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EXPORTS OF WOOL FROM AUSTRALIA DURING THE FOUR MONTHS ENDED OCTOBER, 1951

The following statement shows the actual shipment of wool during the four months ended October, 1950 and October, 1951; the particulars do not necessarily bear any relation to the production or sales of wool in Australia during the same periods.

EXPORTS OF WOOL OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCEWOOL - CREASY

| Particulars                     | Four Months ended October |                  |          |                  |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|----------|------------------|
|                                 | 1950                      |                  | 1951     |                  |
|                                 | '000 lb.                  | £A'000<br>f.o.b. | '000 lb. | £A'000<br>f.o.b. |
| <u>Countries of Destination</u> |                           |                  |          |                  |
| United Kingdom                  | 58,624                    | 24,410           | 39,017   | 13,807           |
| Canada                          | 426                       | 174              | 237      | 91               |
| India                           | 259                       | 99               | 905      | 677              |
| Ireland, Republic of            | 69                        | 33               | 44       | 19               |
| New Zealand                     | 190                       | 56               | 94       | 78               |
| Union of South Africa           | 258                       | 77               | 171      | 77               |
| Other British Countries         | 80                        | 17               | 11       | 4                |
| Austria                         | 195                       | 100              | 103      | 31               |
| Belgium                         | 32,088                    | 9,724            | 13,941   | 3,387            |
| Brazil                          | 499                       | 230              | 18       | 15               |
| Chile                           | 171                       | 63               | -        | -                |
| Czechoslovakia                  | 99                        | 49               | 103      | 54               |
| France                          | 39,110                    | 17,111           | 32,269   | 9,852            |
| Germany, Western Zones          | 13,178                    | 6,132            | 4,725    | 2,128            |
| Hungary                         | 220                       | 96               | -        | -                |
| Italy                           | 12,134                    | 3,984            | 18,145   | 5,689            |
| Japan                           | 13,242                    | 6,082            | 13,211   | 5,535            |
| Mexico                          | 1,081                     | 391              | 1,402    | 699              |
| Netherlands                     | 2,042                     | 1,093            | 519      | 231              |
| Poland                          | 5,003                     | 2,453            | 5,555    | 3,044            |
| Soviet Union -                  |                           |                  |          |                  |
| Black Sea Ports                 | 1,893                     | 858              | -        | -                |
| Pacific Coast Ports             | 2,164                     | 987              | -        | -                |
| Spain                           | 344                       | 132              | 305      | 86               |
| Sweden                          | 1,618                     | 837              | 125      | 69               |
| Switzerland                     | 974                       | 436              | 850      | 376              |
| United States of America        | 25,513                    | 12,143           | 33,984   | 13,576           |
| Yugoslavia                      | 393                       | 212              | 1,421    | 601              |
| Other Foreign Countries         | 243                       | 92               | 1,113    | 406              |
| <u>States of Final Shipment</u> |                           |                  |          |                  |
| New South Wales                 | 84,542                    | 33,124           | 68,276   | 24,341           |
| Victoria                        | 36,112                    | 15,437           | 26,041   | 9,602            |
| Queensland                      | 42,957                    | 18,120           | 37,735   | 14,335           |
| South Australia                 | 27,788                    | 11,823           | 18,941   | 6,138            |
| Western Australia               | 20,484                    | 9,493            | 17,183   | 6,084            |
| Tasmania                        | 227                       | 74               | 92       | 34               |
| <u>TOTAL:</u>                   | 212,110                   | 88,071           | 168,268  | 60,534           |

EXPORTS OF WOOL OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE

WOOL - GREASY (Continued)

| Particulars                      | Four Months ended October |                |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------|
|                                  | 1950                      | 1951           |
|                                  | Bales                     | Bales          |
| <u>Predominant Quality Group</u> |                           |                |
| Counts -                         |                           |                |
| 70's and finer                   | 11,190                    | 12,378         |
| 60's to 64 - 70's                | 510,404                   | 427,124        |
| 56's to 58 - 60's                | 148,216                   | 98,677         |
| 56's to 50's and down            | 19,280                    | 9,685          |
| <b>TOTAL:</b>                    | <b>689,090</b>            | <b>547,864</b> |

