

**[ EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 436, October 15, 1974 ]**

**MODIFYING THE RATES OF IMPORT DUTY ON CERTAIN IMPORTED ARTICLES AS PROVIDED UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 1937, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE TARIFF AND CUSTOMS CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES, AS AMENDED**

WHEREAS, it is the government policy to accelerate the sports program and the development of sports in the country;

WHEREFORE, pursuant to the powers vested in me by Section 401 of Republic Act No. 1937, as amended, I, FERDINAND E. MARCOS, President of the Philippines, do hereby direct and order:

SECTION 1. The articles specifically listed hereunder are classified under Section 104 of Republic Act No. 1937 shall pay the following rates of import duty:

Tariff Heading No.	Description of Articles	Rate of Duty
84.25	Harvesting and threshing machinery; straw and fodder presses; hay or grassmowers; winnowing and similar cleaning machines for seed, grain or leguminous vegetables and egg-grading and other grading machines for agricultural produce (other than those of a kind used in the bread grain milling industry falling within Heading No. 84.29)	
	A. Articles not included in subheading B & C hereof . . . . .	Ad. Val. 10%
	B. Lawn mowers (not agricultural) . . . . .	Ad. Val. 50%
	C. Golf Course Equipment: Greenmowers – reel or rotary type, self-propelled, with or without rider, with a minimum of 20 inches width or diameter; Gangmowers – for cutting fairways or rough areas, either tractor pulled or with mowing units ahead of tractor wheels; Sod Cutters – for cutting strips of fairways grass or greens; Top Dressers – for top dressing and fertilizing of greens and fairways, whether pulled or tractor mounted; Aerifying Machines – for vertical mowing detaching, aerifying, spiking, renovating whether self-propelled or tractor pulled;	