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### PART I: SECTION (I)—GENERAL

#### Government Notifications

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#### THE DEFENCE (CONTROL OF IMPORTS) REGULATIONS

ORDER made by the Minister of Commerce and Trade under regulation 4 of the Defence (Control of Imports) Regulations, which has the force of law by virtue of the Import and Export Control (Continuation) Act, No. 27 of 1950.

R. G. SENANAYAKE,  
Minister of Commerce and Trade.

Colombo, February 12, 1959.

#### Order

The Order made under regulation 4 of the Defence (Control of Imports) Regulations and published at page 2 of the Supplement to Gazette No. 8,855 of January 30, 1942 (as amended by any subsequent Order), is hereby further amended, in the Schedule thereto, as follows:—

(1) by the substitution, for items 95 and 96, of the following new items:—

“95. Piece goods (other than camboys, sarees, sarongs, bed linen and banian cloth) of cotton ... III .. I,

96. Piece goods (other than camboys, sarees, sarongs, bed linen and banian cloth) of cotton mixed with less than 50 per centum of other materials—Flannel, hair-cord, velveteen, corduroy, sateen, crepe, brocade, gaberdine, curtain and furnishing (fabrics), plush, serge, figured fabrics and pile fabrics ... III .. I”;

(2) by the insertion, immediately after item 96, of the following new item:—

“96A. Piece goods (other than camboys, sarees, sarongs, bed linen, banian cloth, flannel, hair-cord, velveteen, corduroy, sateen, crepe, brocade, gaberdine, curtain and furnishing (fabrics), plush, serge, figured fabrics and pile fabrics) of cotton mixed with less than 50 per centum of other materials ... III .. I”;

(3) by the substitution, for items 98 and 99, of the following new items:—

“98. Camboys, sarees, sarongs and bed linen, made of cotton ... III .. I,

99. Manufactures of cotton other than piece goods, banian cloth, bed linen, cotton thread and sanitary towels ... III .. I”;

(4) by the substitution for items 102, 102AA and 102BB, of the following new items:—

“102. Manufactures of artificial silk or synthetic-fibre including any admixtures thereof, other than piece goods, banian cloth, bed linen, apparel, handkerchiefs, mufflers and scarves, ... III .. M,

102AA. Banian cloth made of artificial silk or synthetic fibre including any admixtures thereof ... III .. M,

102BB. Sarees, sarongs and bed linen made of artificial silk or synthetic fibre including any admixtures thereof ... III .. M”;

(5) by the insertion, immediately after item 102 I, of the following new items:—

“102J. Piece goods (other than sarees, sarongs, bed linen and banian cloth) of artificial silk or synthetic fibre including any admixtures thereof—Flannel, hair-cord, velveteen, corduroy, sateen, crepe, brocade, gaberdine, curtain and furnishing (fabrics), plush, serge, figured fabrics and pile fabrics .. III .. M,

102K. Piece goods (other than sarees, sarongs, bed linen, banian cloth flannel, hair-cord, velveteen, corduroy, sateen, crepe, brocade, gaberdine, curtain and furnishing (fabrics), plush, serge, figured fabrics and pile fabrics) of artificial silk or synthetic fibre including any admixtures thereof .. III .. M”.

fibre including any admixtures thereof—Flannel, hair-cord, velveteen, corduroy, sateen, crepe, brocade, gaberdine, curtain and furnishing (fabrics), plush, serge, figured fabrics and pile fabrics .. III .. M”.

V. L. WIRASINHA,  
Controller of Imports.

Colombo, February 12, 1959.

### IMPORT CONTROL NOTICE, No. 6/59

#### Imports of Textiles

IMPORT Control Notice No. 3/59 published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 11,642 of January 16, 1959, is hereby withdrawn.

2. Importers are hereby informed that a licence from this Control is required for the importation from any source of textiles of any description set out in the Schedule hereto.

3. Registered Ceylonese Traders who are authorised to import textiles on General Import Licences issued to them are authorised to import textiles of any description set out in the Schedule hereto manufactured in Austria, China, Czechoslovakia, Germany, Japan, Poland, U. S. S. R. or Yugoslavia, provided that the total value of all textiles whatsoever imported from these territories in the course of any calendar year does not exceed the value, if any, specified on the General Import Licence.

4. Registered Ceylonese Traders authorised on their General Import Licences to import textiles, who desire to import any of the textiles set out in the Schedule hereto manufactured in Belgium, Denmark, France, Greece, Iceland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Albania, Bulgaria, Formosa, Hungary, Rumania, Spain or in the Dollar Area, viz., the United States of America and any territory under the sovereignty of the United States of America, Phillipine Islands, Bolivia, Columbia, Costa Rica, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Venezuela and Canada, should apply for individual import licences before orders are placed. Licences will be issued at the discretion of the Controller.

