subsection (1) of section 2 of this Act a particular procedure is established for the collection of the duty, such duty shall, subject to the other provisions of this Act, be collected in accordance with the procedure established in such bill.".

Passed by the House of Representatives at Sitting No. 279 of the 26th July, 1989.

LAWRENCE GONZI
Speaker

P. MUSCAT TERRIBILE
Clerk to the House of Representatives

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