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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

Imports and Exports Control Act, No. 1 of 1969

IN terms of the powers vested in me by Section 20 read together with Sub-Section 4(1), Section 6 and Section 14 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, No. 1 of 1969 as amended by Act, No. 48 of 1985 and Act, No. 28 of 1987, I, Ranil Wickremesinghe, the Minister of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies, promulgate following Regulations.

RANIL WICKREMESINGHE,
Minister of Finance, Economic
Stabilization and National Policies.

Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies,
Colombo 01,
August 22, 2022.

REGULATIONS

1. These Regulations may be cited as the “**Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 12 of 2022**”.
2. The Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 10 of 2021, published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2231/18 dated June 11, 2021 is hereby amended.



- (i) The following provision is hereby inserted immediately after the Regulation No. 8 (c) of the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 10 of 2021 referred above.

“(d) Importation of tiles / stones, categorized under HS Headings of 25.15, 25.16, 68.02, 68.10 69.05, 69.07 and 69.14 listed out in the Schedule I of this Gazette, for the purpose of direct usage, **not for any forms of direct or indirect sale purposes**, of any approved condominium or approved mix development projects or approved hotel projects or Government Projects (Consignee), which are not coming under the purview of the Board of Investment of Sri Lanka and under construction / renovation at the stage of laying of tiles or stones for completion of such condominium or mix development or hotel projects or Government projects may be allowed by the Controller General of Imports and Exports subject to the limit of quantities of tiles or stones as certified in the bill of quantities (BOQ) of such projects; under the Letter of Credit (LC) Document Against Acceptance (DA) payment terms with a minimum of 180 days credit facility, on recommendation of the Secretary to the Treasury and approval of the Minister in charge of subject of Finance, case by case basis.”

- (ii) Notwithstanding the Regulation No. 8 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 10 of 2021, referred above, importation of construction vehicles by the Government Funded Project Entity for the purpose of direct use of such Projects may be allowed by the Controller General of Imports and Exports on the recommendation of the Secretary to the Treasury.
- (iii) Goods described below together with their corresponding entries *shall be deleted* from the **Schedule I** of the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 10 of 2021, referred above.

	Column I HS Heading	Column II HS Code		Column III Description	Column IV Temporary Suspension (TS)
55	87.11			Motorcycles (including mopeds) and cycles fitted with an auxiliary motor, with or without side- cars; side-cars.	
		8711.60.00	-	With electric motor for propulsion:	
		8711.60.10	---	Not more than three years old (except motorcycles which are used for disable mobility)	TS
56	87.12			Bicycles and other cycles (including delivery tricycles), not motorized:	
		8712.00.90	---	Other (except Sports and Racing Bicycles)	TS

- (iv) Description mentioned in the Column III of the Goods categorized under the HS Codes of 2206.00.99 and 3923.10.90 in the **Schedule I** of the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 10 of 2021, referred above, shall be amended and read as follows.

	Column I HS Heading	Column II HS Code		Column III Description	Column IV Temporary Suspension (TS)
29	22.06			Other fermented beverages (for example, cider, perry, mead, sake); mixtures of fermented beverages and mixtures of fermented beverages and nonalcoholic beverages, not elsewhere specified or included.	
		2206.00.90	---	Other	
		2206.00.99	----	Other (Except Sake, Sochu and Umeshu)	TS
36	39.23			Articles for the conveyance or packing of goods, of plastics; stoppers, lids, caps and other closures, of plastics	
		3923.10.00	-	Boxes, cases, crates and similar articles	
		3923.10.90	---	Other (Except Plastic Crates and Plastic Pallets)	TS

3. (i) Goods described below together with their corresponding entries *shall be inserted* to the **Schedule I** of the Special Imports License Regulations, published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2044/40 dated November 09, 2017, as amended.

	Column I HS Heading	Column II HS Code		Column III Description	Column IV Import Control License (ICL)
372	87.11			Motorcycles (including mopeds) and cycles fitted with an auxiliary motor, with or without side- cars; side-cars.	
		8711.60.00	-	With electric motor for propulsion:	
		8711.60.10	---	Not more than three years old	L
373	87.12			Bicycles and other cycles (including delivery tricycles), not motorized:	
		8712.00.90	---	Other	L

- (ii) Importation of goods referred in Regulation No. 3 (i) above shall be permitted under Letter of Credit (LC) or Document against Acceptance (DA) payment terms subject to a minimum of 180 days credit facility.

4. Import Control License fee, which shall be payable on the following categories of goods, shall be inserted into the **Schedule I** of the Special Imports and Exports Control License fee, published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1953/28 dated February 11, 2016, as amended.

Serial No.	Goods	Import Control License Fee/ Per Unit (Rs.)
85	Electric motorcycles	4,000.00
86	Bicycles	1,000.00

5. The Import Control Regulations on Payment Terms No. 07 of 2022, published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2278/21 dated May 06, 2022 as amended, is hereby further amended.

- (i) Request for approval of a government entity or development projects approved by the Board of Investment of Sri Lanka or development projects awarded by any Government entities exclusively for the purpose of direct usage may be considered for approval under the Imports Control Regulations on Payment Terms No.07 of 2022, as amended, by the Controller General of Imports and Exports subject to recommendation of the Secretary to the Treasury, case by case basis.
- (ii) Goods described below together with their corresponding entries *shall be deleted* from the **Schedule I** of the Import Control Regulations on Payment Terms No. 10 of 2022, published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2285/19 dated June 24, 2022.

	Column I HS Heading	Column II HS Code		Column III Description	Column IV Open Account / Consignment Account Permitted (OAP)
9	17.01			Cane or beet sugar and chemically pure sucrose, in solid form (+).	
		1701.99.00	-	Other:	
		1701.99.10	---	Cane sugar having polarimeter reading of more than or equal to 99.70 (ICUMSA value <=60)	OAP

- (iii) Goods described below together with their corresponding entries *shall be inserted* to the **Schedule I** of the Import Control Regulations on Payment Terms No. 10 of 2022, published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2285/19 dated June 24, 2022.

	Column I HS Heading	Column II HS Code		Column III Description	Column IV Open Account / Consignment Ac- count Permitted (OAP)
9	17.01			Cane or beet sugar and chemically pure sucrose, in solid form (+).	
		1701.99.00	-	Other :	
		1701.99.20	---	Cane sugar having polarimeter reading of more than or equal to 99.50 and less than 99.70 (60 < ICUMSA value <=200)	OAP