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Operating Instructions 01/2020

Director General
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The CEOs of all Commercial Banks

Dear Sir/ Madam


Measures to alleviate pressure on Exchange Rate

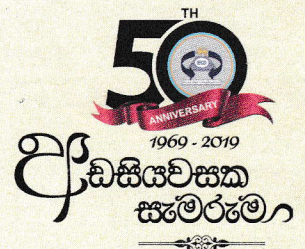
Following Operating Instructions have been issued under the power vested in Imports and Exports Control Act No 1 of 1969 and in terms of regulations No 20 of Extraordinary Gazette Notification 1739/3 dated January 02, 2012.

Due to the prevailing situation of COVID-19 outbreak, this Department executes an implementation to control on Non-essential import goods in order to alleviate the pressure on exchange rate and the stress on financial markets.

Thereby, Sri Lanka Customs and Commercial Banks are obliged to suspend the facilitation of importation of Non-essential goods stipulated with the symbol of **Temporary Suspension (TS)** in Annex A under the payment term relating to Letter of Credit, Documents against Acceptance, Documents against Payment, Open Account and Advanced Payment, or a combination of these, until June 23, 2020.

These instructions shall be implemented with immediate effect.


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Controller General of Imports and Exports



Annex A

	HS Hdg	HS Code		Description	Temporary Suspension (TS)
1	39.18			Floor coverings of plastics, whether or not self-adhesive, in rolls or in the form of tiles; wall or ceiling coverings of plastics, as defined in Note 9 to this Chapter.	
		3918.10.00	-	Of polymers of vinyl chloride	TS
		3918.90.00	-	Of other plastics	TS
2	39.22			Baths, shower-baths, sinks, wash-basins, bidets, lavatory pans, seats and covers, flushing cisterns and similar sanitary ware, of plastics.	
		3922.10.00	-	Baths, shower-baths, sinks and wash-basins	TS
		3922.20.00	-	Lavatory seats and covers	TS
		3922.90.00	-	Other :	
		3922.90.10	---	Waterless urinals using 'Key Valves'	TS
		3922.90.90	---	Other	TS
3	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 :	
		3923.10.10	---	Containers imported for the packing of gems and jewellery	TS
		3923.10.20	---	Plastic cages for the transport of live poultry	TS
		3923.10.30	---	Plastic crates of a kind used for the transport of fruits and vegetables	TS
		3923.10.40	---	Polystyrene Boxes, Disposable	TS

		3923.10.50	---	Of bio- degradable and compostable plastic approved by the Central Environment Authority and the SLSI	TS
		3923.10.90	---	Other	TS
			-	Sacks and bags (including cones) :	
		3923.21.00	--	Of polymers of ethylene :	
		3923.21.10	---	Made of sheeting with thickness of 40 microns and below	TS
		3923.21.20	---	Other, heat shrinkable bags, printed for packing of poultry products	TS
		3923.21.90	---	Other	TS
		3923.29.00	--	Of other plastics :	
		3923.29.10	---	Made of sheeting with thickness of 40 microns and below	TS
		3923.29.20	---	Other, heat shrinkable bags, printed for packing of poultry products	TS
		3923.29.30	---	Of bio- degradable and compostable plastic approved by the Central Environment Authority and the SLSI	TS
		3923.29.90	---	Other	TS
		3923.30.00	-	Carboys, bottles, flasks and similar articles :	
		3923.30.10	---	Bottles blanks for blowing up in to bottles	TS
		3923.30.20	---	Bottles of a capacity not exceeding 300 ml	TS
		3923.30.90	---	Other	TS
4	39.24			Tableware, kitchenware, other household articles and hygienic or toilet articles, of plastics.	
		3924.10.00	-	Tableware and kitchenware :	
		3924.10.10	---	Of bio- degradable and compostable plastic approved by the Central Environment Authority and the SLSI	TS
		3924.10.90	---	Of other plastic	TS
		3924.90.00	-	Other :	
		3924.90.10	---	Teats for feeding bottles	TS
		3924.90.90	---	Other	TS

5	39.25		Builders' ware of plastics, not elsewhere specified or included (+).		
		3925.20.00	-	Doors, windows and their frames and thresholds for doors	TS
		3925.30.00	-	Shutters, blinds (including Venetian blinds) and similar articles and parts thereof	TS
6	39.26		Other articles of plastics and articles of other materials of headings 39.01 to 39.14.		
		3926.10.00	-	Office or school supplies :	
		3926.10.90	---	Other	TS
		3926.30.00	-	Fittings for furniture, coachwork or the like	TS
		3926.40.00	-	Statuettes and other ornamental articles	TS
		3926.90.00	-	Other :	
		3926.90.60	---	Handles for toothbrushes	TS
		3926.90.70	---	Plastic beads	TS
			---	Other	
		3926.90.91	----	Paddy Planting Trays	TS
		3926.90.99	----	Other	TS
7	94.01		Seats (other than those of heading 94.02), whether or not convertible into beds, and parts thereof (+).		
		9401.10.00	-	Seats of a kind used for aircraft :	
		9401.10.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.10.90	---	Other	TS
		9401.20.00	-	Seats of a kind used for motor vehicles :	
		9401.20.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.20.90	---	Other	TS
		9401.30.00	-	Swivel seats with variable height adjustment :	
		9401.30.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.30.90	---	Other	TS
		9401.40.00	-	Seats other than garden seats or camping equipment, convertible into beds :	
		9401.40.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.40.90	---	Other	TS
			-	Seats of cane, osier, bamboo or similar materials :	
		9401.52.00	--	Of bamboo:	
		9401.52.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.52.90	---	Other	TS