WOOL, SCOURED AND WASHED

| Particulars                      | Four months ended October |                  |               |                  |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|---------------|------------------|
|                                  | 1950                      |                  | 1951          |                  |
|                                  | '000 lb.                  | £A'000<br>f.o.b. | '000 lb.      | £A'000<br>f.o.b. |
| <u>Countries of Destination</u>  |                           |                  |               |                  |
| United Kingdom                   | 14,341                    | 6,729            | 4,788         | 2,905            |
| Canada                           | 1,343                     | 461              | 410           | 385              |
| Hong Kong                        | 35                        | 38               | 55            | 41               |
| India                            | 127                       | 41               | 46            | 52               |
| Other British Countries          | 184                       | 69               | 30            | 19               |
| Belgium                          | 2,206                     | 993              | 750           | 383              |
| China                            | 30                        | 18               | -             | -                |
| Denmark                          | 458                       | 226              | 154           | 94               |
| Egypt                            | 17                        | 9                | 77            | 76               |
| France                           | 2,435                     | 1,170            | 1,806         | 803              |
| Germany, Western Zones           | 835                       | 411              | 538           | 374              |
| Greece                           | 743                       | 303              | 66            | 44               |
| Italy                            | 1,910                     | 703              | 768           | 339              |
| Japan                            | 1,753                     | 857              | 145           | 106              |
| Mexico                           | 58                        | 25               | 39            | 42               |
| Netherlands                      | 406                       | 201              | 223           | 95               |
| Norway                           | 136                       | 65               | 21            | 11               |
| Sweden                           | 876                       | 344              | 303           | 198              |
| Switzerland                      | 71                        | 43               | 135           | 79               |
| Turkey                           | 154                       | 76               | 88            | 63               |
| United States of America         | 7,040                     | 2,773            | 6,556         | 4,567            |
| Other Foreign Countries          | 236                       | 133              | 539           | 324              |
| <u>States of Final Shipment</u>  |                           |                  |               |                  |
| New South Wales                  | 15,394                    | 7,171            | 5,036         | 2,979            |
| Victoria                         | 8,808                     | 3,431            | 4,335         | 2,928            |
| Queensland                       | 4,154                     | 2,011            | 3,722         | 2,639            |
| South Australia                  | 3,533                     | 1,451            | 1,915         | 1,053            |
| Western Australia                | 3,459                     | 1,604            | 2,504         | 1,384            |
| Tasmania                         | 46                        | 20               | 25            | 17               |
| <b>TOTAL:</b>                    | <b>35,394</b>             | <b>15,688</b>    | <b>17,537</b> | <b>11,000</b>    |
| <u>Predominant Quality Group</u> | <u>Bales</u>              |                  | <u>Bales</u>  |                  |
| Counts -                         |                           |                  |               |                  |
| 70's and finer                   | 4,844                     |                  | 6,804         |                  |
| 60's to 64 - 70's                | 77,916                    |                  | 44,679        |                  |
| 56's to 58 - 60's                | 57,956                    |                  | 20,021        |                  |
| 56's to 50's and down            | 15,124                    |                  | 4,740         |                  |
| <b>TOTAL:</b>                    | <b>155,840</b>            |                  | <b>76,244</b> |                  |

EXPORTS OF WOOL OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE

WOOL - CARBONIZED

| Particulars                      | Four Months ended October |                  |          |                  |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|----------|------------------|
|                                  | 1950                      |                  | 1951     |                  |
|                                  | '000 lb.                  | £A'000<br>f.o.b. | '000 lb. | £A'000<br>f.o.b. |
| <u>Countries of Destination</u>  |                           |                  |          |                  |
| United Kingdom                   | 4,352                     | 2,022            | 895      | 445              |
| Canada                           | 1,176                     | 458              | 500      | 353              |
| India                            | 139                       | 79               | 212      | 196              |
| Other British Countries          | 57                        | 23               | 68       | 36               |
| Belgium                          | 472                       | 194              | 483      | 244              |
| Denmark                          | 186                       | 78               | 40       | 29               |
| Egypt                            | 40                        | 19               | -        | -                |
| France                           | 444                       | 170              | 163      | 95               |
| Germany, Western Zones           | 250                       | 111              | 198      | 102              |
| Greece                           | 502                       | 219              | 137      | 105              |
| Italy                            | 829                       | 292              | 487      | 244              |
| Japan                            | 903                       | 435              | 315      | 287              |
| Netherlands                      | 477                       | 211              | 68       | 43               |
| Norway                           | 93                        | 38               | 11       | 7                |
| Sweden                           | 609                       | 228              | 156      | 83               |
| Switzerland                      | 61                        | 25               | 23       | 15               |
| Turkey                           | 95                        | 40               | 95       | 75               |
| United States of America         | 549                       | 236              | 362      | 221              |
| Other Foreign Countries          | 33                        | 14               | 70       | 53               |
| <u>States of Final Shipment</u>  |                           |                  |          |                  |
| New South Wales                  | 2,981                     | 1,302            | 1,349    | 939              |
| Victoria                         | 3,483                     | 1,520            | 1,855    | 1,106            |
| Queensland                       | 339                       | 146              | 125      | 82               |
| South Australia                  | 2,260                     | 831              | 924      | 483              |
| Tasmania                         | 2,204                     | 1,093            | 30       | 23               |
| <b>TOTAL:</b>                    | 11,267                    | 4,892            | 4,283    | 2,633            |
| <u>Predominant Quality Group</u> |                           |                  |          |                  |
| Counts -                         |                           |                  |          |                  |
| 70's and finer                   |                           | 318              |          | -                |
| 60's to 64 - 70's                |                           | 25,326           |          | 9,671            |
| 56's to 58 - 60's                |                           | 21,884           |          | 8,358            |
| 56's to 50's and down            |                           | 3,701            |          | 1,434            |
| <b>TOTAL:</b>                    |                           | 51,229           |          | 19,463           |

