

TRANSLATION

Circular No. MF/BL.59

Sri Lanka Tea Board
Tea Commissioner's Division
P.O.Box : 363
Colombo - 1.

10th October, 1983.

To: All Registered Tea Manufacturers.

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sale of BM Fannings

The Sri Lanka Tea Board has decided to permit the sale of BM Fannings by public auction.

2. In view of this, BM Fannings must be treated as if it were a grade of tea. It will now be exported and consumed as a food-stuff. It is therefore essential that care should be taken in its preparation, handling and storage under the most strict hygienic conditions in order to prevent microbial contamination at factory level. Every effort should be made to avoid storing it for long periods, particularly under damp conditions, and also to keep out all extraneous matter.

3. It will be necessary for all due precautions to be taken in the preparation of BM Fannings just as it is necessary to take such precautions for the familiar grades of tea sold at the Auctions.

Yours faithfully

Sgd. G.A. de Silva
Tea Commissioner.
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cc to: -

1. S/P.I.
2. Director Genral, Sri Lanka Tea Board
3. Internal Auditor, Sri Lanka Tea Board
4. The General Manager - SLSFC/JEDB/TSHDA/LRC
5. All Field Officers
6. Chairman, Colombo Tea Trader's Association
7. Chairman, Colombo Brokers Association.