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Government Notifications

EXCISE ORDINANCE

Excise Notification No. 947

EXCISE DUTY ON LIQUORS OTHER THAN TODDY OR ANY LIQUOR MADE FROM ANY CEREAL

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by subsection (1) of section 22 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52), as amended from time to time, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning do by this Order direct that, with effect from 30th March, 2012—

- (1) there shall be levied on Liquors (other than toddy or any liquor made from any cereal) containing more than 4 *per cent* (4%) by Volume, of alcohol manufactured by process other than distillation from natural products of the Palm Tree or any other plant, manufactured in Sri Lanka, a duty at the rate of Rupees Eight Hundred and Thirty Eight (Rs. 838.00) on every proof litre, provided that such duty shall not be levied or recovered on any quantity of the aforesaid liquor which is exported out of the Island ; and
- (2) the Excise Notification, No. 939 published in *Gazette Extraordinary*, No. 1728/12 of 19.10.2011 is hereby rescinded.

MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,
Colombo 01,
30th March, 2011.

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EXCISE ORDINANCE

Excise Notification No. 948

EXCISE DUTY ON MOLLASSES, PALMYRAH, COCONUT AND PROCESSED ARRACK

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by subsection (1) of section 22 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52), as amended from time to time, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning do by this Order direct that, with effect from 30th March, 2012 —

- (1) there shall be levied on Molasses, Palmyrah, Coconut and Processed Arrack manufactured in and issued from any licensed manufactory established in Sri Lanka, a duty at the rate of Rupees Nine Hundred and Eighty three (Rs. 983.00) per proof litre on Molasses, Palmyrah, Coconut and Processed Arrack provided that such duty shall not be levied or recovered on any quantity of the aforesaid liquor which is exported out of the Island ; and
- (2) the Excise Notification, No. 940 published in *Gazette Extraordinary*, No. 1728/12 of 19.10.2011 is hereby rescinded.

MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,
Colombo 01,
30th March, 2012.

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EXCISE ORDINANCE

Excise Notification No. 949

EXCISE DUTY ON COUNTRY MADE FOREIGN SPIRITS MANUFACTURED IN SRI LANKA

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by subsection (1) of section 22 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52), as amended from time to time, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning do by this Order direct that, with effect from 30th March, 2012 —

- (1) there shall be levied on Country made “Foreign” spirits manufactured in Sri Lanka, a duty at the rate of Rupees One Thousand One Hundred and Twenty Three (Rs. 1,123.00) on every proof litre provided that such duty shall not be levied or recovered on any quantity of the aforesaid “Foreign” spirits which is exported out of the Island ; and
- (2) the Excise Notification, No. 941 published in *Gazette Extraordinary*, No. 1728/12 of 19.10.2011 is hereby rescinded.

MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,
Colombo 01,
30th March, 2012.

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EXCISE ORDINANCE

Excise Notification No. 950

EXCISE DUTY ON MALT LIQUOR

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by subsection (1) of section 22 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52), as amended from time to time, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning do by this Order direct that, with effect from 30th March, 2012 —

- (1) there shall be imposed on Malt Liquor of less than Five *per centum* (5%) of absolute strength as indicated in the label, manufactured in and issued from any licensed brewery established in Sri Lanka, a duty at the rate of Rupees Ninety (Rs. 90.00) only on every litre so issued,
- (2) there shall be imposed on Malt Liquor of Five *per centum* (5%) and above of absolute strength as indicated in the label, manufactured in and issued from any licensed brewery established in Sri Lanka, a duty at the rate of Rupees One Hundred and Six (Rs. 106.00) only on every litre so issued,
- (3) the aforesaid duty shall not be levied or recovered on any quantity of such liquor which is issued from such brewery for the use of any Diplomatic Mission in Sri Lanka or any foreign country, if payment for such quantity of Liquor is made from the foreign account of such Diplomatic Mission ; and
- (4) the Excise Notification, No. 942 published in *Gazette Extraordinary*, No. 1728/12 of 19.10.2011 is hereby rescinded.

MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,
Colombo 01,
30th March, 2012.

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