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PART I.—GENERAL.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that under section 11 (a) of Ordinance No. 17 of 1869, the Legislative Council did, at its Session on July 21, 1926, pass the following resolution, and that the resolution has been duly sanctioned by His Excellency the Governor :—

That on and after July 22, 1926—

(1) From the Table of Import Duties in Schedule B of the Customs Ordinance, No. 17 of 1869, the following items shall be deleted :—

		Rs. c.
Coriander seed	per cwt.	0 75
Cummin seed	per cwt.	2 0
Fennel seed	per cwt.	1 25
Fish, dried or salted	per cwt.	0 75
Fish, Maldivé	per cwt.	2 0
Garlic	per cwt.	0 75
Mathe seed	per cwt.	0 60
Milk, refrigerated, condensed, sweetened or unsweetened, sterilized, or powdered	<i>ad val.</i> 7½ per cent.	
Tamarind	per cwt.	0 35
Turmeric	per cwt.	0 80

(2) From the item—

Paper for writing, printing, or accounting purposes, including envelopes, writing pads, exercise books in paper covers, printed forms and printed labels, and paper for lining tea boxes and for packing Ceylon produce for export, other than brown paper or old newspaper

... *ad val.* 2½ per cent.

in the Table of Import Duties in Schedule B of the Customs Ordinance, No. 17 of 1869, the words "exercise books in paper covers" shall be deleted.

(3) To the Table of Exemptions from payment of Import Duties in Schedule B of the Customs Ordinance No. 17 of 1869, the following items shall be added:—

Curry stuffs, viz.:—

Coriander seed.
Cummin seed.
Fennel seed.
Garlic.
Mathe seed.
Tamarind.
Turmeric.
Other.

Exercise books in paper covers.

Fish, dried or salted.

Fish, Maldivian.

Milk, including refrigerated, condensed, sweetened or unsweetened, sterilized, or powdered.

Milk foods.

(4) On the importation of the following articles there shall be imposed the Customs duties herein stated in lieu of the present duties:—

Jewellery and gold and silversmiths' wares, including gold and silver plate wire and thread, but not including electroplated ware

... *ad val.* 15 per cent.

Kerosine oil, as defined in section 2 of Ordinance No. 26 of 1916, except dangerous petroleum as defined in section 3 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1887

per gal. 0 15

Motor lorries, motor vans, motor omnibuses, tractors, and trailers and tramcars, including engines and chassis, and such component parts and accessories thereof not otherwise specified, as are

not also adapted for use as parts and accessories of motor cars, motor cycles, or motor scooters, excluding rubber tyres

... *ad val.* 12½ per cent.

Motor cars (not including motor lorries), motor cycles, and motor scooters, including engines and chassis for motor cars and cycles, magnetos, enclosed splash-proof accumulators for motor vehicles, parts and accessories, excluding rubber tyres

... *ad val.* 20 per cent.

Dangerous petroleum as defined in section 3 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1887 including any inflammable hydrocarbon (including any mixture of hydrocarbon and any liquid containing hydrocarbon) which is capable of being used for providing reasonably efficient motive power for a motor car

per gal. 0 30

Playing cards

ad val. 20 per cent.

Tobacco, manufactured

per lb. 4 50

Cigars

per lb. 4 50

Cigarettes and beedies

per lb. 6 0

Rubber tyres

ad val. 10 per cent.

(5) On the exportation of the following articles there shall be imposed the Customs duties herein stated in lieu of the present duties:—

Cacao per 100 lb. 1 0

Coconut, desiccated per cwt. 0 70

Coconuts, fresh per 1,000 2 0

Copra per cwt. 0 50

Poonac per cwt. 0 20

and on the exportation of rubber there shall be imposed a Customs duty of Re. 1.50 per 100 lb. in addition to the duty of Rs. 2.50 per 100 lb. specified in the schedule of export duties to the Customs Ordinance, No. 17 of 1869. Provided that the duty of Re. 1.50 shall not be leviable on rubber held by shippers otherwise than in their capacity as owners of estates or estate agents as at the day of 21st July, 1926, and paid for on or before that date.

It is further notified that the said resolution has been duly submitted to and sanctioned by the Secretary of State for the Colonies as required by section 11 (b) of the said Ordinance.

By His Excellency's command,

A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, July 21, 1926.