		9401.53.00	--	Of rattan :	
		9401.53.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.53.90	---	Other	TS
		9401.59.00	--	Other :	
		9401.59.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.59.90	---	Other	TS
			-	Other seats, with wooden frames :	
		9401.61.00	--	Upholstered :	
		9401.61.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.61.90	---	Other	TS
		9401.69.00	--	Other :	
		9401.69.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.69.90	---	Other	TS
			-	Other seats, with metal frames :	
		9401.71.00	--	Upholstered :	
		9401.71.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.71.90	---	Other	TS
		9401.79.00	--	Other :	
		9401.79.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.79.90	---	Other	TS
		9401.80.00	-	Other seats :	
		9401.80.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.80.90	---	Other	TS
		9401.90.00	-	Parts :	
		9401.90.10	---	Used	TS
		9401.90.90	---	Other	TS
8	94.03			Other furniture and parts thereof	
		9403.10.00	-	Metal furniture of a kind used in offices :	
		9403.10.10	---	Used	TS
		9403.10.90	---	Other	TS
		9403.20.00	-	Other metal furniture :	
		9403.20.10	---	Used	TS
		9403.20.90	---	Other	TS
		9403.30.00	-	Wooden furniture of a kind used in offices :	
		9403.30.10	---	Used	TS
		9403.30.90	---	Other	TS
		9403.40.00	-	Wooden furniture of a kind used in the kitchen :	
		9403.40.10	---	Used	TS
		9403.40.90	---	Other	TS
		9403.50.00	-	Wooden furniture of a kind used in the bedroom :	
		9403.50.10	---	Used	TS

		9403.50.90	---	Other	TS
		9403.60.00	-	Other wooden furniture :	
		9403.60.10	---	Used	TS
		9403.60.90	---	Other	TS
		9403.70.00	-	Furniture of plastics :	
		9403.70.10	---	Used	TS
		9403.70.90	---	Other	TS
			-	Furniture of other materials, including cane, osier, bamboo or similar materials :	
		9403.82.00	--	Of Bamboo :	
		9403.82.10	---	Used	TS
		9403.82.90	---	Other	TS
		9403.83.00	--	Of rattan :	
		9403.83.10	---	Used	TS
		9403.83.90	---	Other	TS
		9403.89.00	--	Other :	
		9403.89.10	---	Used	TS
		9403.89.90	---	Other	TS
		9403.90.00	-	Parts :	
		9403.90.10	---	Used	TS
		9403.90.90	---	Other	TS
9	94.04			Mattress supports; articles of bedding and similar furnishing (for example, mattresses, quilts, eiderdowns, cushions, pouffes and pillows) fitted with springs or stuffed or internally fitted with any material or of cellular rubber or plastics, whether or not covered.	
		9404.10.00	-	Mattress supports :	
		9404.10.10	---	Used	TS
		9404.10.90	---	Other	TS
			-	Mattresses :	
		9404.21.00	--	Of cellular rubber or plastics, whether or not covered :	
		9404.21.10	---	Used	TS
		9404.21.90	---	Other	TS
		9404.29.00	--	Of other materials :	
		9404.29.10	---	Unused rubberised coir pads, below 60 mm in thickness	TS
		9404.29.20	---	Unused coir pads or mattress for bedding, above 60 mm in thickness	TS
		9404.29.30	---	Used	TS
		9404.29.90	---	Other	TS

		9404.30.00	-	Sleeping bags :	
		9404.30.10	---	Used	TS
		9404.30.90	---	Other	TS
		9404.90.00	-	Other :	
		9404.90.10	---	Used	TS
		9404.90.90	---	Other	TS
10	95.03			Tricycles, scooters, pedal cars and similar wheeled toys; dolls' carriages; dolls; other toys; reduced size ("scale") models and similar recreational models, working or not; puzzles of all kinds.	
		9503.00.10	---	Tricycles, scooters, pedal cars and similar wheeled toys; dolls' carriages	TS
		9503.00.20	---	Dolls, remote controlled	TS
		9503.00.30	---	Other dolls	TS
		9503.00.40	---	Remote controlled stuffed toys representing animals or non-human creatures	TS
		9503.00.50	---	Other stuffed toys representing animals or non-human creatures	TS
		9503.00.60	---	Remote controlled electric trains, including tracks, signals and other accessories thereof; reduced-size ("scale") model assembly kits, whether or not working models; construction sets and constructional toys; toy musical instruments and apparatus; puzzles; toys, put up in sets or outfits; toys and models, incorporating a motor	TS
		9503.00.70	---	Other electric trains, including tracks, signals and other accessories therefor; reduced-size ("scale") model assembly kits, whether or not working models; construction sets and constructional toys; toy musical instruments and apparatus; puzzles; toys, put up in sets or outfits; toys and models, incorporating a motor	TS
		9503.00.80	---	Other, remote controlled	TS
		9503.00.90	---	Other (Kites)	TS