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### PART I: SECTION (I)—GENERAL

#### Government Notifications

##### IMPORT CONTROL NOTICE NUMBER 31/58

##### Importation of Sarongs and Sarong Cloth

IMPORTERS are hereby informed that the importation from any source of sarongs and sarong cloth manufactured of cotton, artificial silk, or synthetic fibres is totally prohibited now.

A statement of confirmed outstanding orders in respect of sarongs and/or sarong cloth covered by irrevocable letters of credit should be forwarded to this Control within 7 days of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, giving—

- (1) date of order,
- (2) date of confirmation,
- (3) country of origin,
- (4) quantity in yards,
- (5) c.i.f., value in Rupees.

2. In regard to imports on D. A. or D. P. terms importers are advised to cancel all shipments immediately, as the goods would be liable to confiscation on arrival.

3. Sarong cloth means textiles other than sarees, shawls, verties and camboys, whether manufactured as piece goods or otherwise—

- (a) with one or more border designs running along the warp ; and/or

(b) with one or more ihas ;

(c) pyjama cloth (striped cloth normally used for making pyjama suits).

In the above—

“Verty” means a verty or dhoti made of material other than poplin ;

“Iha” means bands which cross the warp at intervals to form patterns distinct from the background of the textiles into which the bands are woven ; and

“Camboy” means a camboy not more than 4 yards in length with ihas at each end of the camboy and each iha not less than seven inches in width.

Import Control Notice No. 1/58 of March 13, 1958, regarding definition of sarong cloth is hereby cancelled.

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

Colombo, December 16, 1958.