WOOL NOILS (CARBONIZED AND NOT CARBONIZED)

| Particulars                     | Four Months ended October |                  |          |                  |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|----------|------------------|
|                                 | 1950                      |                  | 1951     |                  |
|                                 | '000 lb.                  | £A'000<br>f.o.b. | '000 lb. | £A'000<br>f.o.b. |
| <u>Countries of Destination</u> |                           |                  |          |                  |
| United Kingdom                  | 116                       | 37               | 46       | 25               |
| Canada                          | 75                        | 27               | -        | -                |
| Hong Kong                       | 7                         | 3                | 13       | 9                |
| Other British Countries         | 2                         | 1                | 74       | 106              |
| Japan                           | 273                       | 152              | 11       | 5                |
| United States of America        | 779                       | 312              | 596      | 259              |
| Other Foreign Countries         | 11                        | 4                | 29       | 30               |
| <u>States of Final Shipment</u> |                           |                  |          |                  |
| New South Wales                 | 244                       | 111              | 255      | 198              |
| Victoria                        | 713                       | 304              | 449      | 199              |
| South Australia                 | 182                       | 71               | 45       | 25               |
| Western Australia               | 51                        | 22               | 12       | 9                |
| Tasmania                        | 73                        | 28               | 8        | 3                |
| <b>TOTAL:</b>                   | 1,263                     | 536              | 769      | 434              |

EXPORTS OF WOOL OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE  
WOOL NOILS (CARBONIZED AND NOT CARBONIZED) (Continued)

| Particulars                      | Four Months ended October |       |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|-------|
|                                  | 1950                      | 1951  |
|                                  | Bales                     | Bales |
| <u>Predominant Quality Group</u> |                           |       |
| Counts -                         |                           |       |
| 70's and finer                   | 505                       | 169   |
| 60's to 64 - 70's                | 4,146                     | 2,878 |
| 56's to 58 - 60's                | 886                       | 134   |
| 56's to 50's and down            | 187                       | 65    |
| <u>TOTAL:</u>                    | 5,724                     | 3,246 |

WOOL TOPS

| Particulars                     | Four Months ended October |                  |          |                  |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|----------|------------------|
|                                 | 1950                      |                  | 1951     |                  |
|                                 | '000 lb.                  | £A'000<br>f.o.b. | '000 lb. | £A'000<br>f.o.b. |
| <u>Countries of Destination</u> |                           |                  |          |                  |
| United Kingdom                  | 163                       | 110              | -        | -                |
| Canada                          | 175                       | 128              | 5        | 4                |
| Hong Kong                       | 20                        | 12               | 137      | 61               |
| Other British Countries         | 146                       | 117              | 170      | 248              |
| Belgium                         | 15                        | 12               | -        | -                |
| Greece                          | 215                       | 151              | -        | -                |
| Japan                           | 15                        | 14               | 59       | 61               |
| Mexico                          | -                         | -                | -        | -                |
| United States of America        | 53                        | 31               | -        | -                |
| Other Foreign Countries         | 251                       | 140              | 105      | 87               |
| <u>TOTAL:</u>                   | 1,053                     | 715              | 476      | 461              |

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| <u>States of Final Shipment</u>  | Not available for publication. |  |              |  |
| <u>Predominant Quality Group</u> | <u>Bales</u>                   |  | <u>Bales</u> |  |
| Counts -                         |                                |  |              |  |
| 70's and finer                   | 93                             |  | -            |  |
| 60's to 64 - 70's                | 1,444                          |  | 736          |  |
| 56's to 58 - 60's                | 1,015                          |  | 326          |  |
| 56's to 50's and down            | 196                            |  | 162          |  |
| <u>TOTAL:</u>                    | 2,748                          |  | 1,224        |  |

WOOL WASTE

| Particulars                     | Four Months ended October |                  |          |                  |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|----------|------------------|
|                                 | 1950                      |                  | 1951     |                  |
|                                 | '000 lb.                  | £A'000<br>f.o.b. | '000 lb. | £A'000<br>f.o.b. |
| <u>Countries of Destination</u> |                           |                  |          |                  |
| United Kingdom                  | 387                       | 122              | 177      | 57               |
| Canada                          | 109                       | 27               | 28       | 13               |
| Other British Countries         | 6                         | 2                | 16       | 10               |
| Belgium                         | 172                       | 22               | 59       | 17               |
| Denmark                         | 338                       | 77               | 193      | 46               |
| Italy                           | 529                       | 59               | 530      | 83               |
| Japan                           | 131                       | 72               | 35       | 16               |
| United States of America        | 880                       | 238              | 351      | 117              |
| Other Foreign Countries         | 68                        | 12               | 42       | 15               |
| <u>States of Final Shipment</u> |                           |                  |          |                  |
| New South Wales                 | 1,146                     | 273              | 462      | 116              |
| Victoria                        | 1,277                     | 309              | 907      | 251              |
| South Australia                 | 156                       | 36               | 59       | 6                |
| Western Australia               | 11                        | 1                | -        | -                |
| Tasmania                        | 30                        | 12               | 3        | 1                |
| <u>TOTAL:</u>                   | 2,620                     | 631              | 1,431    | 374              |
| Total Number of Bales           | 9,169                     |                  | 4,481    |                  |