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Operational Instructions No. 26/2021

Director General
 Sri Lanka Customs

CEOs of all Commercial Banks

Dear Sir/ Madam

Imports and Exports Control Regulations No. 14 of 2021

The following Operational Instructions are issued under the power vested in Imports and Exports (Control) Act No.1 of 1969 and in terms of Regulations No. 17 of the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2231/18 dated June 11, 2021.

1. The Gazette Extraordinary No. 2252/30 of November 03, 2021, was published to amend the regulations stipulated in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2231/18 of June 11, 2021, in order to remove the temporary suspension on the importation of rice.
2. Sri Lanka Customs shall release items which are specified in the Gazette No. 2252/30 of November 03, 2021, and loaded on or before November 02, 2021, by charging a penalty of 5% of the value subject to the approval of the Chief Food Authority. Further, commercial banks shall release documents to the importer to clear such goods from Sri Lanka Customs and effect payment as specified in the invoice.

These instructions shall be implemented with immediate effect.

T V D Damayanthi S. Karunarathne
 Controller General of Imports and Exports

CC: The Governor, Central Bank of Sri Lanka: Grateful to issue specific Directions to all commercial banks to implement the above instructions.

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IN terms of the powers vested in me by Section 20 read together with Sub-Section 4(1), Section 14 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, No. 1 of 1969, as amended by Act No. 48 of 1985 and Act No. 28 of 1987, I, Basil Rajapaksa, the Minister of Finance, promulgate following Regulations.


Basil Rajapaksa,
Minister of Finance.

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Ministry of Finance,
Colombo 01,
03. November 2021.

REGULATIONS

1. These Regulations may be cited as "Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 14 of 2021".
2. The Regulations prescribed in this Gazette shall only be applicable to the importation of goods which have the date of Bill of Lading/ Air Waybill on or after 03. November 2021.
3. Goods described below together with their corresponding entries shall be deleted from the Schedule I of the Imports and Exports Control Regulations No. 10 of 2021, published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2231/18 dated 11 June 2021.

Column I HS Heading	Column II HS Code	Column III Description	Column IV Temporary Suspension (TS)
18	10.06	Rice.	
	1006.30.00	- Semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed :	
	1006.30.10	--- Raw Rice (Kekulu)	TS
	1006.30.20	--- Nadu Rice (Red or White)	TS
	1006.30.30	--- Samba Rice (Red or White)	TS