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LICENSING OF SHIPPING AGENTS, FREIGHT FORWARDERS, NON- VESSEL **OPERATING COMMON CARRIERS AND CONTAINER OPERATORS (AMENDMENT)**

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to amend the Licensing of Shipping Agents, Freight Forwarders, **Non-Vessel Operating Common Carriers and Container Operators** Act, No. 22 of 1972

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STATEMENT OF LEGAL EFFECT

Clause 2: This clause amends section 3 of the Licensing of Shipping Agents, Freight Forwarders, Non-Vessel Operating Common Carriers and Container Operators Act, No. 10 of 1972 and the legal effect of that section as amended is to provide for the Minister to make regulations with respect of regulating the procedure for imposing and collecting charge or levy imposed by the relevant service providers.

Licensing of Shipping Agents, Freight Forwarders, Non-Vessel Operating Common Carriers and Container Operators (Amendment)

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An Act to amend the Licensing of Shipping Agents, Freight FORWARDERS, NON-VESSEL OPERATING COMMON CARRIERS AND Container Operators Act, No. 10 of 1972

BE it enacted by the Parliament of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka as follows:-

1. This Act may be cited as the Licensing of Shipping Short title Agents, Freight Forwarders, Non-Vessel Operating Common 5 Carriers and Container Operators (Amendment) Act, No. of 2022.

2. Section 3 of the Licensing of Shipping Agents, Freight Amendment Forwarders, Non- Vessel Operating Common Carriers and Container Operators Act, No. 10 of 1972 is hereby amended 10 in subsection (5) thereof as follows:-

No. 10 of 1972

- (1) in paragraph (e) thereof, by the substitution for the words "contravention of such standards." of the words "contravention of such standards; and";
- (2) by the addition at the end of the paragraph (e) of that subsection, of the following new paragraph:-
 - "(f) a charge, levy and tariff imposed by the relevant service providers of shipping agents, freight forwarders, non-vessel operating common carriers and container operators for the services rendered by them, and regulating the procedure of imposing and collecting such charge, levy and tariff.".

3. In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala Sinhala text and Tamil texts of this Act, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

to prevail in case of inconsistency

