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THE CEYLON GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

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Government Notifications

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CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION (R. P. O.) No. 69/8 The Revenue Protection Act, No. 19 of 1962

THE following Order made by the Minister of Finance in pursuance of the powers vested in him by section 2 of the Revenue Protection Act, No. 19 of 1962, is hereby published for general information.

Colombo, October 22, 1969.

M. RAJENDRA,
Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Finance.

THE REVENUE PROTECTION ACT, No. 19 OF 1962

ORDER

Whereas the Cabinet has decided that a resolution should be introduced in the House of Representatives, being a resolution which will have the effect of reducing the rate of export duty on the article specified in Column I of the Schedule hereto :

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 2 of the Revenue Protection Act, No. 19 of 1962, I, U. B. Banda Wanninayake, Minister of Finance, do by this Order, require the Principal Collector of Customs to demand and levy from midnight of 31st October/1st November, 1969, on the article specified in Column I of the Schedule hereto export duty at the rate set out in the corresponding entry in Column II of that Schedule and direct that the duties to be so demanded and levied shall be in addition to the export duties leviable or payable on this article under any written law other than the Customs Ordinance.

Colombo, October 22, 1969.

U. B. WANNINAYAKE,
Minister of Finance.

SCHEDULE

Column I
Article

Column II
Rate
Rs. c.

Tea of any description, excluding Instant Tea and Tea in packets and Tea in Tea bags, as defined hereinafter .. 39-00 per 100 pounds

Tea in packets and Tea in Tea Bags—

Tea packed in an inner wrapper of paper or aluminium foil—

(a) with an outer wrapper or polythene bag and having a label 'printed thereon, ..	}	0-24 per pound
(b) enclosed in a canister, ..		
(c) enclosed in a paper board carton, ..		
(d) enclosed in a wooden box, ..		
(e) enclosed in a mat basket, ..		
(f) enclosed in a packet with end seal only, ..		
(g) on which the (outer) paper does not cover the entire packet ..		

Tea packed in a canister or in a packet with end seal .. 0-24 per pound

Tea packed in a laminated aluminium foil, i. e. foil on which the paper is pasted to the foil instead of being separate from it .. 0-24 per pound

The wrapper, canister or carton or outer cover in which the packet of tea is enclosed shall be marked clearly with the words "Pure Ceylon Tea packed in Ceylon" or other words which in the opinion of the Principal Collector or Customs, convey the same meaning.

The net weight of tea in a packet shall not exceed 2.20 pounds or 1 kilogram.

Tea in a bag of filter paper or filter cloth containing tea which is prepared for consumption by the immersion of the bag in water .. 0-24 per pound

If the tea bag is enclosed in an outer cover, the words "Pure Ceylon Tea packed in Ceylon" or other words which, in the opinion of the Principal Collector of Customs, convey the same meaning shall be marked clearly on that cover

If the tea bags are packed in a carton, the number of bags in the carton and the net weight of the tea in each bag shall be stated on the outside of the carton.

The net weight of tea in a tea bag shall not exceed 12 ounces or 240 grams.