5. Any importer, whether he is a Registered Ceylonese Trader or not, who desires to import textiles of any description set out in the Schedule hereto manufactured in any territory other than the territories specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 above, should obtain a “General Import (Textiles) Licence” for such importation unless he prefers to obtain individual import licences covering particular consignments. Applications for “General Import (Textiles) Licences” setting out the name and address of the applicant may be forwarded to this Control in writing. An applicant who holds a General Import Licence as a Registered Ceylonese Trader should indicate the number of such licence. “General Import (Textiles) Licences” valid for the duration of the calendar year will be issued at the discretion of the Controller.

6. Importers other than Registered Ceylonese Traders will not be authorised to import textiles set out in the Schedule hereto manufactured in any territory specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 except the Dollar Area. If they desire to import

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### THE DEFENCE (CONTROL OF IMPORTS) REGULATIONS

#### Notification

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by regulation 5A of the Defence (Control of Imports) Regulations, which has the force of law by virtue of the Import and Export Control (Continuation) Act, No. 27 of 1950, I, Victor Lloyd Wirasinha, Controller of Imports, do hereby amend the Schedule to Open General Licence No. 4, dated September 23, 1952, and published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 10,452, of September 24, 1952, (as amended by any subsequent Notification), as follows:—

- (1) by the omission of item 11,
- (2) by the substitution, for items 12 and 13, of the following new items:—

“12. Piece goods (other than camboys, sarees, sarongs, bed linen and banian cloth) of cotton mixed with less than 50 per centum of other materials—Flannel, hair-cord, velveteen, corduroy, sateen, crepe, brocade, gaberdine, curtain and furnishing (fabrics), plush, serge, figured fabrics and pile fabrics .. III .. I,

13. Manufactures of cotton other than piece goods, banian cloth, bed linen, cotton thread, and sanitary towels .. III .. I”;

- (3) by the substitution, for item 24, of the following new item:—

“24. Manufactures of artificial silk or synthetic fibre including any admixtures thereof, other than piece goods, banian cloth, bed linen, apparel, handkerchiefs, mufflers and scarves .. III .. M; and

- (4) by the insertion, immediately after item 24, of the following new item:—

“24A. Piece goods (other than sarees, sarongs, bed linen and banian cloth) of artificial silk or synthetic

textiles of any description set out in the Schedule hereto manufactured in the Dollar Area, they should apply for individual import licences before orders are placed. Licences will be issued at the discretion of the Controller based on past trade.

7. General Import Licences have been issued to Registered Ceylonese Traders on the understanding that import documents relating to each consignment of goods imported will be presented at this Control for endorsement, to enable clearance through the Customs. Imports of textiles of any description set out in the Schedule hereto under cover of such licences will continue to be subject to this requirement.

8. Import documents relating to textiles of any description set out in the Schedule hereto imported under the authority of a "General Import (Textiles) Licence" or of an individual import licence issued in terms of this Import Control Notice should similarly be presented to this Control for endorsement, to enable clearance through the customs.

9. As the importation of any of these textiles requires a licence also under the Industrial Products Act, No. 18 of 1949, the licence obtained from the Controller of Industrial Products in respect of any consignment should be presented at this Control along with the import documents.

V. L. WIRASINHA,  
 Controller of Imports and Exports.

Colombo, February 12, 1959.

#### SCHEDULE

##### "A" PIECE GOODS.

1. Cotton Piece Goods (a) Bleached,  
 (b) Dyed,  
 (c) Colour Woven,  
 (d) Printed, and  
 (e) Other.
2. Piece goods of cotton mixed with less than 50 per cent of other materials, except Flannel, Hair Cord, Velveteen, Corduroy, Sateen, Crepe,

Brocade, Gaberdine, Curtain and Furnishing (Fabrics), Plush, Serge, Figured Fabrics, and Pile Fabrics.

##### 3. Fabrics of synthetic fibres and spun glass.

Piece goods in which the weight of artificial silk and synthetic fibres including any admixtures where the artificial silk content is not less than 50 per cent. NES, except Flannel, Hair Cord, Velveteen, Corduroy, Sateen, Crepe, Brocade, Gaberdine, Curtain and Furnishing (Fabrics), Plush, Serge, Figured Fabrics and Pile Fabrics.

##### "B" SAREES.

4. Manufactures of artificial silk and synthetic fibres including any admixtures thereof where the artificial silk content is not less than 50 per cent by weight NES—Sarees.

5. Manufactures of Cotton—Millmade and Handloom Sarees.

6. Manufactures of mixed materials—cotton mixed with less than 50 per cent of any other materials—Sarees (Millmade and Handloom).

##### "C" CAMBOYS.

7. Manufactures of Cotton-Camboys, Millmade and Handloom.

##### "D" SARONGS.

8. Manufactures of artificial silk and synthetic fibres including any admixtures thereof where the artificial silk content is not less than 50 per cent by weight NES—Sarongs.

9. Manufactures of Cotton-Sarongs, Millmade and Handloom.

10. Manufactures of mixed materials—Cotton mixed with less than 50 per cent of any other materials—Sarongs, Millmade and Handloom.

##### "E" BED LINEN.

11. Bed linen—ex-Bed linen, Table linen, Toilet linen and Kitchen linen—other.