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THE EAST AFRICAN COMMUNITY CUSTOMS MANAGEMENT ACT, 2004

IMPORTATION OF MAIZE AT CONCESSIONAL RATE*

IT IS notified for the general information of the public that pursuant to the powers conferred to the Cabinet Secretary under section 114 (2) of the East African Community Customs Management Act, 2004 read with provisions of Item 20 Part B of the Fifth Schedule to the Act and in consequence of the declaration of Coronavirus COVID-19 as a formidable epidemic disease in Kenya by the Cabinet Secretary for Health, a concessional Import Duty rate of 14% shall apply in respect of white maize and 10% in respect to yellow maize imported on or before 31st July, 2020 by millers as set out in the Schedule hereto:

SCHEDULE

(a) White Maize

Cereal Millers Association

<i>Miller</i>	<i>Metric Tonnes</i>
Alpha Grain Limited	5,740.41
Bellamy Milling Company Limited	1,613.14
Buffalo Millers	1,913.47
Capwell Industries Limited	6,888.50
Eastern Flour Mills Limited	1,613.14
Eldoret Grains Limited	8,323.60
Goldleaf Kenya Limited	2,016.43
Grain Industries Limited	7,653.89
Jamii Milling Limited	3,826.94
Kabansora Millers Limited	1,913.47
Karibu Flour Mills Limited	3,495.15
Kenblest Limited	2,016.43
Kenselrise Limited	2,688.57
Kitale Industries Limited	3,444.25
Kitui Flour Mills Limited	10,141.40
Malindi Millers Limited	806.57
Mama Millers Limited	3,444.25
Mombasa Maize Millers, Kisumu	2,296.17
Mombasa Maize Millers, Mombasa	18,369.33
Mombasa Maize Millers, Nairobi	4,879.35
Nairobi Flour Mills	3,629.57
Osho Grain Millers Limited	1,344.29

<i>Miller</i>	<i>Metric Tonnes</i>
Pembe Flour Mills Limited	10,524.09
Unga Limited	8,514.95
United Millers Limited	2,870.21
TOTAL	119,967.57

SMALL AND MEDIUM SCALE MILLERS ASSOCIATION

(i) United Grain Millers Association

<i>Miller</i>	<i>Metric Tonnes</i>
Joy Millers	11,000
Meru Multipurpose Co-operative Society Limited	9,288
Ngupe Agencies	6,143
Fairate Grain Millers Limited	4,150
Amaini Flour Mills Limited	5,143
Rongai Flours Mills Limited	2,000
Sweet Meal Commodities Limited	3,144
TOTAL	40,867

(ii) Rivacea

<i>Miller</i>	<i>Metric Tonnes</i>
Giant Millers	2,700
Simba Mfalme	5,400
Nicey Nicey Millers	6,747
TOTAL	14,847

(iii) Meru County Association of Grain Millers

<i>Millers</i>	<i>Metric Tonnes</i>
Mwanga Millers	1,710
Jikaze Millers	1,710
Naicia Millers	958
TOTAL	4,378

(b) Yellow Maize for Association of Kenya Feed Manufacturers (AKEFEMA)

<i>Miller</i>	<i>Metric Tonnes</i>
Unga Farm Care EA Limited	60,000
Pembe Flour Mills Limited	20,000
Mombasa Maize Millers Limited	25,000
Sigma Feeds Limited	30,000

<i>Miller</i>	<i>Metric Tonnes</i>
Isinya Feeds Limited	40,000
Farmers Choice Limited	5,000
TOTAL	180,000

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The White Maize shall meet the following conditions:

- (a) It shall not be genetically modified (i.e. Non-GMO) in accordance with the laws of Kenya and Kenyan standards applicable under the laws of Kenya and implemented by the the Kenya Bureau of Standards and the National Biosafety Authority;
- (b) It shall have a moisture content not exceeding 13.5% as provided for under the laws of Kenya and Kenyan standards (KS EAS2:2017) applicable under the laws of Kenya and implemented by the Kenya Bureau of Standards;
- (c) Its aflatoxin levels shall not exceed ten (10) parts per billion (ppb) as provided for under the laws of Kenya and Kenyan standards (KS EAS2:2017) implemented by the Kenya Bureau of Standards and the Department of Public Health of the Ministry of Health;
- (d) It shall be accompanied by a certificate of conformity issued by the Kenya Bureau of Standards; and
- (e) It shall have been imported on or before the 31st July, 2020.

The Yellow Maize shall meet the following conditions:

- (a) It shall not be genetically modified (i.e. Non-GMO) in accordance with the laws of Kenya and Kenyan standards applicable under the laws of Kenya and implemented by the the Kenya Bureau of Standards and the National Biosafety Authority;
- (b) It shall have a moisture content not exceeding 13.5% as provided for under the laws of Kenya and Kenyan standards (KS EAS2:2017) applicable under the laws of Kenya and implemented by the Kenya Bureau of Standards;
- (c) Its aflatoxin levels shall not exceed ten (10) parts per billion (ppb) as provided for under the laws of Kenya and Kenyan Standards (KS EAS2:2017) implemented by the Kenya Bureau of Standards and the Department of Veterinary Services under the State Department of Livestock;
 - (i) It shall be accompanied by a certificate of conformity issued by the Kenya Bureau of Standards; and
 - (ii) It shall be used for the manufacture of animal feeds only; and
 - (iii) It shall have been imported on or before the 31st July, 2020.

Dated the 15th May, 2020.

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*G.N. 3234 of 2020 is revoked.