

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
San Francisco Division

HONORABLE JUDGE PATRICIA MARTINEZ  
PRESIDING

**JOHNSON ELECTRONICS CORPORATION** Case No. a760621e-68c4-4e17-bb9e-51f42a760e49  
Plaintiff, Filed: September 06, 2025

v.

**TECHVISION INDUSTRIES INC.** Document #e49  
Defendant. Verdict Date: September 06, 2025

■ Case Title

The Silver Rupee Smuggler

■ SCENARIO

U Myo, an antiques and curios dealer, is stopped by customs officials at Yangon International Airport upon his return from a sourcing trip in Bangkok, Thailand. During a search of his luggage, officials discover a hidden compartment containing 200 silver-colored coins appearing to be valuable British Indian one-rupee coins from the colonial era. A preliminary test indicates the coins are not genuine silver. A subsequent forensic analysis confirms they are high-quality counterfeits made of a lead-tin alloy with silver plating. The prosecution alleges that U Myo, as an experienced dealer, knew the coins were counterfeit and intentionally imported them.

■ APPLICABLE LAW

None

## ■ COURT'S REASONING

Given the following scenario: U Myo, an antiques and curios dealer, is stopped by customs officials at Yangon International Airport upon his return from a sourcing trip in Bangkok, Thailand. During a search of his luggage, officials discover a hidden compartment containing 200 silver-colored coins appearing to be valuable British Indian one-rupee coins from the colonial era. A preliminary test indicates the coins are not genuine silver. A subsequent forensic analysis confirms they are high-quality counterfeits made of a lead-tin alloy with silver plating. The prosecution alleges that U Myo, as an experienced dealer, knew the coins were counterfeit and intentionally imported them. And the following relevant laws: No applicable laws found. Provide a structured legal analysis discussing: - Which legal elements are satisfied - Which defenses may apply - The likely outcome

## ■ DECISION

Defendant acquitted.